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On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 7 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 12 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 6.00, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 10.00, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 15 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 10.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 8.50 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car to 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
6 12	abc	6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba	*6 22
6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49
7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49
7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49
7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49
8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49
8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49
8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49
9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49
10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49
11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49
12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49
1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19
2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36
3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49
4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19
5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36
6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49
7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19
7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 49
7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	8 53
8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	9 49
9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	10 53
10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	11 27
10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27
11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49

SUNDAYS.

7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	8 49
8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	12 49
9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	4 49
1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	5 49
5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	6 49
7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	8 53
8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53
10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

IS HER POSITION EQUIVOCAL?

The Spanish Government's Response Transmitted to White House.

Translation Not Completed For Officials.

Therefore Had Nothing to Give Out For Publication.

New York Paper Gives What Purports to Be the Gist of a Negative Answer—Remarks of Spanish Officials Convey Conflicting Ideas of That Country's Disposition—Monday Fixed For Releasing the Congress From Restraint—President's Course Assailed and Defended.

Washington, April 1.—The reply of Spain to the final representations of President McKinley began to arrive at the White House at 11 o'clock last night, and the president, with Assistant Secretary Day, stayed up to read it as fast as it was transmitted. The president knew in a general way something of the nature of the dispatch, but he was anxious to know all the details. He decided to make nothing public until today.

Shortly after the operator began to take the message Judge Day announced to newspaper men that no matter what the dispatch contained its contents would be given to no one then, and that not a single word relating to the subject would be made public until today. All requests for further information were refused.

When the conference broke up, the men who attended it preserved the utmost reticence, and said they did not feel at liberty to discuss the situation.

While no one would talk with any degree of freedom, a senator made this admission: "The message is not what we expected." Another senator later added that Spain asked for more time and had made counter propositions.

Spain does not accede to the American demands; neither does she positively and finally reject them. The question is still left open for future negotiations. According to the traditional policy of Spanish diplomacy, more delay is requested and much evasion is manifested. One of the reasons for asking further time is the fact that the ministry cannot act without the ratification of the cortes, which is not now in session. Counter propositions are also suggested rather than plainly stated, which look to the side tracking of the main issue, which is the immediate and complete independence of Cuba.

It is now a question with the president whether he will continue to treat with Spain further along the lines suggested in the dispatch and grant the additional time which is requested. The reply of the Spanish government will be considered at the meeting of the cabinet today, and then it will be decided whether an ultimatum will be sent to Spain. Up to this time no ultimatum, in the diplomatic sense of the word, has been forwarded. If sent, it will mean that Spain must, within 24 hours, answer specifically as to the demands made by the United States. In the event of a failure to answer or a positive rejection of the American propositions the president will suggest to congress the advisability of recognizing the independence of Cuba and enforcing the recognition by a military demonstration.

Congress will wait until Monday before any action is taken. The committee from the Republican conference, after an interview with the president, reported a recommendation that no action be taken until Monday, and its report was approved. The president made a frank declaration as to what was taking place between the two governments, and concluded with these words: "I pray God that we may be able to keep peace." The impression left with the delegation, however, was that he did not expect a peaceable adjustment.

In strictest confidence Mr. McKinley outlined the course of communications between Washington and Madrid. He stated that all now depended on dispatches to be communicated and received probably within 24 hours. The response of Spain to a message cabled it by this government was expected hourly. After it arrived it would be necessary for this country to send another cable note as a reply to Madrid. He therefore intimated that it would be gratifying if congress deferred taking action until next week. The president suggested that what was related regarding the diplomatic negotiations should not be repeated until those negotiations were closed; that if the secret and significant messages were revealed at this time and should become public property and be cabled back to Madrid, the publicity might hurt the cause and defeat the ends sought.

A QUESTION OF HOW.

Agreement Said to Have Been Reached on All Points.

Madrid, April 1.—After a conference of three Spanish ministers and General Woodford, which lasted about an hour last evening, one of the members of the cabinet said: "I firmly believe that peace is assured. Spain, in a note drawn up personally by Mr. Sagasta, has made enormous concessions in the hope of assuring peace. She has given way in every possible manner, only drawing the line where her dignity as a nation has been violated. We are sure the president of the United States, with his fairness of mind, will see how anxious we are for peace.

"On all points we agreed with the propositions of the United States; but it is a question of how they should be applied. I believe that General Woodford fully appreciated our attitude. If the president of the United States is strong enough, as we firmly believe, what we suggested means peace of the highest kind. If the jingoes have their own way, it simply means war, and we have got to accept it. But I am firmly convinced that we are going to have peace."

Minister Woodford, immediately after the conference, retired to the legation and wrote out a lengthy cipher cable to the president.

Most remarkable during the whole day has been the entire absence of any excitement. Nobody here believes in war. The ministers, above all, believe in peace. All appreciate the situation as serious, however, and press and public treat it as such. General Woodford, it was noted, was most cordial with the Spanish ministers, and they expressed themselves as favorably impressed with him.

Premier Sagasta said to an interviewer: "As Spanish sovereignty obtains in Cuba we claim the right to manage the island in our own way. People do not care to submit the affairs of their own household to arbitration. The application of autonomy ought to settle the question in Cuba, particularly as it is not hideboundautonomy. There is no reason why thisautonomy should not be made even more comprehensive if it is shown to be desirable, but the right of the United States to feed the Cubans and the nature of the intervention claimed by the United States are distinct questions, and should be treated as such. The urging of a discussion of the whole Cuban question at once greatly increases the difficulty at this time."

Spain's Negative Position.

New York, April 1—A special from Washington to The World gives the following outline of Spain's reply: "Spain neither accedes to norecliines President McKinley's proposals She makes the counter argument that Spain should herself be allowed topropose terms as to what should be one regarding her own territory; thatthe United States should not do so."

PASSIONATE OUTBURST.

Cheers, Jeers and Hisses Intermingled During a Debat Over Cuba.

Washington, April —For three hours Thursday the packegalleries and the members of the hose listened to a passionate outburst f oratory on the Cuban question, dung which the intensity of feeling wa alternately manifested by cheers, jeersand hisses. Time and again the excitd throngs in the galleries were admonhed to be silent.



CHARLES H.ROSVENOR.

The speeches whistirred the assemblage were made Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, who, it wasssumed, spoke for the administrationd who practically pledged it to the use of free Cuba; Mr. Bailey of Tes, the Democratic leader, who annoued the Democratic position as for freCuba without war if it could be avied, but with war if necessary, and r. Johnson of Indiana, who spoke r peace, declaring that it was our duto go to the extfeme in magnanimity tcvoid the horrors of war.

Mr. Lewis, a Dnocrat from Washington, provoked e speech of Mr. Johnson, which aised the members and the galleries toe fever pitch of excitement. He haenounced the proposition that Cuba rchase her freedom from Spain, whicit was alleged, the administration wasstering. Then Mr. Johnson, in a brint speech, pleaded for peace. Like partan he faced the storm of hisses wh swept down from the galleries, andith passionate utterance adjured mbers to pause before they plungede country into war. Mr. Johnson made humorous remarks about Mr. Lewis of Washington, saying sarcastically that if he was turned loose in Cuba the Spaniards would depart. Turning to the more serious part of the question he said: "Now in all seriousness in discussing this cry of war that we have heard on that side of the chamber, do, gentlemen, stop and reflect a moment upon what it means if we should enter upon hostilities. If the hot-headedness of men in public life should not force the president to put Spain into an embarrassing position which her proud spirit will not permit her to accede to, if the public men in congress would simply restrain their zeal and keep their hands off the president, he would be able to accomplish in a very short space of time by the arts of diplomacy the independence of Cuba. We hear that the Cuban junta are willing to raise $100,000,000 to purchase their independence. We have brought these two antagonizing forces together by the success of the judgment, diplomacy and exalted patriotism of the statesman in the White House, and I believe that if we will give him a fair opportunity to carry out his purposes he will bring us to a triumphant conclusion without shedding an ounce of American blood."

Mr. Bailey, in a ringing speech which set his followers and the galleries wild, announced his belief, from what Mr. Johnson had said, that the purpose of the Republicans in refusing to join with the Democrats was to give the administration an opportunity to compel the Cuban patriots to purchase their independence they had won from the butchers of Spain. He said he too deplored war and, in describing its horrors as the southern people had known them, drew tears from the eyes of some of his colleagues. He declared that there was yet a chance to avert war. He had been told within 24 hours by a representative of the Cuban junta that all the Cubans wanted was to have their independence recognized, as with the munitions of war and the recruits they could then obtain their independence could be achieved.

"In all the history of this republic no party has ever acted more patriotically or unselfishly than the Democratic party has during this crisis," he continued. "Six months ago, if you had done as we urged you to do, if you had recognized the rights of these struggling patriots to fight for independence, war would have been averted and Cuba would today be an established fact in the history of the world, and that unfortunate disaster which has horrified humanity and humiliated American citizenship would never have occurred. The great battleship Maine would still have been upon the high seas, flying the flag of this republic, and the more than 250 brave sailors, many of whom now sleep many fathoms deep beneath Cuban waters, would now be wearing the uniform of the nation which they honored with their courage and sought to defend with their lives."

This speech drew from General Grosvenor a fiery answer. He charged Mr. Bailey with attempting to make political capital. He denounced the statement that the administration intended to force Cuba to buy her freedom as the silly invention of an idiot, and declared that from the president down the administration was for free Cuba. He thrilled his auditors when he asked: "What means the mighty demonstration of war that is being made in this country? What is the United States going to do? Is it going to make a 'shilly-shally' declaration that the Cubans are free and then let them go to the devil in the clutch of the Spanish nation? My countrymen, you have not been betrayed by your administration or deceived by it. The administration is in touch with the highest inspiration and the best motives of patriotic citizens throughout the whole land, and the people of this country will shout in praise of a Republican administration that will carry into execution the power, the will, and the edict of the American people."

After Mr. Grosvenor concluded the debate went on, the most significant utterances being made by Mr. Cummings, a New York Democrat, who denounced the political character which the question was assuming as unpatriotic and unwise. Little progress was made with the naval bill. The only important amendment adopted was one appropriating $500,000 for the erection of new buildings at the naval academy.

Enthusiasm In Madrid.

Madrid, April 1.—The sale of seats for the performance for the benefit of a popular fund to purchase a warship amounted to more than $32,500, including a gift of $10,000 from Marquis Vellemejor; but many important amounts are not included in this total. The house was crammed and the scene was one of indescribable enthusiasm, with frenzied cries of "Long live Spain," "Long live Cuba" and "Long live the army and navy."

The moment the queen regent entered the royal box the audience gave her a delirious ovation, which was repeated after the third act of the opera. The scenes were really extravagant. Ladies of the highest aristocracy, in brilliant toilets and jewels, ministers and high officials, occupied boxes, while the ordinary cheaper seats were occupied by personages high in society.

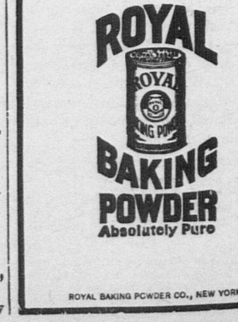
The final scene was a magnificent apotheosis. In the center of the stage, on a pedestal, appeared a gilded lion holding in his paw the Spanish escutcheon on a trophy of national flags. Behind the lion, whose eyes flashed with electric lights, were other groups, including faithful productions of the vessels with which Columbus discovered America. The names of Alfonzo XII and Alfonzo XIII appeared on the face of another pedestal bearing the figure of a matron representing Spain,

Stripped of Woodwork.

Key West, April 1.—Every preparation for action was taken on the warships yesterday. All woodwork was stripped off exposed spots and sent ashore. The wood pilot houses on the cruisers were taken down. To a certain extent interior woodwork was also removed and sent ashore. Even the sailors' wooden boxes were removed from some of the ships. These precautions have been taken to prevent, so far as possible, the

Continued on page 4.

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Quincy, March 29. 5t

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Admission 35c. Reserved Seats, 50c, 75c., $1.00.
Tickets ordered by mail will be reserved in the order received.

Apr. 1—2t 2-p 1w

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Sunday	44	57	50
Monday	51	51	44
Tuesday	52	53	50
Wednesday	56	60	55
Thursday	48	45	45
Friday	48	48	44
Saturday	—	48	61

New Advertisements Today.

Probate notice—Estate of Josiah Randlett.
Probate notice—Estate of Susan Dunphy.
L. M. Pratt & Co—Groceries, provisions.
Quincy Music Hall—Robert G. Ingersoll.
Notice of Water Commissioners.
Quincy Clothing Co.

Good Afternoon.

Although ex-Councilman Moxon has been in the South several months and it was reported that he would make South Carolina his permanent residence, it is pleasing to note that he is still in touch with Quincy, and interested in her affairs. Daily visits of the Ledger have kept him posted in city affairs, and he has a letter on finances in his issue.

COUNTY NOT LIABLE.

Ex-Commissioner Morrell Must Pay for His Defence.

There is justice in the finding of the Supreme court holding that judgment should be entered for the defendant in the case of R. M. Morse vs. the county of Norfolk. The suit was brought to recover $2500 for services rendered in representing the county commissioners of Norfolk county at the legislative investigation in 1896.

The court says, "While no charges were filed against any of the county commissioners of any county, it was a case where the legislature saw fit to order an investigation and in this manner virtually to call its agents and servants to account. It was, no doubt, says the court, for their personal interest to clear themselves if they could from the suspicion of having illegally expended the money of the county but the question is whether they were authorized to subject the county to the expense of their defence. If formal charges had been filed against them or if they had been indicted for malversation in office it seems quite clear that they could not call upon the county to defend them. And it seems that the same rule applies where their acts were under investigation by the legislature, whose agents and servants they were. In doing the acts which were under investigation they were not the agents of the county, and they did not become so when they sought to clear themselves from the suspicion under which they labored. There must be judgment for the defendant."

The Norfolk County Commissioners in 1895 and 1896 were Melville P. Morrell, Watts H. Bowker and Thomas Blanchard. Mr. Blanchard was a new member and was not incriminated by the Legislature, but the report was outspoken against Messrs. Morrell and Bowker. Both served out their terms, and had the check not only to charge their defence against the county but to issue as a board a book with an ex-parte report of the investigation.

—The Senate has rejected the anti-cigarette bill. It's the same old story—the House hustling to effect great reforms, while the Senate nips them in the bud. What a wicked Senate it is! —Brockton Enterprise.

WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.
H. O. FAIRBANKS,
CHAS. T. BAKER,
LUTHER S. ANDERSON.
April 1. 6t

ROYAL SEND OFF.

Why the Theatre Train to Boston Was Late Last Night.

The Cape train to Boston was late last evening as it passed through Quincy to Boston and it seriously delayed the local theatre train, but it was better than a theatre to the passenger on that Cape train. One said it was an "awful crowd." There was a large bridal party aboard, but it was not the awful crowd, but the rice and old shoes that weighted the train. Quincy people were there and are said to have done their share of the mischief.

It was at North Harwich that the bridal party and their escorts boarded the train, and the escorts promptly proceeded to wake up the drummers returning from Provincetown. The conductors and train hands are said to have been provoked at the rice, etc., but they smothered their rage.

In the vicinity of the happy couple were placed old shoes and several large printed placards, some of which read as follows:

"When man and woman are made one, which is the one?"

"What bliss."

"Those eyes! Those eyes!
How full of Heaven they are!"

"When I said I would die a bachelor, I did think I would live till I were married."

"But love is blind and lovers cannot see
The pretty follies that themselves commit."

"Love! thou has everything in store;
'Tis friendship, and 'tis something more;
Each other every wish they give;
Not to know love is not to live."

When everything was arranged the passengers on the train received the following printed invitations, the young man who distributed them announcing: Puck and Life out today:"

John and Annie
invite you to a reception
on this train.
You will know them as they
were married today
and are supremely happy.
Treat them kindly.

Soon everybody was acquainted with the happy couple, who made the best of the situation and received the congratulations of the passengers. A lady on the train lent her baby to help out the sport, but the couple did not take kindly to little Alice although she was a sweet child.

The mother left the train at Middleboro and unwittingly added to the sport by leaving a partly filled bottle of milk and other baby goods. These were smuggled to the baggage car and tied with other ornaments to the luggage of Mr. and Mrs. Phinney and the lady may be able to recover her property if she writes promptly to the sheriff at Barnstable.

That Problem.

If a man offers 1000 shares upon an article to be drawn by lot, and charges as many cents for each share as is seen upon the number of his ticket, how many dollars will he get if he sells all of his shares?

Quincy, April 1, 1898.

Editor Daily Ledger:

As the citizen evidently has not had much experience in lotteries, I forward a quick and easy solution of the problem. Add the cost of the highest to that of the lowest ticket, and divide by 2 to get the average of all the tickets, then multiply the average by the number of tickets to be sold, and the product will be the answer.

$10.00 plus 1 cent equals $10.01.
$10.01 divided by 2 equals $5.005.
$5.005 times 1000 equals $5,005.00

If he will try it on some small number, then add them all together, he will find it O. K.

LOT.

—A Kentucky man has found two silver spoons in the centre of a large lump of coal. Are the coal dealers going into the business of giving a prize in every package? asks the Somerville Journal.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters uncalled for week ending March 26: Mr. W. A. Sherman, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. Dwight G. Marshall, Mrs. George D. Bates.

☞ White Enamel Bedsteads, full size, brass trimmed, from $2.98 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Features of the Saturday Eight-Page Ledger

A two column copyrighted fashion letter from New York by Mate Leroy, illustrated.
A bicycle column.
An illustrated article—How green horses are educated for cavalry service.
Illustrated humor.
An interesting story in full.
An Athletic column.
House Plans.
Social Realm.
Fashion Plate.
Christian Endeavor Column.
Sunday Services.
Latest Telegraphic News.
All the Local News.

LARKIN APPOINTED.

He Gets the Coveted Plum in Police Department.

The contest over the appointment of the new permanent patrolman that has been going on since the police ordinance was amended, was closed Thursday evening when Mayor Sears appointed John T. Larkin.

The contest has been between Mr. Larkin, Frank J. Daveron and John H. Newcomb, but more particularly between Messrs. Larkin and Daveron. Friends of both men have worked hard for their particular friend and every honorable means has been used to secure the appointment, and it has been a toss up as to who would get it.

In speaking of the appointment Mayor Sears said that the endorsement for Mr. Larkin had been the strongest of anyone that had come before him for appointment. These endorsements came from prominent citizens in Wards One, Two and Five and from two of Quincys ex-Mayors.

John T. Larkin, the new permanent man, was born in Quincy in 1862, and has always made Quincy his home. He was educated in the public schools, graduating from the High school in the class of 1880.

He was for several years connected with the fire department and was the last clerk of the W. M. French Hose Co. and the first clerk of Steamer Company, No. 1. He was also one of the organizers of the St. John's C. L. & A. A., and was its first recording secretary. None worked harder to place the organization on the high plane it occupies today than he.

His trade was that of a tool sharpener and he was a prominent member of and took an active interest in labor unions, holding office in the Knights of Labor, Tool Sharpeners Union and the Central Labor Union.

MILTON.

The East Milton political clubs have disbanded for the present.

The candidates they favored were elected but the object they desired to accomplish did not materialize. Their fight was to cut of the head of superintendent of Streets Clink and put in L. S. Nevans. Mr Clink was however reappointed much to their chagrin. They now say that they will settle matters another year.

The drug store of W. H. Puffer in Ellsworth block has been reopened.

Although Adams street was dug up by the Metropolitan Water board last fall to lay the main that is to supply Quincy the street is in an excellent condition.

Samuel J. Curtis is to open a fruit store on the corner of Granite place and Adams street.

A brotherhood of St. Andrew was organized at the Episcopal Mission, Thursday evening.

Work has been commenced building Otis sreet. This was one of the streets accepted at the recnt town meeting.

The impression seems to be that Milton has a fire bug and that he has been getting in his work with a vengeance. There has been several disastrous fires of late, and in every case they have been stables, and animals have been burned to death. The last fire was a little after 9 o'clock, Wednesday night when large stable on the Reed estate on Highland street was destroyed, together with eighteen cows, three horses and a quantity of hay, farming tools, etc. The fire was unquestionably of a incendiary origin.

East Milton is aroused and foul play is talked concernin the death of a domestic in the employ of William Martin. It is alleged that the girl was taken sick Sunay night and died Monday morning of convulsions, and that the body was buried almost immediately. This caused rumors of foul play and there is a talk of having the body exhumed and an autopsy held.

Josiah Babcock is purchased one of W. H. Forbes' trotters.

A good story is being told of one of East Milton's citizens who desired to enrich himself at the expense of the Boston & Albany road. As the story goes he drove home in haste, and said he had been run into by an electric car at Ashmont and his leg badly injured. So badly injured did he appear to be that he had to be helped into his home. A doctor was summoned and upon his arrival the injured member was exposed to view and it did look bad, as one side was quite black as ink. The physician looked at it with a critical eye and with knowing wink ordered a pail of water and a piece of soap. A free application of these soon removed the large quantity of shoe blacking with which the leg had been colored. Our friend it is said remonstrated at this method of treatment, upon which the local physician left with the advice that he would call the railroad company's physician. Up to the present time, however, he has failed to do so.

Civil Trialist.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the Dist. Court next Tuesday:

42—Thorpe Vs. Phillips et al tr.
60—Pirovano Vs. Ferrari et al.

Don't Monkey With the Buzz Saw.

That's a Typical American Warning. It's a quiet, subdued sort of a warning that says in its sort of a round about way: "Bluffs don't go." You can walk up to a buzz saw and stand near it, even hold your hands over it, but it's going fast, so fast that you can't see the teeth on it. But the teeth are there, and if you monkey with the buzz saw, you're apt to lose a finger as you sing "Just tell them that you saw me." That's what Uncle Sam says to Spain, "DON'T Monkey with the Buzz Saw." There's danger all around you. But you get used to it and get careless. A young man goes across the street to call on his best girl—moderate evening—no overcoat—hangs on gate an hour or so—it grows cold—catches cold—sick a month—girl gets another fellow—other fellow careful not to catch cold—gets girl.

A Spring Overcoat would have Changed all that. Business man has no spring coat—too warm for winter one—carries winter one on arm—catches cold—has chills—ills—bills—Doctors' Bills. Stays abed a month and loses trade—"Don't monkey with the buzz saw." Buy your spring coats now. Buy them where you can buy them the cheapest. Buy them of the new store. They will pay back money with or without reason. They will sell you an article, will let you take it home, will let you take it into any other store (want you to) and compare it, and if you can do better will give you your money back with a smile. If you want to purchase a suit for your child, and have made up your mind to pay $3.50 for it—

Come and See Our $2.48 Suit. The little Magnet Suit, with double seats and knees. It is just the same as the suit you have been paying $3.50 for. We make custom pants and suits. The Bicycle Clubs should get our figures before placing their orders.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO., Quincy's Clothiers
Music Hall Block.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

April Fools day.

Easter Novelties at Miss Hubbard's.

Cold weather is predicted for a few days.

Are we to have some March weather in April?

Mr. James F. Gay is still in a critical condition.

The ground was frozen rather solid this morning.

The grocery clerks of Atlantic are to have a dance the middle of April.

Miss Mary Cunniff of Hancock street is recovering from her recent illness.

The Indian Chief and his braves are putting on the war paint in Atlantic.

The Newbury Social club will hold a dance in Music hall, Atlantic, Easter Monday night.

Beautiful weather today. It is appreciated after the storm of yesterday.

An addition is being built to the store opposite the Gridley Bryant school on Willard street.

A masquerade ball will be given this Friday evening at the Music hall, Atlantic, and a swell affair is looked for.

Ring out the old, ring in the new. Mr. John Dinegan commenced his duties today, as inspector of animals and provision.

Just note the column "ad" of L. M. Pratt & Co. today. This reliable firm make startling reductions in prices all along the line.

Councilman Walter Hill of Ward Six has broken ground for a home on Clive street, which he hopes to occupy the latter part of the summer.

The time for the historical pageant is drawing near, a week from next Wednesday evening, and already good seats are getting hard to obtain.

Did you get fooled this morning? There was an old hat laid on the sidewalk on Baxter street, but nobody cared, there was no "kicking" about it.

An electric car was run over the Atlantic route on Wednesday, and the people of Ward Six hope soon to have direct communication reestablished with the Centre.

If Ward Two cannot have a new schoolhouse right away it seems as if it would do no harm to use a little paint and labor on the outside. The doors and some parts of the building sadly needs a coat of paint.

The entertainment by the Electric Trio at Music hall, Saturday night, will be one of the best ever given at this hall. In addition to the trio, little Olive Smith, child vocalist, and T. L. Phelan, humorist, will appear.

At the annual parish meeting of the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, the board of trustees for this year was constituted as follows: President, P. W. Dackers; clerk, J. C. Wyllie; treasurer, Alexander Smart; Alexander Clark, Robert Philips, John Bisset, John A. Nicholson.

A FEW POINTERS.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists; ask for a free sample today.

GRAND EASTER
MILLINERY OPENING!
Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2.

You are cordially invited to an inspection of our assortment of Easter Hats and Imported French Novelties in Toques and Bonnets; also, of our own attractive styles in Hats, Bonnets and Turbans, of Straw, Lace and Jet.

E. B. COLLINS,
4 FAXON BLOCK, - - QUINCY.
March 26. 2w

COAL

We are not the only ones that sell Coal, but we have the largest stock and the best facilities for prompt delivery to be found in the city.

Prices absolutely as low as Boston figures.

Satisfaction in every respect.

J. F. SHEPPARD & SON,
QUINCY, MASS.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE,

A Complete Department Store.

BARGAIN DAY THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

EASTER ELOQUENCE.

Not the eloquence of words, but of deeds. Not the saying of a thing, but the doing of it. Not promises lightly made and easily broken, but a plain, honest, straightforward statement of money-saving facts concerning a store full of bright, fresh spring merchandise that will make the Eastertide selling memorable.

Ladies' Shirt Waists, 25c., 50c., 69c., 79c., and 98c.

All Silk Ribbons 5c., 6c., 8c., 10c. per yard.

The largest assortment of Hamburgs, Laces, and Veilings, in Quincy.

We shall present with every purchase of 50c. and upwards a magnificent half tone engraving 18x12, of the BATTLESHIP MAINE.

Kitchen furnishings in basement.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.
Music Hall Building, Quincy.

DIED

O'MARA—In Quincy, March 31, Mrs. Bridget, widow of Mr. Jeremiah O'Mara, aged 86 years and 15 days.
GARDNER—In Hingham, March 31, Mr. Isaac Gardner of Water street, aged 64 years.

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MAGAZINE EXPLODED!

That is what a man said as he handed us his watch the other day.

An Investigation

showed that the Main(es) spring was broken.

DIVERS

were not required. We removed the

Revolving Turret

and mounted a new

100-CENT MAIN-

spring, and warranted it for two years in either

American or Spanish Territory.

All ordinary American or Swiss Watches cleaned or main-spring for ONE DOLLAR.

WILLIAMS,
QUINCY.
HANCOCK ST.

☞ Wall Papers; come here and save one fourth on your wall papers. New York designs, New York prices, from 3 cents per roll to 40. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

DOWN

GO THE

Prices for Cash!

But the Quality Remains the Same.

Most of the people of Quincy know that we do not make our prices so high that we can keep them the same the year round, but that we sell at market prices, and when prices are reduced we give our customers the benefit.

Perfection Flour,	$6.00 bbl	4 pounds Milk Lunch,	25c.
Gold Drop Flour,	5.75 bbl	5 pounds 3 Crown Raisins,	25c.
100 pounds Sugar,	5.13	3 pounds Seeded Raisins,	25c.
Subject to change.		Fresh Western Eggs.	9c. doz
			3 doz. 25c
Good Oolong Tea,	25c. lb	Nice Western Chickens,	12c. lb
Good E. Breakfast Tea,	25c. lb	Nice Western Fowl,	12c. lb
5-lb. can Coffee, M and J,	20c. lb	California Oranges,	15c. doz
1-lb. can Good Coffee, "Santos,"	15c. lb	Fancy Baldwin Apples,	35. peck
Very Best Mocha and Java,	30c. lb	3 cans Best Condensed Milk,	25c.
Former price, 35 cents.		5-gallon Cans of Apples,	$1.00
Manhattan Butter,	25c. lb	3 cans Table Peaches,	25c.
Fancy Creamery Butter,	25c. lb	3 cans Boyer Squash,	25c.
Parched Rolled Oats, new goods,	10 cents	Top Round Steak,	20c. lb
		Sirloin Steak,	22c. lb
		Pickled Tripe,	5c. lb
5 pounds Common Crackers,	25c.	Whole Medium Hams,	9c. lb

Spinach, 10c. peck. Kail, 10c. peck.

Dandelions, 25c. peck. Lettuce, 6c. Radishes, 5c

We might mention prices on hundreds of other articles, but we have selected from different kinds of goods to show that it is for your benefit as well as ours to buy of us.

Orders can be sent by Telephone, Mail, or by any of our clerks, and they will receive careful attention and prompt delivery.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

25 School Street. 99-105 Water Street.

April 1. 2t

PIANO EXCELLENCE.

One of the most eminent German musical professors, in a recent visit to this country, after examining carefully all the leading makes of pianos, before selecting one on which to give a recital, pronounced the McPHAIL the sweetest, softest toned Piano he had ever played, and claimed that McPhail alone had the only perfect and exact proportioned scale of any American manufacturer.

59 Years of successful piano making may count for little, perhaps, but the universal endorsement and admiration of all the leading American and foreign professors of music, must mean something.

IF you contemplate the purchase of a piano, examine the McPhail Pianos at this store. Your square piano taken in trade. Time payments when desired.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Hancock St., Quincy.

SWITHIN BROS.

REAL ESTATE!

President's Hill.

President's Hill Annex.

Cranch Hill.

Choice Lots and Improved Property for Sale in West Quincy, Wollaston, South Quincy, Quincy Point, Quincy Centre.

Room 12, Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy.

IN DEFENCE OF 1892.

Ex-Councilman Moxon Writes on the Financial Issue.

Almeda, South Carolina,
March 30th, 1898.

Editors of Patriot and Daily Ledger:

While I am pleased to know that Ward Six has a representative in the City Council who is alive to the injustice which the payment of an unnecessarily large part of the city debt does to any given year, I can not entirely agree with your editorial in which you express the hope that the law will be found to permit the renewal of a part of that debt for the present year. This is not (as you say) a debt contracted for ordinary municpal purposes, but is on the contrary a debt contracted for specific purposes and is not a compulsory debt but one wholly within the discretion of the City Council to contract.

The present conditions are not the result of careless legislation, but are the deliberate action of the legislatives and executives which authorized them. It is entirely true that all legislature bodies not only empowered but are expected to amend or repeal the acts of their predecessors to suit new conditions, but it is also true that such action should not be taken when only temporary relief is needed, especially when it involves the setting up of an exceedingly bad precedent.

As I remember the status of Quincy's debt of this class, these extraordinary large payments end with the year 1899, and therefore will not affect the tax rate beyond that time, while to refund any part of this debt will at least serve to establish the act that a part of this debt may be postponed, which to say the least is a very unnecessary power to be placed in the hands of any legislative body.

Is it not much better to complete these unfortunate payments, trusting that this heroic remedy will forever make certain that this debt shall always be equitably distributed over the ten years provided by statute law. Reference to your files for 1892 and 1893 (which are the years in which most of those short-loans were made) will at once establish the fact, that this condition of the city debt is not at all accidental or he result of careless or hasty legislation, but was arrived at after due consideration in committee and sharp debate in open Council.

Yours truly,
S. O. MOXON.

The Herald's Spite.

The current number of the Forest Stream has the following editorial paragraph on the Quincy Yacht Club Challenge Cup.

The official publication of the declaration of trust of the Quincy Yacht club has proved true what we supposed from the first was the case that the Boston Herald for ends of its own, has deliberately mis-stated the facts concerning the origin and aim of this cup. Contrary to the Herald's direct statements at various times through the winter it is not an international cup, and in establishing it the Quincy Yacht club had no intention of superseding the Seawanhaka cup. In its efforts to discredit the latter club, the Herald has placed the former in a very false position.

At the present time the Herald, through motives of mere spite is engaged in the congenial task of trying to disrupt the Massachusetts Y. R. A., fortunately without the slightest prospect of success.

Adams Academy Schedule.

The Academy boys have taken advantage of the early season and have been practicing hard for two weeks. The outlook at present is very encouraging, several practice games have been played against picked teams composed of some of Quincy's fastest ball players and the Academy team has shown up well, especially in the last ones. The team will probably be composed as follows:—c., Manning; p., Taylor; 1b., Celley; 2b., Boyd; 3b., Appleton; s.s., Donaher; lf., Bennett; cf., Burchsted; rf., Kent.

The following schedule has been arranged:

April 9.	Dean Academy at Franklin.
April 11.	Milton High at Quincy.
April 15.	Brookline High at Brookline.
April 16.	Rox. Latin School at Quincy, A. M.
April 22.	Thayer Academy at Braintree.
April 23.	Powder Point School at Duxbury.
April 30.	M. I. T. 1900 at Quincy.
May 2.	Quincy High at Quincy.
May 6.	Thayer Academy at Quincy.
May 7.	Jogalong A. A. at Quincy.
May 11.	Milton Academy at Quincy.
May 13.	Thayer Academy at Braintree.
May 14.	Roxbury High at Quincy.
May 16.	Quincy High at Quincy.
May 18.	Frye School at Quincy.
May 20.	Thayer Academy at Quincy.
May 21.	Milton High at Milton.
June 3.	Thayer Academy at Braintree.
June 4.	Concord School at Quincy.
June 6.	Quincy High at Quincy.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

mar23-tf G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

☞ Eddy Refrigerators, use little ice, make lots of cold. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

NEW POSTMASTER.

Exit James F. Burke—Enter Charles L. Hammond.

Mr. Charles L. Hammond assumed his duties as Quincy's postmaster for the next four or more years this morning. Callers at the office would never know that there had been any change in postmasters, and letters were delivered on time as usual.

Both Mr. Hammond and Mr. Burke were on hand when the office opened and the latter gentleman turned over the government property to his successor, although he will be at the office for a few days finishing up his quarterly reports and assisting Mr. Hammond to familiarize himself with his new duties.

Mr. Burke has been an efficient and painstaking official and leaves the office with the good will of all business men and citizens, who do business at this office. A number of improvements have been made under Mr. Burke in the way of additional mails and the extension of the free delivery system and in looking back over the past four years he can do so with pride. Mr. Hammond is almost too well known to Quincy citizens to need any introduction, having served this district for three years in the Great and General court. He comes to the office with the determination to maintain the present standard of the office and to make all possible improvements in the service.

One of these improvements which will come within a few months will be the extension of the free delivery system to Atlantic and Wollaston, which will then include all the territory of Quincy. The plan as now outlined is to make Wollaston a distributing point and Atlantic a substation simillar to West Quincy. This plan Postmaster Hammond thinks will be in operation by July first, although it may be a month later.

Postmaster Hammond received a number of calls this morning from his friends, who congratulated him upon entering upon the duties of his new office, and wishing him all success.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The permanent members of the Fire Department have been supplied with new badges, the design being similar to that used by the Boston Fire Department. Chief Engineer Packard has had a steel die made for these badges and hereafter all badges for the permanent men will be made from this die.

In shape it resembles a maltese cross. In the centre on a circle are the words "Fire Department, Quincy" while on the bottom arm of the cross are the letters, "Mass." The badge worn by the engineer of the steamer has the letter "E" in the centre of the circle; that of the assistant engineer, the letters "A. E"; that of the superintendent of the fire alarm, the letters "Supt.," and those of the drivers are numbered from one upwards. The badges are made of German silver.

At the meeting of the Water Commissioners Thursday evening a number of minor extensions were voted. A contract for pipe for the year was also made at the rate of $19.00 per ton, which is about one dollar cheaper than last year. The first consignment of pipe ordered is for about 200 tons, and includes the sixteen-inch pipe that is to be used in connecting the Quincy system with the Metropolitan supply.

The joint Committee on Public Buildings and streets and the Committee on Finance meet tonight. The latter committee will consider the budget of the Fire Department.

The Water Commissioners have adopted a new rule which requires all applicants for service connections to deposit the sum of $10 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Also that any amount due the water department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Officer David J. Barry commenced today to do day duty in the Centre and Officer Nicol takes his place as night officer in the Centre.

Card of Thanks.

Editors of the Quincy Daily Ledger:

Would you kindly allow me a small space in your valuable columns to express my utmost gratitude by thanking the people of Wollaston Park and Norfolk Downs for their kindness shown to me and my family by word and deed during my affliction in the loss of my child under such painful and peculiar circumstances.

I assure them that their kindness will never be forgotten by me or my family.

ALEXANDER MACDONALD.
Wollaston Park, March 31, 1898.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Are you a regular reader of the Ledger?

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The East Weymouth polo team were easily defeated at the rinks Thursday night by the New Britian polo team by a score of 4 to 3. The playing of the visitors was fast and steady throughout, and although the home team put up their usual strong and fast game, they were somewhat out-classed.

Thursday was the closing night of fair given by the Ladies' social circle of the M. E. church, East Weymouth. An audience of about 250 witnessed the production of "Old Songs by Young People." The little ones were dressed in costume and presented a very pretty picture. All the songs were finely rendered and all numbers were received with great enthusiasm and applause. A quartette composed of Mrs. E. E. Orr, Mrs. W. H. Pratt, Mr. S. F. Pratt and Mr. Myron Ford assisted. And Miss Maud Townsend rendered several solos in her usual excellent manner.

The children who took part were: Miss Eliza R. Hunt, Miss Edith Burrell, Miss Marcia Litchfield, Master Ellsworth Garey, Master Chester Madan, Master Fred Purchase, Miss Blanche Bates.

The Ladies will realize a tidy sum from the fair which will meet the current expenses of the church and wish to thank all who aided in making the fair a success. Quite a number of out-of-town people were present.

Mr. C. H. Newton is out again, after being confined to the house for a few days.

"Koka kola" rehearsal at Hunt's hall tonight.

John Cuthbert Johnson died at the residence of Mrs. Francis Loud, on Commercial street, Thursday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, from the effect of a shock received Monday night. Mr. Johnson has been on the staff of teachers at the North High since February, and was dearly loved by all the pupils under his charge. Mr. Johnson received his early education in the public schools of Boston, going from the English High to Amherst College, from whence he was graduated in the class of '97. Mr. Johnson was about 22 years of age, and leaves a mother and host of friends.

The members and friends of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, are looking for a most pleasurable time Easter Monday night, the time set for the first ball of the Council. The arrangements for the ball have all been perfected, and it is expected that the occasion will be a gala one for all who will be as fortunate so to participate. The list of invited guests includes Mayor Sears, President Walter S. Pinkham of the City Council, Commissioner Charles F. Knowlton the State officers of the Knights of Columbus, gentlemen of the press and the heads of Quincy societies.

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Feb. 14. 1y

DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,
9 Spear Street, Quincy.

He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.

Oct. 30. tf

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The only Poultry Food composed of ground GRAINS, FISH and MEAT.

Prevents Disease.
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Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.

Quincy, March 30. 1m

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Fine Hardy Trees, Evergreens, Shrubs, Roses, Vines, and Herbaceous Plants, of all kinds, furnished to order, the proper planting and arrangement of which will be personally attended to if desired.

All orders will receive my careful personal attention.

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Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of the

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It is claimed that, while it has the required properties of ether, chloroform, nitrous oxide gas, it lacks the disagreeable and dangerous qualities of these drugs. It is certainly a boon to suffering humanity to be relieved of the nausea too often following the administering of sedatives of the old school.—Boston Transcript.

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There is nothing better than Morrill Tree Ink to catch the Canker Worm Moth, as it crawls up the trunk of the tree.

NOW IS THE TIME.

The month of March is the best time to catch the grubs and the cost is very small. Full directions on each can. Price:

2-Pound Can,	$	.30
3	" "	.45
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Quincy, March 9 pl tf

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WANTED—A good reliable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. THOMAS E. FURNALD at 17 Edward street.
Quincy, March 31. 3t

WANTED—A capable girl, good cook, for general housework. References. Apply to A. H. DOBLE CO.
Quincy, March 28. 6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

AGENTS WANTED—For War in Cuba, by Senor Quesada, Cuban representative at Washington. Endorsed by Cuban patriots. In tremendous demand. A bonanza for agents. Only $1.50. Big book, big commissions. Everybody wants the only endorsed, reliable book. Outfits free. Credit given. Freight paid. Drop all trash, and make $300 a month with War in Cuba. Address today. THE NATIONAL BOOK CONCERN, 352-356 Dearborn St., Chicago. marl-30t

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FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St.
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TO LET—A few nicely furnished rooms, with use of bath room, at No. 28 Chestnut street. Apply on the premises to MRS. PEVERLY
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March 31-3t plw

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House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 7 Granite street.
House, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
Double house, 8 rooms, No. 15 Brackett St.
Three tenements, No. 51 Howard street.
Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
Stable, 3 stalls, junction of School and Franklin streets.
Stable and shed, No. 28 Howard street.
Room No. 12 Washington street.
Wharf, sheds and office, Quincy Neck.
Basement, No. 11 Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
Gravel, sand and loam for sale.
For particulars inquire of or address
HENRY H. FAXON.
Quincy, March 15. 1m

R. D. CHASE QUINCY MASS.



Savings Bank Building, Quincy

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

SUSAN DUNPHY,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas J. Dunphy of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1898, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
April 1. 3t 1-8-11

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOSIAH RANDLETT,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by William E. Badger and Nellie B. Badger, of Quincy, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

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Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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April 1. 1-8-11



THE POWER BEHIND THE BRUSH

What is it—brain or brawn? Do you clean by main strength or do you use labor savers? Do you use *the best* labor saver? If you are undecided which *is* best try

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Mrs C. REYNOLDS.

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25 CTS PISO'S CURE FOR CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS. Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists. CONSUMPTION 25 CTS

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FRANK F. CRANE, Agent,
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Quincy, March 23. 1m

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Light and Dark Percales

Very Handsome,

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1500 Yards of

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At 5 cts. per yard.

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Valenciennes, Silk, Oriental, Torchon etc.

Our Prices are all right, as you will see if you will give us a call.

C. S. HUBBARD,

158 Hancock Street,

QUINCY.

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Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

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TWO TALES OF MURDER

Melancholy Man Took the Life of His Wife and Himself.

Solution of an Old Mystery In New Hampshire.

How a Box of Human Bones Came to Be In a Pond.

Boston, April 1.—Herbert R. Dickerman shot and killed his wife, Malvina, at their home in Brookline Thursday afternoon, and then killed himself with the same weapon.

Margaret Packard, the mother of Mrs. Dickerman, was the only person in the house at the time of the shooting, and hesitated to enter the room until some of the neighbors arrived. The door was finally burst open, and Mrs. Dickerman was discovered on her knees beside the bed with her head in her arm. She was quite dead, while a ghastly bullet hole in the back of her neck showed too plainly how death came. On the floor writhed her husband, alive, but unconscious, with the blood pouring from a terrible wound in the eye, while tightly clasped in his hand was the revolver that he had used with such fearful results. Dickerman died in about an hour without regaining consciousness, so that the circumstances surrounding the last few minutes of the life of both will never be known.

Mrs. Dickerman's mother stated to the police that for some time her son-in-law had appeared to be dull and morose, though for what reason she could not explain. The couple had been married about five years, and seemed to enjoy life to its utmost. Dickerman was somewhat older than his wife, being 34, while she was 26.

One of the best specialists in Boston on mental disorders had been treating Dickerman for melancholia for some time, and saw him yesterday morning. The deceased was treasurer of the Allston Baptist church for about eight years, and was one of the foremost members of the church, as was also Mrs. Dickerman.

Accused of a Brutal Murder.

Sanbornville, N. H., April 1.—William F. Nason, alias Peter Sharkley of this town, who was arrested several weeks ago and lodged in the Carrol county jail at Ossipee on the charge of larceny, now stands charged with murder, and this community is witnessing the unravelling of one of the deepest mysteries in eastern New Hampshire for years.

The alleged murderer has been confined in jail and prison on several charges, and received his sentence under the name of Sharkley. When he was arrested a short time ago on the charge of stealing a harness, he was given a term in the house of correction at Ossipee, and while there he claimed that the theft was committed by Frank Sherburne of this place. The fact was communicated to Sherburne, who made the startling statement to County Solicitor Foote that he could convict Sharkley of murder, and then told the story of the Lovell pond mystery in Ossipee.

Sherburne claims that he and Sharkley were at a road house when a stranger drove into the yard and asked where he could procure bait for fishing. The stranger bought drinks and displayed a large roll of bills. They went out with him to the pond, where, as Sherburne states, Sharkley hit the stranger with a large club. It is alleged that he then took an ax and cut him up, cutting the flesh from his bones. Afterwards the alleged murderer procured a box, in which he placed the bones, and wishing to destroy any possible evidence of the crime he deposited the box in the Lovell pond. Some time after, on Nov. 22, 1891, the box was found, and County Solicitor Foote attempted to solve the mystery. The county expended several thousand dollars trying to find a clue to the perpetrator of the crime. When the bones were first discovered it was thought they represented the remains of Hiram Sawtelle, who was murdered by his brother, but after that mystery was solved, the Lovell pond matter was dropped and no further search made for the murderer.

Nason claims that the crime was committed by Sherburne, and also implicates another Sanbornville man. The authorities have never been able to learn the name of the man who was murdered, but the bones will be produced in court. It is thought the man was about 40 years of age, was well dressed and had a large amount of money in his pockets.

One Sailor Lost.

Provincetown, Mass., April 1.—The three-masted schooner Willie H. Higgins, Captain Freeman, went ashore on Peaked Hill bar yesterday and is a total loss. Seven of her crew of eight men and the wife of the steward were taken off by the lifesaving crew, but Gilbert Gibbs of Providence, 51 years old, was washed overboard and lost just after the schooner struck the bar.

The Higgins was owned in Wellfleet, and was bound from Boothbay for New York with a cargo of ice. The run down to the cape was made in quick time, but just before sighting Highland light it shut in thick and blew hard from the northeast. When off the whistling buoy all the sails were blown from the bolt ropes and the schooner was blown ashore, going to pieces soon after the rescue.

Kicked and Lashed a Boy.

Fall River, Mass., April 1.—Andrew Carr, a farmer living in the outskirts of this city, was fined $100 in the district court for assault upon James F. Ryan, a 11-year-old boy in his employ. He took the boy from a Rhode Island institution last October. The boy bore the marks of kicks and a whip lash. Judge McDonough held that the evidence of guilt was sufficient, and that the offense was magnified by the fact that the boy is an orphan. An appeal was taken.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, APRIL 2.
Sun rises—5:25; sets, 6:11.
Moon rises—3:06 a. m.
High water—7:15 a .m.; 8 p. m.

The weather now promises to continue fair through Saturday, with seasonable temperatures.

BOSTON OPINION.

Advertiser Enunciates the Fixed Purpose of This Country.

Boston, April 1.—"Amid all the uncertainty in which this Spanish embroglio is involved," The Advertiser notes, "it is exceedingly fortunate that one great truth is clear as the sunlight and as firm as a rock. Cuba must be free. • • This christian nation is at length aroused throughout its length and breadth by the highest and purest impulses which can impel a people to action, guided by sanctified reason. The resolve has at length become fixed and imperative that the torture, slaughter and nameless outrages inflicted, systematically, with the knowledge and full consent and in large degree by the express command of Spain upon women, children, old men, the sick and other non-combatants throughout the island, shall cease, at once and forever. The only question is as to the means for putting into effect this righteous determination."

"Personal sympathy on the part of certain monarchs of Europe is one thing; a united effort to hinder by mediation the coming inevitable is another and quite a different thing," remarks The Globe. "Ingenious demurs and diplomatic evasions, appeal to European powers and attempted cajoling of America—in all these things the trained diplomats of Spain are adepts among the adept When confronted, however, by a plain question and unmistakable 'United States English,' even Madrid cannot long avoid a definite and conclusive answer."

"There can be no equivocation, no compromise," The Journal insists. "Spain must give a definite yes or no to President McKinley's ultimatum. The time for amended propositions has gone by. Anything short of an acceptance of our demands is tantamount to a refusal of it. The American people will tolerate no halfway measures. Spain merely wastes time in suggesting it, and the United States government will not waste time in giving it consideration."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 1.—The senate yesterday passed the gypsy moth appropriation of $180,000 after an extended debate. Other important matters acted upon were the indorsement of the Lynn sewer construction and the receipt of a bill from the committee on military affairs relating to staff officers.

The house passed the bill to prevent women and minors in manufacturing establishments from working overtime to make up time lost through the stopping of machinery, but did not finish the debate on the bill to place the telephone business under the supervision of the gas and electric light commissioners.

The house received from the committee on labor a bill which would prohibit any employe from working more than 60 hours a week in a bakery for bread, biscuit or cake, or any woman or minor under 18 more than 58 hours. The bill contains provisions for light and clean floors, good drainage and plumbing, and general healthfulness.

The judiciary committee reported to the house a bill which has been rejected by several legislatures. It would give the unclaimed bodies of persons who die in public institutions, and would be buried at public expense, to medical schools for dissection.

The committee on labor reported ought to pass on the bill authorizing city councils and boards of selectmen to grant, at their discretion, half holidays, without loss of pay, to public employes of all classes.

The bill to prohibit the imposition of fines and deduction of wages of weavers was referred to the next general court.

The resolve was ordered to a third reading providing for the establishment of an electric light plant at the state prison.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Thomas Sullivan, 17 years old, an errand boy, was crushed in a freight elevator in Providence and killed. He was in the act of entering the elevator at the time.

The senate yesterday confirmed these nominations of postmasters: John E. Sawyer, Methuen, Mass.; W. J. Wallace, Norwood, Mass.; M. H. Moody, Waterbury, Vt.

Paul Johnson of New London, Conn., a dipperman with the Hartford Dredging company, was drowned at Westerly, R. I. He was riding a bicycle on a narrow scow and fell into the water.

"Tommy" White of Chicago and George Dixon of Boston, the ex-champion featherweight of the world, fought a 20-round draw in Syracuse last night. White had the advantage of reach and made the most of it.

Lieutenant Colonel Benedicto, who commanded the Spanish forces which killed the insurgent leader, Aranguren, was wounded by a revolver shot in the back while visiting in Guanabacoa. A colored man who fired the shot succeeded in escaping.

The sum of $1,000,000, or so much as may be necessary, has been appropriated in New York for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the national guard, naval militia and volunteers when called into service for the public defense on the request or requisition of the president.

During the thick northeast storm the two-masted schooner Break of Day, while running into Nantasket roads for a harbor, went ashore at noon yesterday on Point Allerton. The vessel pounded on the beach until hauled off by a tug and brought up to the city. In the meantime her four men were taken off by the crew of the Hull lifesaving station. The schooner was bound from Kennebec river to New York with a cargo of feldspar.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	6	4:35 p. m.	New Moon	20	5:37 p. m.
Third Quarter	13	9:44 a. m.	First Quarter	28	9:21 p. m.

IS HER POSITION EQUIVOCAL?

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danger of flying splinters in case of action. The officers sent their personal valuables and belongings to be stored on shore.

The Castine and two torpedo boats left their anchorages after dark last night and steamed to the southward, where they patrolled until daylight. This precaution was ordered by Captain Sampson. He is particularly anxious to watch closely the Havana entrance to this harbor, and also to afford additional safety for the Iowa, Indiana and New York, which lie unprotected six miles out. The naval station officials have received orders to overhaul their marine engineering stock so that it could be used instantly in case of emergency. The establishment of a patrol is considered by the few who know of it as most significant. The entire fleet is now in readiness to move at 15 minutes notice, but no movement is expected to occur until Saturday or later.

Strength of the Militia.

Washington, April 1.—The authorized strength of the militia of the entire country, which includes several states where this strength is not limited, is 186,848, while the aggregate actual strength is 113,760, made up as follows: Infantry, 100,179; artillery, 5055; cavalry, 4978; special troops, 2270; generals and staff officers, 878; non-commissioned staff officers, 400. The total number of men liable to military duty in the country is 10,378,118. State appropriations made for the maintenance of the militia in 1897 amounted to $2,723,564.

Senator Hawleys bill for the reorganization of the military force of the United States provides for an organized and a reserve militia, the latter to consist of all male citizens between 18 and 45 years of age who are not included in the organized corps or engaged in certain exempted callings.

Bryan For Intervention.

Lincoln, Neb., April 1.—W. J. Bryan last night made the following statement for the Associated Press in answer to the question whether in his judgment the time has arrived for the United States to intervene in behalf of Cuba and bring the war to an end:

"Yes, the time for intervention has arrived. Humanity demands that we shall act. Cuba lies almost within sight of our shores, and the sufferings of her people cannot be ignored unless we, as a nation, have become so engrossed in money making as to be indifference to distress. Intervention may be accompanied by danger and expense, but existence cannot be separated from responsibility, and responsibility sometimes leads a nation as well as an individual into danger. A neighbor must sometimes incur danger for a neighbor and a friend for a friend."

To Build Torpedo Boats.

Boston, April 1.—A special to The Globe from Bristol, R. I., states that it is reported on high authority that John B. Herreshoff, head of the great shipbuildng firm there, has presented to Secretary Long plans drawn by his brother for 10 torpedo boat destroyers at $300,000 each, guaranteed to make a speed of not less than 32 knots, the fastest in the world. It is also stated that the secretary has practically concluded to let the Herreshoffs build the boats in case his recommendation is approved by the president.

Sigsbee's Personal Opinion.

Washington, April 1.—Captain Sigsbee and Captain Barker were before the senate committee on foreign relations yesterday. Both were examined in detail in regard to the condition and strength of our navy in the vicinity of Havana, and Captain Sigsbee was questioned as to his opinion and knowledge of the Maine catastrophe. He did not express a conviction in so many words that the disaster was the result of treachery on the part of the Spanish, but after the committee had concluded its hearing one of its members expressed his belief that the explosion was due to that agency. The purpose in taking the testimony of these officers is to incorporate their statements in a report the committee will make in case it finds it necessary to report a resolution for intervention. This report will be in the nature of a statement to the country justifying the position taken.



CAPTAIN SIGSBEE.

When the report that Spain had rejected the proposals of the United States was brought to the attention of the committee, Senator Davis went to the senate chamber and asked that there should be no adjournment until Monday as had been contemplated. This led to the surmise that in case the report of Spain's refusal should be verified, the committee might bring in its report today. It was stated later, however, that the committee had not changed its plans and that it probably would wait upon the president at least until Monday, if he should so desire.

Feeling In Madrid.

Madrid, April 1.—At the conference between the premier and the leaders of the dissident conservatives, Mr. Sagasta unfolded the terms proposed by Minister Woodford, and he was councelled to reject them. The premier replied that, personally, he was not disposed to accede to them. He added that he would like to submit the question of the loss of the Maine, which was not touched upon at his conference with General Woodford, to the European powers.

The feeling in Madrid is pessimistic. The newspapers are ignorant of the actual proposals of the United States and are urging no surrender. The Liberal says: "The moment of the denoument (solution of the crisis) has drawn much nearer. There may yet be found means to delay matters, but we doubt it. We ought to apply ourselves to obtain a gain of time, or heartily devote ourselves to the contrary. In our opinion it would be acceptable, even preferable, to accept any extreme measure which would cut the knot if we failed to untie it. The situation is such that by avoiding an external struggle we may fall into a still graver one, namely an internal upheaval."

The Pais characterizes the statement regarding the reconcentrados in Cuba as a fable, and declares that the United States could not intervene without provoking the protests of Europe, nor seize the Maine disaster as a pretext for war without scandalizing the world; therefore, the government had "adopted humanitarianism as a means to cloak its sinister designs."

The semi-official Globe says it is the general opinion that "we are approaching rapidly the end of the struggle. Forwarned against evil, we, nevertheless, still hope for the best."

Half a Million For Relief.

Washington, April 1.—Representative Wheeler introduced a bill yesterday appropriating $500,000 to purchase provisions for the use of the Cuban noncombatants, and directing the president to cause them to be conveyed at once to the starving people and to use as much of the military and naval forces as necessary to attain this purpose. It also directs the president to notify the Spanish government that this proceeding is an act of humanity and not intended as an act of war.

May Escape Imprisonment.

Paris, April 1.—The court of cassation yesterday commenced the hearing in the appeal of Emile Zola against the sentence of one year's imprisonment and 3000 francs fine imposed upon him Feb. 23 after he had been convicted of making libelous charges against the conduct of the Esterhazy courtmartial which was an outcome of the attempt to prove that Alfred Dreyfus, condemned to imprisonment for life for betraying French military secrets to a foreign power, should have a new trial.

Councillor Chambareaud, who was appointed to examine the arguments, reported in favor of Zola's main plea, namely that his trial had been irregular because the suit was brought by the minister for war instead of the president of the courtmartial which Mr. Zola had libelled. If the court, as is probable, accepts Chambareaud's report, the case will not be retried. The condemnation will remain, but the sentence will not be executed. This result is believed to be acceptable to the government, as it is hoped it will stop the agitation on the subject.

Self Sanctified.



The way Mr. Lushley feels when he doesn't drink for three days.—New York Journal.

Give the Children a Drink

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All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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12 abc		3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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The Social Realm.

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Grows red beneath our northern skies;
Once when October lights the lea
With splendid Tyrian dyes,
And once when April and the bee
First greet us with their glad surprise,
And on the budding twigs we see
The first faint color rise.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Morton of Spear street entertained the Friday Whist club last evening.

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Miss Mary B. Souther of Dorchester and Mr. Arthur T. Southard of Brooklyn, New York, were married on Wednesday.

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The Compass Whist club met for the last time of the present season with Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Priest, Tuesday evening. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Charles R. Safford and Mrs. R. H. Wilde, Mr. Alonzo Priest and Mr. R. H. Wilde. The medals for the best total score for the season were awarded to Mrs. Harry W. Read and Mr. Charles L. Coe.

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Millinery openings will attract the fair sex next week.

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Henry H. Faxon contributes the prizes this year for the anual prize speaking at the High school, and Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., gives the prizes for essays and translations. There will be thirteen contestants for the speaking prizes.

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Miss Ruth Newcomb has gone to Saugus to spend her school vacation and will attend a quilting party among friends there.

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A good many will miss Mr. C. A. Hanson, the faithful drug clerk who so long lived in Quincy and who worked so many years for Joseph S. Whall. Mr. Hanson in a quiet way made a good many friends and they wish him success in his change from Quincy to Chelsea.

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Mrs. L. A. Bassett of Walker street entertained a number of her lady friends at her home last Saturday afternoon and a very pleasant time was enjoyed. Whist was played and a very dainty luncheon served.

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Mrs. R. Elmer Morrison of Braintree has been stopping in Quincy during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon in Washington.

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Mr. Otho Hayward of Coddington street has purhased a handsome tandem and soon Mr. and Mrs. Hayward will be enjoying the pleasures of bicycle riding.

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Wednesday evening was a gala night for the little people of Atlantic, it being the closing reception of Miss Minnie M. Rodger's dancing class. The matrons were Mrs. Roger H. Wilde, Mrs. Harry W. Read, Mrs. James Curtin and Mrs. Jenkins. The costumes of the little ones were very pretty and their dancing was wonderful for such tots.

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Miss Erminia Kolb has returned to Atlantic, from New York, where she has been spending a week with friends.

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The regular monthly reception given by Rev. J. H. Whitaker at his rooms No. 21 Billings street, comes Tuesday, April 5, from 2 to 5 o'clock and from 7.30 to 10.30 o'clock. Everyone will be very welcome.

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The second dancing party for children and young people, to be held at Faxon hall, Quincy on Patriots' day, will be matronized by the following well-known ladies: Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater, Mrs. R. R. Freeman Mrs. J. C. Morse, Mrs. F. F. Prescott, Mrs. C. C. Hearn, Mrs. J F. Curtis.

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Miss Monk and Miss Vining o Braintree, started last night for Washington where they will remain eight days.

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The Monatiquot whist club of Braintree, met last evening at the home of Mr. Frederick Manning on Hollis avenue.

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White shirt waists will be the popular waist this summer with colored ascot or Roman ties.

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Fannie and Linnie Adams of Cambridgeport were guests of Edith Greenerd this week. Miss Margie Cleaves of Maine is also making a short visit with Miss Greenerd.

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Miss Susan Ross of Wollaston has returned from a visit at Brockton.

Miss Nellie Mitchell is enjoying the spring recess of Smith college.

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Miss Grace Burke and Miss Clara L. Baxter are home from Vassar for two weeks.

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Miss Alice Keith Prescott returned from Smith college on Wednesday for a two weeks' vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Howland entertained a large gathering of friends on Wednesday evening.

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Miss Clara Graham won the prize at the meeting of the Fortnightly whist club on Tuesday afternoon.

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Miss Bessie Kendrick of East Milton is to dance a solo in the Spanish dance at the pagenant at Music hall on the 13th.

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A great many of the pretty little dancers at Wollaston are to dance in some of the fancy dances at the pageant.

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Vesper services will be held at First church on Sunday at four o'clock with special music. Preparation is also being made for some fine music on Easter Sunday.

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Mr. Charles G. Schirmer is coming out tonight to the rehearsal for the "New World." He is to do his special ballet and song in the fourth scene of the first act in the historical pageant.

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Mrs. Samuel Crane, Mrs. James H. Stetson, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Wilson Tisdale are a committee on a matinee to be given in aid of the Fragment society at Colonial hall on Thursday afternoon, April 7th. A large gathering is expected.

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Mrs. Susan Clark whose singing was so much enjoyed last Sunday at the First Universalist church at Weymouth is related to the Arnolds and Eldridges of Quincy Neck, her maiden name was Susan Arnold, and she lived in Quincy until she went abroad. She sang before royalty; received a medal for elocution from Sir Henry Irving and from Sir George Macfarren and has been a great success.

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There was a very pretty wedding on Thursday at the summer residence of Mrs. Anna L. Robbins a West Harwich on the Cape, when her charming granddaughter, Miss Anna Olmsted and Mr. John A. Phinney, a prominent business man of Barnstable, were united in marriage by the Rev. Walter A. A. Gardner, rector of the Church of the Holy Comforter of New York city. Miss Margaret E. Olmsted of Quincy was maid of honor and Mr. Frank B. Weaver of Boston best man. The bride was very becomingly attired in white taffeta silk, trimmed with mousseline de soie and wore the orange blossoms which had adorned her mother on her wedding day. The maid of honor looked very pretty in a figured organdie over yellow. Relatives and friends were present from Boston, Cambridge, Quincy, Wellesley and near by towns. Mr. and Mrs Phinney will be at home at Barnstable after April 10.

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The first ball under the auspices of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, will without doubt be the grandest event in Catholic circles in recent years. The preparations have been ample and presages a most enjoyable and successful time.

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A Correspondent Who Does Not Hold Spaniards Responsible.

Editors of the Quincy Ledger: I desire to call attention to a point or two which have not been, it seems to me, sufficiently considered in the Maine controversy.

The month of Havana Harbor is forty-two hundred feet long, and nine hundred feet wide. It is lined on both shores with fortifications. Many of the guns are obsolete and useless; but there is more than a respectable number of the latest, most improved and effective patterns. A hostile vessel attempting to enter Havana Harbor, therefore, must run nearer to the batteries on one side or the other than half the distance from your office to City Hall. If additional protection was required by way of sub-marine mines the obvious place to put them would be in this narrow channel. If you want to keep flies out of a bottle you would put a stopper in the mouth; you would not go to the trouble of filling the bottle with sand or water.

Let me illustrate by Boston Harbor. If sub-marine mines were to be planted for its protection, where would they be placed? Evidently, at the harbor entrance, where the batterie are. In the Narrows, and Broad Sound; in the channels through which hostile vessels must pass. Nobody would think of protecting our harbor by placing mines on the back side of East Boston, at the Chelsea end of Chelsea Ferry, in Quincy Bay near the Sailors' Home or opposite Mr. Federhen's wharf in Town River.

Yet, if anybody will look at the plan of Havana Harbor he will see that the place of anchorage of the Maine, in respect to that harbor and its defence, was practically the same as either of these places I have mentioned respecting Boston Harbor. A vessel anchored off of the Mystic wharves would be almost precisely in the position of the Maine in Havana. The report of the Court of Inquiry, to the contrary notwithstanding. I have met nobody familiar with Havana who believes there was any sub-marine mine there.

That the Maine was blown up externally, I think, may be true; but that Spaniards are responsible for it is simply inecredible. Spain and her people want peace with this country. To destroy an American warship was to invite the war they desire above all things to avoid. They exaggerate, rather than underestimate the extent, power, resources and wealth of the United States. Nor do the Spanish people hate us. Exceptional civilities and courtesies extended to me in Spain were always explained by grumbling English and French friends by the fact that I was an American. One man's experience is of little value in such a matter. But I have met a good many people who have travelled in Spain without finding one whose experience differed from mine. In fact, the average Spaniard is not only friendly to, but proud of this country. He epitomizes his opinion by saying, "It is the country Columbus made." And he knows quite as much about the United States as some of our Senators and Representatives know about Spain. No Spaniard is so stupid as to make such statements as the Honorable Senator from Illinois, — known in Chicago as "Billy Mason"—made in his speech a day or two ago.

It is for the interest of the Cubans to have war between Spain and this country; and knowing something about Spain and Cuba, from a good deal of reading and a little personal experience, I believe, if the Maine was blown up it was the act of the insurgents. If our people, instead of making up their minds from sensational newspaper reports, will take the trouble to read Richard H. Dana's "Vacation Voyage," or James W. Steele's "Sketches in Cuba" or the writings of any author who has given sufficient time to understand the conditions in that island they will get a better idea of the question.

JAMES H. SLADE.

Ninety-First Psalm.

At the Vespers in the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday, April 3, at 4 o'clock, will be performed Ballard's Ninety-first Psalm, by a chorus of thirty voices, assisted by the following soloists:

Mrs. Frank A. Page,	Soprano.
Mrs. F. S. Rogers,	Contralto.
Mr. A. B. Moorhouse,	Tenor.
Mr. Charles F. Wilde, and an orchestra.	Bass.
Mrs. Amos Leavitt,	Organist.
Mr. Eugene DeNormandie,	Conductor.

—Street railways in Massachusetts are not all paying property. Fifty out of the 90 companies paid dividends last year, but 43 dispelled the illuson that a street railway laid down anywhere will prove a good investment.—Worcester West Chronicle.

HOUR FOR STRIKING NEARLY COME.

Spain's Unsatisfactory Answer Decides the Issue.

The Question of Peace or War Rests With Congress.

That Body to Hear Monday, Probably, From the President.

Respite of a Few Days From Congressional Action Desired by the President, but Ultimatum Was Given That Time For Decisive Action Had Arrived—Statement Concerning Confidential Communications From Insurgent Sources.

Washington, April 2.—President McKinley has reached the end of the road in his diplomatic negotiations with Spain. Whatever action is taken now must be taken by congress, and to congress the whole matter will be referred in a message which the president is preparing. This message will probably be issued Monday. It could not go in before then, because neither house nor senate was in session today. It will hardly be held beyond Monday, because the president was informed yesterday morning that congress could not be held beyond that day.

The members of the foreign relations committee called at the White House yesterday morning. The president asked them if it would not be possible to keep congress patient a week longer, so that he might have ample time to prepare an elaborate message. He was told that this was impossible, but that it might be possible to restrain congress until Wednesday or Thursday. They went to the capitol and informed their colleagues of what they had said. The proposition was not favorably received, and the chairman of the committee was requested to go back and tell the president that it would not do to delay beyond Monday, and that unless a message were received by that time congress would surely take the matter into its own hands.

It was evident that President McKinley was indulging what seemed like a forlorn hope in thinking that he could induce these men to give him the time necessary to arrange a peaceful settlement.

"If I had 30 days," he is quoted as having said, "I feel that I could make an honorable and peaceful conclusion of the whole matter."

But three days are all that the president has now, and it certainly seems unlikely that he can get any more on what is really an expectation that cannot be put into very tangible shape. He is known to have received confidential information, unofficially, but directly, which indicates to his mind that General Gomez and the other leaders of the insurgents in the field, who are the real Cuban leaders, rather than the men representing them in Washington and New York, do not desire armed intervention by the United States, much less a declaration of war against Spain, nor even immediately a recognition of the independence of Cuba, although they will be ready for that shortly.

It is difficult to get at the explanation of this fact, as the president's information on this point is zealously guarded, but as nearly as those to whom he has talked about it can judge, some attempt is on foot to make an agreement between the Cuban insurgents and the Cuban autonomists, which will bring the great majority of the people in Cuba to the point of declaring that they desire independence, and so will take away officially the force of the statement made in the appeal to the president, submitted by representatives of the Cuban autonomists, that the majority of the people in Cuba do not sympathize with the insurgents. The president, in addition to this, has information which induces him to believe that upon such a showing as might be made by such a combination Spain would be, as she intimated in her counter proposition, willing to accept the vote of the Cuban parliament to be elected next month and to meet on the 4th of May.

Now that congressmen are face to face with the situation which they have so ardently desired, already one sees they are impressed with their responsibility, and a very much more conservative spirit was manifested this morning than was apparent yesterday. Twenty-four hours ago a majority of the members of both houses were clamoring for action by the president, and were openly complaining that unless he took such action by next Monday they would force his hand. They talked freely of war, they declared that war was necessary to secure Cuban independence, and that they were willing to vote for it unless Spain of her own volition gave to the Cubans the possession of their own island. Today they talked much more soberly. They are already impressed by all that may follow a declaration of war Many of them admit today, as they have never admitted before, that war with Spain will not be a mere naval parade or a bloodless encounter. They know it will mean the sacrifice of many lives, the destruction perhaps of some of our best warships, the expenditure of many millions of dollars.
lions of dollars. All these things cause them to stop and think.

While the spirit of congress is still loudly for war; while a majority of both houses are still heard declaring in favor of fighting Spain unless she voluntarily yields, it is significant that even those men who advocate war express their regret that hostilities cannot be averted. If on Monday the announcement should come from the White House that the president had decided to give Spain still further time it would not create as much surprise in Washington as it undoubtedly will throughout the country.

The cabinet meeting in the morning was unquestionably the most important held in many years. It received Spain's answer to the ultimatum of this government and, finding it unsatisfactory, practically decided upon a policy which seems certain to involve hostilities. The question is now under earnest consideration of what should be the particular form our policy shall take in bringing to an end the horrors in Cuba and securing the independence of the island. Propositions ranging from a simple recognition of Cuban independence to a straight-out declaration of war have been urged at the capitol, but there is hardly a doubt that the majority of congress await the executive lead before taking action and are disposed to adopt Mr. McKinley's suggestion on this point. It is thought that any of the resolutions except possibly simple recognition of independence would lead to war.

There were of course all sorts of rumors in circulation, including reports of mediation by some European powers, but such a suggestion has not come to this government. In response to a direct question, Assistant Secretary Day said that there had been no offer of mediation by any foreign government.

Both sides regard the issue as made up, with no likelihood of further negotiations between now and the time when the president will submit the whole case to congress. The United States has presented its demand, and Spain has given her answer, in substance as follows: It proposes to confide the preparation for an honorable and stable peace to the insular parliament, without whose concurrence the Spanish government would not be able to arrive at the final result, being understood that the powers reserved by the constitution to the central government are not lessened or diminished. As the Cuban chambers will not meet until May, the Spanish government will not, on its part, object to a suspension of hostilities, if asked for by the insurgents from the general-in-chief, to whom it will belong to determine the duration and the condition of the suspension. Thus the case stands. From the Spanish standpoint, there is the same disposition as that shown by the authorities here to regard the issue as made up. The answer of Spain is looked upon as the limit of concession which Madrid will grant. If there is to be another move, the Spanish government looks to the United States to make it. This at least is the situation as it presents itself to those best informed in Washington. Of course it cannot be foretold what Madrid will do in the stress of circumstances within the next two days, but those best able to judge do not expect any further move from Madrid, as they say that Spain has reached the limit of her concessions.

While this brings a halt to the active negotiations which have been in progress for the last few days, it does not mean that diplomatic relations between the two countries are terminated, for such a step is the last preliminary before an actual state of war. United States Minister Woodford remains at his post in Madrid, and is said to be entirely safe from harm. The Spanish minister, Polo y Bernabe, also remains at his post in Washington. The critical condition of affairs within recent days has led him and his staff to consider what disposition of their effects would be made in case their position there became untenable. The Spanish minister has naturally been the center in the exciting interests of the day. He is fully conscious of the gravity of the situation and, while expressing hope for peace, speaks to his friends of the eventualities which may come. To one of them he said that he could not believe that two nations made up of calm and sensible people would rush into untold horrors of war. He added that it would be a wicked and cruel crime for this result to be precipitated.

If it be true that the pope is seeking to exercise pacific influences by inducing Spain and the insurgents to accept an armistice in Cuba, he has not given any instructions of information along this line to Mgr. Martinelli, the papal delegate at Washington. The latter has taken no step toward mediation. It has been reported that one of the archbishops of the Catholic church in the course of an informal conversation with high officials here, suggested the mediation of the pope. This, however, was unofficial, and no authorized proposition of any character has come from Rome. Furthermore, there is little reason to believe the administration would receive with favor any proposition of this character from a foreign source.

Sharp Words Exchanged.

Washington, April 2.—Senator Lodge discovered a strong sentiment in the senate against acquiring Denmark's possession in the West Indies, and decided practically to withdraw the proposition. He opened the proceedings in the secret session yesterday with a general statement concerning the advantages of controlling the islands. He argued that this country should own them because of contiguity to our own shores and for strategic purposes, going over much of the ground covered in his report.

Sharp words were exchanged in animated debate over the policy of bringing in a proposition liable to divide the most all the speakers considered probable. Many speeches were made on this line, and some went so far as to intimate that an advantage had been taken of the situation to press a proposition which they considered questionable, with the hope that the senate, in its patriotic desire to support the president at a critical time, would consider the matter favorably now; whereas it would not do so in a time of quiet.

Senators Gorman and Pettigrew were among those who took this position. Mr. Gorman referred to the recent unanimous action of congress in entrusting the vast sum of $50,000,000 to the president for his expenditure in maintaining the dignity of the country, and said that since the days of Washington such confidence had not been imposed in a chief executive of the nation. While this was a great trust it carried with it a vast responsibility. So far the legislative branch of the government had been united in support of the executive. It was evidently impossible to preserve this cohesion in support of the proposition, and he counselled that it not be pressed.

Senator Pettigrew was willing to support the administration in reasonable and just measures in preparation for what appeared an inevitable war, but he did not intend because of his loyalty in this respect to be induced to give his ahherence to a measure that did not appeal to his own judgment. The islands were fully 1500 miles from our coast, and to attempt to acquire them now would be in violation of our policy of not annexing territory which is not contiguous.

Serious Unpreparedness.

Washington, April 2.—Senator McMillan, who has been in consultation with the White House two or three times a day ever since the situation became crucial, made the following statement yesterday afternoon: "The president is flatfooted on the proposition that Spain must move out bodily. He also knows absolutely that Spain cannot, or at least will not, consent to this complete abandonment. That means war. The president squarely faces that. He is not ready; he recognizes a certain serious unpreparedness. McKinley feels he would be guilty of great negligence if the deficiencies be not made good before we are plunged into war. Had he not felt so matters would have been advanced to a point where the United States could have stopped the coming of the torpedo flotilla. This will manifest itself Monday or Tuesday when the naval and military committees in the house and senate will support the president. The committees will be given information which the members should know that will have a tendency to sober them up a bit.

"Unless the president has been compelled to change his mind by circumstances," continued the senator, "he intends to follow with an ultimatum. On Monday or Tuesday he will submit a history of all steps, as I understood it, and will recommend the recognition of independence. This will lead to war, but not necessarily at once. The president may ask that he be permitted to conduct further negotiations on these lines. It will be plain to all that the negotiations can only lead to war, but the men who will advocate that the president be permitted to continue his correspondence with Spain will make it plain that a little delay is a good thing for us as well as Spain."

Autonomists Ask For Peace.

Washington, April 2.—President Galvez of the "honorable government of Cuba" says in an appeal to President McKinley. "The honorable government of Cuba hopes that the president of the United States, faithful to the noble traditions of the great North American republic, will consider and respect the rights of the Cuban people, not permitting violence to prevail; it also hopes that he will contribute by powerful action to the re-establishment of peace in Cuba under the sovereignty of the mother country, and with a home rule government equal for all, and which might be still improved so as to inspire the confidence of everyone. The home rule government of this island, which is a Cuban government, protests energetically against the falsehoods of a part of the American press, published with the malignant intention of firing passions, making it appear that injustice and brutal force reign in Cuba and that home rule has failed before even the colonial parliament has taken its seat, and when experience cannot yet tell whether the new regime will answer or not. There is no good faith in these stories. As was said by the immortal Washington, 'honesty is the best policy.' The Cuban parliament is about to meet, and both the spirit of America and the principles of right demand respect for the will of the majority of the people."

The Flying Squadron.

Washington, April 2.—The flying squadron is to remain in Hampton roads for the present at least. This announcement is made by Secretary Long, and sets at rest the reports that a movement of the squadron was imminent. The secretary believes that the present rendezvous of the squadron is the most available one from which the ships under Commodore Schley can operate in carrying out the purpose for which it was formed, that is, the protection of the north Atlantic seaboard.

The department discussed the question of ordering the ships to sea, presumably, though not officially stated, in connection with the approach of the Spanish flotilla, which has reached Porto Rico. It has been an open secret that the naval authorities have regarded the approach of the Spanish flotilla with apprehension. After considering the matter, however, it was decided that no orders would be issued looking to the movement of the squadron. While the decision is understood to have been based primarily upon the fact that it would be unwise to remove the ships from their strategic position, yet it is believed that diplomatic considerations also had some weight. It was ponted out that the sending of the squadron in the direction of the West Indies, even through its mission were not to intercept the flotilla, would be regarded as a hostile act not warranted by the present condition of affair. It is also understood that it was deemed wise not to permit any movement of the flying squadron whatever just at present, as public interest being so largely centered upon it, such a movement would be liable to misconstruction and give rise to rumors which would tend only to aggravate the situation.

Supplementing the action by the navy department in requesting governors of states to drill and equip the naval militia so as to be ready for any emergency, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt has sent letters to the governors of those seacoast states not having such organizations to take steps looking to the formation of naval militia so far as is possible under the state laws. It is hoped that these states will promptly acquiesce in the department's request.

Open Letter to Phelps.

New York, April 2.—A high authority on international law, Charles H. Butler, has issued an open letter to ex-Minister E. J. Phelps in response to the public letter on the Cuban question recently written by the latter to ex-Governor Morton. Mr. Butler denies the contention of Mr. Phelps, that it is a recognized canon of international law that nothing but a nation's interest or honor justifies interference in the affairs of another nation, and quotes authorities to support his view. "Grotius," says Mr. Butler, "first admitted that humanity and civilization were important elements in national affairs, and Maine tells us how his then novel volume resulted in the suspension of Louis XIV's famous order of refusal of quarter to the Dutch, because all the powers of that day had experienced a realizing sense that war must not be necessarily cruel, and that they had a right to be heard even if not involved. Vattel, in the last century, held that a foreign power has a right to succor an oppressed people who implore its assistance when from good reasons they take up arms against an oppressor, and that 'it is but an act of justice and generosity to assist brave men in the defense of their liberties.' "

The Time to Strike.

Washington, April 2.—During the house proceedings Friday Mr. Dearmond (Dem., Mo.) got the floor for a speech that attracted much attention. He called upon the administration to take the aggressive. The Maine, he said, had been blown up in a harbor supposed to be friendly. There is great danger now in trusting to diplomacy rather than to our own strong arm. The great question now is to stop the hostile fleet approaching our shores. If we are depending upon diplomacy it will prove a broken reed. The best protection at such a time is aggression, not to wait idly, resting upon hopes that have no foundation. He declared that we should strike while we had the advantage.

"Let us protect ourselves," advised Mr. DeArmond, "by striking before we are stricken. Let us not wait. We have waited too long. It has seemed to me that it is hardly wise for this government, when the need for immediate action with reference to the present emergency exists, to provide for a distant future when, perhaps, that provision will be needless. The danger to be provided against is the danger which menaces us now. Every hour and every minute across the waters of the Atlantic is coming that danger. Every hour and every minute it is closer to us, and every hour and every minute we are less secure in consequence of it."

After several hours of wrangling, during which all sorts of amendments were offered and voted down, and many speeches were made, a vote was taken upon a motion to reduce the number of battleships to one and to increase the torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers to 12 of each. It was defeated, 78 to 124. An amendment for 24 torpedo boats and destroyers prevailed.

Two Warships Sail.

Havana, April 2.—The Spanish warships Vizcaya and Almirante Oquendo left Havana yesterday afternoon. Immense crowds gathered on the wharves and cheered the ironclads as they steamed away. Rear Admiral Landeras, who relieved Admiral Navarro as Spanish naval commander in these waters, is on board the Vizcaya.

Pope Suggests an Armistice.

Madrid, April 2.—The latest phase of the situation is a report that the pope is urging Spain to offer an armistice, and also that his holiness urges the insurgents to accept it.

The note which was transmitted to Washington, in addition to the proposition in regard to an armistice and the concentrados, expresses regret "at the accident to the Maine in Spanish waters," and offers to arbitrate the matter.

Will Save Their Pensions.

Washington, April 2.—The Chickering general bill declaring that enlistment in either army or navy will not deprive veterans of pensions for previous service has been agreed to in the house committee on invalid pensions with the following amendment: "And all persons who served in the Confederate army during the late civil war, who shall hereafter serve in the army or navy of the United States for at least 90 days, shall be entitled to benefits of the act of June 27, 1890, and pensionable thereunder if shown to be unable to perform manual labor and dependent thereon for support."

BOSTON OPINION.

Why the United States Interferes In Cuban Affairs.

Boston, April 2.—Today's Post says: "The United States stands on a higher moral plane than Europe. We act for humanity, not for selfish aggrandizement. Humanity called in vain upon the concerted powers of Europe to intervene to stop the Armenian massacres, for there was no profit in it. The United States looks at a similar situation in Cuba in a different light. Should the United States intervene in Cuba, it will be in behalf of the principle of human freedom on which this republic is founded; it will be in behalf of humanity, so long delayed already that hundreds of thousands of innocent pacificos have been starved to death within a few hours' distance of our land of freedom and plenty."

"President McKinley, like the conscientious, christian statesman he is, has sought to avert war until all the resources of diplomacy were exhausted," says The Journal in today's issue. "He has consistently adhered to this policy, even to the extent of laying himself open to misrepresentation. Meanwhile, he has bent all the energies of his administration to strengthen the national defences by land and sea. He has hoped for peace, but he has deliberately, systematically prepared for war. If Spanish truculence will not permit an honorable peace, the country can rest assured that when the time comes it will not find the president shrinking from the grim alternative."

"The patience of the United States in the face of the long accumulation of Spanish atrocities within less than 100 miles of our shores," remarks The Advertiser, "has excited the astonishment of the civilized world, and demonstrated at any rate, this one thing, namely, that the United States, though conscious of possessing well-nigh irresistible strength and inexhaustible wealth, is willing to go to the very verge of humiliation, if not beyond the verge, rather than engage in war with a feeble and impoverished foreign country. But the price which Spain appears to demand that we shall pay for the privilege of letting her escape the thrashing she so richly deserves, is a price beyond the American limit. That price is shame and sin, complicity with guilt, and world-wide disgrace. America will not pay it."

The Globe observes: "That congress 'senses' the situation is sufficiently evident by the exciting scenes and conferences that marked the day. The majority of the cabinet understand the meaning of Spain's answer and what it implies may be taken for granted. That President McKinley realizes at length that the resources of diplomacy have been exhausted and that the time has come or action, seems to be the general belief in Washington. It is hoped that there will be no reluctance at the White House regarding a making known of the president's mind and purpose regarding Cuba to congress on Monday very promptly. Will he urge the recognition of Cuban independence, or something else?"

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My little love of long ago
(How swiftly fly the tired years!),
She told me solemnly and low
Of all her hopes and all her fears.
She feared the dangers of the way,
The striving and the workaday
That waited far across the sea,
The loneliness of missing me.
She never doubted me—ah, no,
My little love of long ago!

For she had faith in everything
(How swiftly fly the tired hours!),
A heart that could not help but sing
And blossomed out amid the flowers.
My loving was its best refrain,
My leaving was its saddest pain.
She sobbed it all upon my knee,
The loneliness of missing me.
I kissed and comforted her so,
My little love of long ago.

My little love of long ago
(How swiftly fly the tired days!),
Such little feet to stumble slow
Along the darkest of life's ways,
While time and distance and the sea,
Or my poor, careless heart maybe,
Could not have told from spring to spring
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—Post Wheeler in New York Press.

INVISIBLE FRIEND.

The members around the clubhouse fire were talking of the prospects of the spring road races, and from that the conversation turned to road racing in general, and every member had some experience to tell. Only the wheelman who had traveled was silent, as was his wont until stirred to tell some tale of wild adventure by the questions of his companions, who seemed not more than to half believe his stories and yet to feel that they were really true, such indisputable proofs did the traveled one always present. On this occasion it was the club's road race champion, a member who wore a string of century bars three yards long, who said sarcastically, "I suppose you've been the greatest road racer of all of us, haven't you?"

"I won't say that exactly," replied the wheelman who had traveled, "but there was a time when I would have backed myself against the best man in the business. That time has passed and will never return, but if I should tell you the story you wouldn't believe it, so what's the use?"

"Come on, tell it," broke in the bugler. "Don't mind him. He thinks he's the only tune the orchestra can play just because he's got a few bars."

The wheelman who had traveled put his hand in his pocket and drew out a plain leather pipe case. Without a word he opened it and passed it to the club captain, who examined it curiously, for the traveled one's manner presaged a story.

"I don't see anything about road racing in that," remarked the captain.

"What's in it?" asked the champion liar.

"Nothing apparently," responded the captain, and, in fact, the case appeared to be empty.

"Feel of the inside," suggested the wheelman who had traveled. The captain obeyed the suggestion and started as though he had been struck.

"Why, there's a pipe there, but I can't see it," he exclaimed.

The other members felt of the inside of the case, and, sure enough, plain to the touch, but at the same time absolutely invisible, was a pipe. The wheelman who had traveled took the case, lifted something out of it apparently and held it up. His hand appeared to be empty.

"What is it—a fine piece of glass?" asked the member with the pink golf socks.

"Not a bit of it," answered the possessor of the wonderful pipe. "That pipe is a relic of the most faithful friend I ever had and one who saved my life on more than one occasion. I never hear road racing spoken of without thinking of him. Give me some tobacco, some one, and I'll tell you why I prize this pipe so highly."

The other members watched him curiously as he rammed the tobacco down into the empty air apparently, and they shrank away from him as though he were something uncanny as they saw the smoke rise from a distance of several inches from the smoker's mouth, but the member who had traveled settled back in his chair and began:

"It was in the winter following my disastrous experience at ostrich farming in Africa that I decided a change of air would be necessary, and I consequently went to Australia, where it was then summer, of course. I had an idea that there might be some good touring in that country, and I took my wheel along as a matter of course. I landed at Melbourne and found the town very dull. I wheeled along near the coast to Sydney and found it no livelier there, so I made up my mind to strike for the interior of New South Wales. I was warned that it would be dangerous to venture far into the bush alone, but I had plenty of nerve in those days and started out feeling better than I had ever felt in my life.

"The trip was wild enough to suit the liveliest imagination, and I thoroughly enjoyed myself. I passed through the heart of the kangaroo district and often stopped to watch the amusing antics of those clever animals, which can leap 40 feet at a jump and are as strong as a horse.

"One day I was standing by my wheel watching a herd of them when all of a sudden they seemed to become alarmed at something and went off toward the horizon in great leaps until every one of them had vanished. I was wondering what had scared them when I felt a hot breath on the back of my head. I looked around with a start, but saw nothing. I heard, however, what sounded like an animal panting for breath directly in front of me, and I will confess that I was thoroughly frightened. I attempted to show no signs of fear, however, although my hair rose so that it threw my cap off, and I stood there perfectly hoping that whatever it was would go away and leave me alone. All sorts of thoughts went through my head in that brief instant. I recollected all the stories I had ever heard of men and animals that could make themselves invisible, and while I had never believed any of them I remembered that some scientific men had held that it was possible for organic matter to become as transparent as inorganic under certain conditions and present neither of the phenomena of refraction and reflection of light. I was convinced in a moment that some beast possessing such qualities was confronting me, and my belief grew to certainty when I felt a hairy paw caressing my hand. Instead of being frightened at this unexpected demonstration I was reassured, for there was something in the touch that assured me that my life was in no danger, but that on the contrary the thing, whatever it was, was trying to make friends with me. I grasped the paw in my hand and was reassured by what sounded like a grunt of whose existence I had no longer the slightest doubt.

"Resolved to ascertain what kind of a thing this was, I drew it closer to me and began to feel of it. The thing stood perfectly quiet, and it was not long before I recognized the fact that it was a kangaroo of enormous size, but absolutely invisible.

"Well, to cut a long story short, the kangaroo developed the strongest attachment for me and followed me wherever I went. I trained it to tow me up hills and sometimes across the level plains, its easy method of progression by great jumps carrying me along far more swiftly than I could have pedaled. If the kangaroo strayed away, all I had to do was to whistle, and it would come to me, bounding across the open with great leaps, the progress of which I could trace by the depression in the grass where it alighted, although I could not see the beast itself.

"One day we struck a gold mining camp, and I decided to stay there for a few days. On the first night of my stay, however, I got into an altercation with one of the miners, who was intoxicated, and he drew his revolver and fired at me. My faithful kangaroo, unseen, stepped between us and received the bullet himself, as I afterward learned, although it was a mystery to me as well as to the bystanders that I did not fall with a bullet in my brain. At the same instant the kangaroo struck out with his powerful hind leg and caught the miner full in the solar plexus, knocking him out completely. The whole affair was so sudden that none realized what had occurred, and some were inclined to believe that the ruffian had had a stroke of apoplexy. I went to my hotel, and they took the miner to his shanty.

"Along toward morning I was awakened by my host, a decent sort of escaped convict, and informed that the miner had died and that some of his friends were going to carry out the design which he had formed before his death of killing me. 'I don't dare lend you a horse,' said the man, 'but you get on your wheel and ride away as fast as you can, or they'll catch you sure.'

"I started out promptly, for I did not want to be the object of a vigilance committee's deliberations, and was soon wheeling over the plains. I had my faithful kangaroo at my side, and I noticed that he coughed and appeared, from the sound, to be spitting blood. This puzzled me at first, but I quickly realized that he must have been shot in the lung, and I felt more sorrow than I can express at the thought.

"I was setting a pretty good pace, but it was not long before I heard the sound of hoofs far behind me, and looking back I saw four horsemen following me at full gallop. I realized that they were the dead miner's friends, and also that there was no chance of escaping them, for my wheel was in bad condition, sadly in need of oiling, and it was impossible to ride it over the rough surface of the trail as fast as the swift bush horses could gallop. There was only one thing to do. I called the kangaroo toward me and attached my stout rawhide lariat to his enormous tail, tying the other end to the head of my bicycle. I chirruped, and the faithful beast started off with leaps and bounds that nearly unseated me, but I managed to stick on, and soon saw that I was distancing my pursuers. I was not satisfied with that, however, but resolved that I must not slacken speed until safely beyond their radius of action. I urged my invisible motive power on to greater efforts, and before sundown we were more than 200 miles away from the mining camp.

"It was just as the sun was sinking over the trees that the kangaroo stopped short, and as I rode forward the wheel struck his prostrate body. I dismounted and knelt beside him. As I did so I felt the warm lifeblood pouring from a great wound in his side, heard a faint moan, and then the poor beast licked my hand, gasped convulsively and died. He had given his life to save me."

The wheelman who had traveled paused, knocked the ashes from the invisible pipe, replaced it in its case and wiped away a tear.

"But what of the pipe?" asked one of the members.

"Oh, yes—the pipe. Well, I rode on toward civilization, not daring to stay in those parts much longer, and the following spring I went over the same ground again with a large party. We found at the spot where I had left the dead kangaroo the skeleton bodies of four horses and their riders. I realized at once what had happened. My pursuers had followed me, their horses had stumbled over the invisible body of the dead kangaroo, and they had all been killed. The fact that the neck of each corpse was broken proved my theory. I groped among the bones for those of my faithful friend and soon found them. I placed several of them in my traveling case, and when I returned to Buffalo I had this pipe made from two of them. The rest I mislaid and have never found them. I may stumble across them some day."—Buffalo Express.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The Princess of Wales has a pair of opera glasses of platinum set with rubies, sapphires and turquoises and valued at $8,000.

The German emperor has had a pack of cards printed with living sovereigns as kings and queens and the prime ministers of their respective countries as knaves.

The Duke of Connaught entered the army in 1868, when 18 years of age. He has seen some fighting and is said to be remarkably cool under fire by those who have watched him during a battle.

In the matter of pedigree the 18-year-old prince who is the heir to the throne of Japan seems to hold the lead. He is, it is said, the last male descendant in the order of primogeniture of a dynasty which has reigned for 2,600 years.

The king of Dahomey, who betrayed his brother to the French in order to ascend the throne, goes about his capital in a gorgeous chariot, smoking immense cigars and wearing a prodigious Roman helmet. The chariot is drawn by the ministers of state.

PERT PERSONALS.

In case of war Chauncey Depew should be placed in command of a fleet of chafing dishes.—Washington Post.

The king of Spain is warranted in subscribing to the general opinion that it is hard luck to be an infant prodigy.—Washington Star.

Had Senator Proctor chosen journalism instead of commerce and statesmanship, he would have made a first rate reporter.—St Louis Republic.

China's emperor holds the record in one respect—his collection of ultimatums stands alone for number and variety.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

It seems now to be willingly, even proudly, conceded at the Hub that Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale is the foremost citizen of Boston.—New York Times.

Will the public please leave John D. Rockefeller alone? He's only making $28.50 a second now, but if you get him mad he may boost it up to $30 flat.—Syracuse Herald.

CHURCH NOTES.

Philadelphia boasts of having more Methodists than any other city of the world. She has more than 40,000.

In the church of England 250 of the clergy are Jews or the sons of Jews, and in Great Britain more than 350 of the Christian ministers are Hebrew Christians.

The Roman Catholic cathedral now being erected in London will be 360 feet long, 156 feet wide and will have an area of 55,000 square feet. Its nave will have an area of 14,000 square feet.

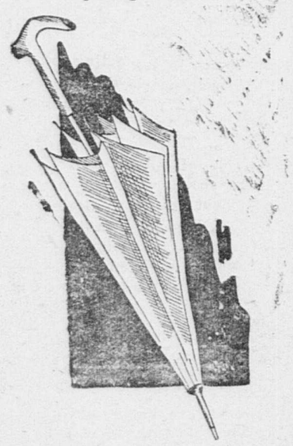
THOSE REINDEER.

We know what you will see with every circus next summer—a flock of reindeer.—Atchison Globe.

Now that the government has no use for those Klondike reindeer there's a disposition among the jokers to make game of them.—Philadelphia Times.

Uncle Sam has sold his reindeer that he went to the expense of importing for relief purposes, and it will probably be some time before he gets his leg pulled again.—Boston Herald.

Sporting Terms.



"PUT UP OR SHUT UP."
—Princeton Tiger.

A Lucky Animal.



Weary Wiles—Dey say a camel kin go nine days widout eatin.

Muddy Rhodes—Chee, but dat's a fortunate creatur'! Jest t'ink o' bein relieved o' de exertion o' chewin yer vittals fer nine hull days.—Up to Date.

His Choice.



Beak—Now, James Fitz-Costigan, which will you take—$10 or ten days?

James Fitz-Costigan—Thank yez, sor, Oi think Oi'll take the tin dollars.—

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 3. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—The grace of hospitality.—Gen. xviii, 1-10: Heb. xiii, 2.

The word "hospitality" means love to strangers. The kindness of Christianity is not to be limited to the followers of Christ, but extended to all men with whom we come in contact. In a sense this grace of hospitality needed to be emphasized in ancient times more than today, and particularly in oriental countries, where methods of travel were and are slow and tedious and where places of public entertainment were few and far between. Strangers in traveling from place to place had to be entertained in the homes of the people, and the cordiality of their reception and the bountifulness of their entertainment fill us with admiration. Though not having to entertain travelers who are strangers in our homes today, we do often come in contact with those whom we do not know in the church, in places of business, in society, and should always exercise this grace of hospitality. We should treat kindly and considerately all men everywhere.

In the references we see:

1. Hospitality illustrated (Gen. xviii, 1-10). In this passage we see oriental hospitality beautifully illustrated. Abraham is seated in his tent door at noonday and sees, as he supposes, three strange men approaching. He runs to meet them, presses them to accept his invitation to sojourn with him, that he may give them a morsel of bread to comfort their hearts before they pass on. Then he goes to Sarah, his wife, and between them a sumptuous feast is spread before the strangers. What a beautiful picture of simple, cordial, bounteous hospitality! And this is only one of many similar incidents that might be referred to. The reading of such a story should not only fill us with admiration, but a desire to imitate the spirit that was manifested.

2. Hospitality commanded (Heb. xiii, 2). "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers," says the apostle, and adds, referring to the experiences of Abraham and Lot, "for thereby some have entertained angels unawares." The first verse of the chapter says, "Let brotherly love continue," but while we love the brethren we are not to forget also to love strangers and to treat them kindly. The stranger as well as the brother must have a place in our consideration. Even the strangers who come to our doors as tramps and vagabonds, though in many cases unworthy, should not be treated unkindly. If we treat them kindly in Christ's name, it will be done unto Him rather than unto them, and He is worthy.

3. Hospitality rewarded. Abraham was amply rewarded. Though little dreaming of such a thing he was entertaining Jehovah and two of His servants and received gracious promises from them. The two disciples in entertaining a stranger entertained their risen Saviour. It pays to be kind. A cup of cold water in Christ's name brings its reward. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, My brethren, ye have done it unto Me."

Bible Readings.—Gen. xix, 1-3; xxiv, 29-33; I Sam. ix, 22-24; II Sam. xvii, 27-29; II Kings iv, 8-11; Neh. v, 17-19; Math. xxv, 31-46; Luke v, 27-29; xix, 1-9; xxiv, 28-48; Acts xvi, 15; Rom. xii, 13; Gal. vi, 9, 10; Titus i, 8, 9; I Pet. iv, 9.

Broken Lives.

God even seems to break them sometimes, that they may become truly useful. At least he can use broken lives in his service just as well as the whole; indeed, it appears as if men can never do much for God until they are "broken vessels." He chooses the weak things of this world, that no flesh may glory.

We ought, therefore, never to be afraid of God's providences when they seem to break up our lives and crush our hopes and even to turn us away from our chosen paths of usefulness and service. When he shuts one door, it is because he had another standing open for our feet. When he breaks our lives to pieces, it is because they will do more for his glory and the world's good broken and shattered than whole.—Presbyterian.

Those Who Suffer.

If we suffer wrongly, why should we add to our suffering by giving heed to the suggestions of satan or allow ourselves to lose confidence in our fellow men. All are not base. The psalmist said, "In my haste I said all men are liars," but for us to harbor such a thought is to cut us off from the fellowship of our brethren, to look with distrust upon all their actions and interpret their every act as an intention to do us harm when really no harm is meant. Trust not to your own understanding. A good man's steps are ordered by the Lord. If we suffer with Him, we shall also reign with Him.—Philadelphia Methodist.

Sowing and Reaping.

We are not done with life as we live it. We shall meet our acts and words and influences again. A man will reap the same that he sows, and he himself shall be the reaper. We go on sowing carelessly, never dreaming that we shall see our seeds again. Then some day we come to an ugly plant growing somewhere, and when we ask, "What is this?" comes the answer: "I am one of your plants. You dropped the seed which grew into me." We shall have to eat the seed that grows from our sowing.—Dr. J. R. Miller.

Gratitude and Generosity.

Whenever I find a great deal of gratitude in a poor man, I take it for granted there would be as much generosity if he were a rich man.—Pope.

A Good Address.

Ofttimes a good address carries with it infinitely greater weight than the soundest logic or the loftiest eloquence.—Universalist.



HUGH DUFFY
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BOSTON B. B. C.
writes us May 22, 1894: "Your
Muscle Oil
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Muscle Oil will take out soreness and lameness quicker than any other preparation ever made.
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DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,
9 Spear Street, Quincy.

He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.
Oct. 30. tf

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Neil H. Bethune to Dana I. McIntire, dated Sept. 16, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 796, Page 409, for breach of condition contained in said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on MONDAY, the 18th day of April, A. D., 1898, at forty minutes past 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, situate in Quincy, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage as follows:—

A certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth, known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-seven upon a plan entitled "Plan for Building Lots situated in Atlantic, in the City of Quincy owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 766, Page 81, said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point of the northerly side of Webster street four hundred and eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street fifty feet; containing 3,962 square feet of land.

$100 to be paid at time and place of sale, and balance within ten days.

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March 26. 3t-26-2-9

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A certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth, known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-five upon a plan entitled "Plan of building lots situated in Atlantic, in the City of Quincy, owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, in Book 766, Page 81. Said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Webster street, five hundred eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street, fifty feet; containing 3,962 square feet of land.

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A certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth, known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-three upon a plan entitled "Plan of Building Lots situated in Atlantic, in the City of Quincy, owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, in Book 766, Page 81, said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Webster street, six hundred eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street fifty feet; containing 3,962 square feet of land.

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☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs.	h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic.	i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.	
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square.	(xx), Express.

E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt.
A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Hiram W. Blanchard to George Clapp dated December 18, 1868, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, Libro 374, Folio 84, which said mortgage has been duly assigned by mesne conveyances to Charles F. Blanchard, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on Saturday, the sixteenth day of April, 1898, at four o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein substantially described as follows:

A certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Boston formerly called Dorchester or Port Norfolk, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the westerly corner of land now, or formerly of G. W. Richardson, on a passageway leading to Wood's Court, thence running southwesterly on said passageway one hundred and five (105) feet to a large chestnut post, thence running southeasterly to land now or formerly owned by C. A. Wood, about seventy-six (76) feet; thence on land of said Wood, and Edward Cushing, one hundred and five (105) feet; thence running northwesterly bounding easterly on land of G. W. Richardson, about seventy-five (75) feet to point of starting on the passageway above mentioned, with a right of way on said passageway to Wood's Court, as laid out at the time of the giving of said mortgage. Also a right of way over a strip of land fifteen (15) feet wide, adjoining land of Lucy A. Woodman and A. C. Clark to Walnut street.

Said premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes or city assessments.

Terms: $100 cash at time and place of sale, balance in ten days.

CHAS. F. BLANCHARD,
Assignee of mortgage.
March 19, 1898. 3t-19-26-2

QUINCY MUSIC HALL,

SATURDAY, APRIL 2.

First Class Concert

Under the Auspices of

Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O.

ARTISTS:

ELECTRIC TRIO—Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar.
T. L. PHELAN, Humorist of Keith Circuit.
LITTLE OLIVE SMITH, Child Vocalist of Boston Muscum Stock Company.

Doors open at 7.30. Entertainment at 8.
Prices 15, 25, and 35 cents.
Tickets at Durgin's, Hearn's, Box office and office of Quincy & Boston Street Railway.
Quincy, March 29. 5t

QUINCY MUSIC HALL,

Saturday Evening, Apr. 9

Return Engagement of

THE OLLIE TORBETT CONCERT CO.

The grand Swedish Musical organization which gave a very fine concert in this city last year.

MISS OLLIE TORBETT, Violinist,
MISS LUCIE E. MAWSON, Pianist,
LUTTEMAN QUINTETTE.

Tickets for sale by C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot, and at door.
Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8.
April 2. 6t

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

A. G. DURGIN, - - Manager.

Friday Even'g, Apr. 15

COL. ROBERT G. INGERSOLL.

Tickets will be placed on sale at A. G. Durgin's Drug Store Monday morning, April 4th, 7.30.
Admission 35c. Reserved Seats, 50c, 75c., $1.00.
Tickets ordered by mail will be reserved in the order received.

Apr. 1—2t 2-p 1w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE

Board of HARBOR AND LAND COMMISSIONERS.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 31, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Quincy and Boston Street Railway Company has made application to this Board for license to locate its railway on the Weymouth side of Quincy Point Bridge over Weymouth Fore River in the town of Weymouth, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of April, 1898, at 11 o clock A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein. For the Board,

WOODWARD EMERY,
April 2—1t Chairman.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE

Board of HARBOR AND LAND COMMISSIONERS.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 31, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Trustees of the Hingham, Weymouth and Quincy Bridges have made application to this Board for license to widen a portion of Weymouth Fore River Bridge on Weymouth Fore River in the town of Weymouth, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of April, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all persons interested therein.

For the Board,

WOODWARD EMERY,
Apr. 2—1t Chairman.

Quincy Savings Bank,

QUINCY, MASS.

IN Accordance with the requirements of the public statutes, Section 36, Chapter 317, the following list is published of the amounts due depositors in this Bank not entitled to dividends on the whole amount standing to their credit for the past two years, because the same exceeds the amount on which interest is allowed:

EDWARD LAHEY, $1,970.32, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treas.
April 1, 1898. 2-3t

FREEDOM NOTICE.

I HEREBY give my son, DOMANIC YANICRI, his time to work for himself, and after this day I shall claim none of his wages or pay any bills he may contract.

CARMINE YANICRI.
Quincy, April 2, 1898. 3t

WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.

H. O. FAIRBANKS,
CHAS. T. BAKER,
LUTHER S. ANDERSON.
April 1. 6t

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The Braintree Observer,

A Weekly Established in 1878.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	44	57	50
Monday	51	51	44
Tuesday	52	53	50
Wednesday	56	60	55
Thursday	48	45	45
Friday	48	48	44
Saturday	48	48	61

New Advertisements Today.

Miss C. S. Hubbard—Millinery.
Quincy Music Hall—Concert.
Granite Clothing Store.
Harbor and Land Commissioners—Hearing.
The Dairy—Butter, eggs, tea, coffee.
Boston directory of reliable firms.
Quincy Clothing Co.
Quincy Savings Bank—Notice.
Freedom notice.
Parlor bed for sale.
Washing wanted.
House lots for sale.

Good Afternoon.

President McKinley is not only the Chief Executive of the 75,000,000 population of the United States, but is Commander-in-Chief of the army and navy of the nation. He is vested with more power than any monarch in the world, and when at this trying period the decision of war or peace is in his hands he has the confidence of the people that he will continue to lead the nation in the right direction and carry it safely through to the end. The people of this country must continue to back him with their entire faith, and the hope that he will do all things well, and a charity for mistakes, should there be any, and believe that if there are any they are of the head and not of the heart. We have had ample evidence already that President McKinley is a wise and conservative chief official, and he has a lieutenant in Gen. Woodford, the Minister to Madrid, who has acquitted himself in a most creditable manner.

Justice of Peace Bill.

In the Senate yesterday, Messrs. Williams and and Flint of Norfolk had a colloquy over the bill to permit the designation of a Justice of the Peace in Quincy to issue warrants and take bail, which the Journal reports as follows: The former said if the Justices were not on hand to do their duty they should resign. Senator Flint said the Associate Justice was Grand Reporter of the Knights of Honor, and was in his Boston office days and making visitations evenings. So long as he is ready to hold court mornings he was doing his duty. He held office for life for doing good behavior. Senator Quinn did not think it good behavior to be away sitting up nights, so that he cannot do his duty days. The bill was ordered to a third reading—10 to 5.

Our Congressman for Peace.

Congressman Barrows of this district had the following letter in the Washington Post of yesterday:

"I find myself classed in your paper among those members of Congress 'who believe it is the duty of the United States to intervene in Cuba, but who doubt the practicability of accomplishing anything except by force.' I have to say that that statement does me injustice. I prefer to be counted with those who are standing behind the President, upholding the calm, judicial, honorable course he is pursuing. I hope and believe that it is possible to settle this issue by peaceable means. We have not exhausted the resources of diplomacy nor have we appealed to international arbitration, both of which should be invoked in this age before nations resort to war."

☞ Ike Partington, Topsy and Bridget O'Flannigan of the "Queen of Fame" hold a rehearsal this evening. Apr 2—1t

☞ White Enamel Bedsteads, full size, brass trimmed, from $2.98 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appeuzing nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastelike the finest coffee, but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulent but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about one-fourth as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

"MILLER'S STILE."

It Is Closed to Travel Today After 243 Years.

Work was commenced this morning bulding a stone wall across the Elm street entrance to the residence of Dr. William Everett which when completed means the closing to the public of what for over two centuries has been known as "Miller's Stile." People must now go through the new Miller Stile road.

The estate which comprised all the land from Washington street to and including the residence of Mayor Sears, and between Elm and Canal streets, was fifteen years ago one vast estate, and was known as the Miller estate. For many years people coming from south of Elm street used to cross this property to Canal street, as it made a short cut to the centre. A well beaten path was soon defined and everybody used it as public property.

There came a time, however, when the owners of the estate reached the conclusion that those people crossing their property were trespassers and they undertook to close up the path. The result was that the citizens took the matter into court, where it was proved that the path had been used by the public for a number of years, or long enough to give them a right of way through the land.

The outcome of this case was that the owners of the property were obliged at their own expense to construct and maintain a walk and stile which became known as Miller's stile. About 1880, the Miller estate was seriously considered for a park by the town, and was favored by many. But the opportunity was missed.

Later the property was surveyed and put upon the market and Mr. Frank F. Prescott built the first house. The estate became dotted with pretty modern houses. Yet the old Miller's Stile way remained. Last year after several unsuccessful attempts a new street known as Miller's Stile road was laid out by the City Council and the Miller's Stile path through Dr. Everett's land abolished.

Pattee's history of Quincy says under date: "11th, 12th m., 1655—upon the same day there is laid out a foot-way to by from the rock by George Ruggles', straight over the fresh brook in the convenientest place and so straight along by the foreside of Francis Elliott's barn, and so straight over his lot in the convenientest place, and so to the end of the highway that goes up by Mr. Flynt's."

The Concert Tonight.

An excellent programme has been arranged for the concert of Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O., this evening at Music hall. It is given in full:

(a) Elberon waltz, Hart
(b) Old times, Cahoon
Banjorine, Banjo and guitar.
Humorous selections,
Mr. E. T. Phelan.
Banjo solo, Massa's in the cold, cold ground,
Mr. W. A. Cahoon.
Character songs,
Little Olive Smith.
Grand Republic march, Huntly
Banjorine, banjo and guitar.
Ten minutes with F. M. Williams,
Mandolin solo, Remembrance
Mrs. Henry Carmichael
Humorous selections,
Mr. Phelan.
Popular airs, arr. by Williams
Harmonica, banjo, mandolin and guitar.
Darkey songs,
Mr. Williams.
Songs,
Little Olive Smith.
March, Trio
Two banjos and piano.

Musicale at Woodward.

Through the kindness of Mr. J. D. Buckingham, director of music at Woodward Institute, the students were given a rare treat on Thursday morning, when Mrs. Lillian Lord Wood gave an half-hour piano recital. The following programme was rendered:

Prelude and Fugue, C sharp major, Bach.
Theme and Variations, op. 34, Beethoven.
Berceuse, Iljinsky.
Funeral March. Impromptu. F sharp major, Chopin.

Fire at Rock Island.

Hose Company 5 was called out about 10 o'clock last night for a grass fire on the hill at Rock Island. In the center was found a load of carpenter's waste which some one had dumped there and set fire to. The fire spread rapidly through the dry grass and some of the cottages were in danger. That April fool joke would have been serious but for the quick action of Capt. Morse and members of the company.

—The appropriations of Hyde Park this year aggregate $153,565. Among them are: Public schools, $50,290; bonds and water maturing, $10,600; interest, $9000; highways, $1500; street watering, $2500; incidentals, $9500; police, $7500; fire department, $9075; support of the poor, $6500; street lights, $8850; public library, $3300; town officers' salaries, $2925; Board of Health, $4000, voted in 1897 and payable in 1898.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Mayflowers are 10 cents per bunch.

The Electric Trio at Music hall tonight.

See advertisement of historical pageant in another column.

Mr. John W. Hersey of Coddington street has been visiting his brother-in-law at North Middleboro the past week.

The Elliott gold mining machine is to be moved to Badger Bros. shop where its usefulness will be demonstrated.

Edward Hardwick entertained the Ramblers at their headquarters last evening with one of his talking machines.

Several old lights have been removed from the vicinity of South and Howard street, preparatory to putting in electricity.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the office of the Company next Wednesday, at 3 P. M.

Mr. William Hayden who for a long time has been a resident of Quincy Neck, on Howard street, has removed to Washington street, Quincy Point.

Charles Francis Adams is strongly opposed to the substitute bill of the street railway companies to the bill reported by his committee. He considers it dangerous.

Mrs. Edwin Newcomb of Edwards hill is still unable to be about. Some time ago while trying to raise a window she injured her knee and has not yet recovered from the effects of it.

For some reason but slow progress is being made on the sewer at the corner of Washington and Coddington streets and as the street railway tracks have not been cleared it will delay the opening of this line.

Mr. Herbert T. Drake has returned from Baltimore to accept a position as superintendent of one of W. L. Douglas shoe factories in Brockton. This factory turns out 3,000 pair of men's shoe per day.

The King's Daughters are working zealously under the direction of Miss Harriette Harris, in preparation for the "Queen of Fame" to be given on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week, in Faxon Hall.

Upon the Granite branch at West Quincy this afternoon is a train of twenty cars loaded with bridge stone for the Talbot avenue bridge at Dorchester. All these cars are labelled "This car from the Quincy Quarry Co. West Quincy, Mass." They go by the afternoon freight.

The annual meeting of the East Norfolk Chirstian Endeavor union will be held at the Bethany church, Quincy, Monday evening, April 4th, at 7.30 o'clock. The business meeting for the election of officers, will be followed by a social; and the newly elected president of the Braintree society desires, if possible, a large representation from that society. The society are anxious to capture the banner for good attendance at the next three meetings, and all should make an effort to be present.

A Model Plant.

Steps are being taken to form a corporation with the view of bettering the granite industry by increasing the demand for Quincy granite. It is a well known fact that the demand for Quincy granite has fallen off tremedously for the past four or five years, and it is believed that a determined effort backed by capital can place Quincy granite to the front again. The parties interested in the new corporation are not ready to disclose the prospectus as yet.

State Committee, Sunday.

Mr. A. D. Dimmick of Wakefield Mass. will address the meeting for men only at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the interest of the State Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of Mass. and Rhode Island. A cordial invitation is extended to all men to attend.

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March 30. LP 1m

Do You Want

To buy a Spring Coat? Have you a friend who would buy one? Do you know of anyone who wants one—who would buy one if he could afford it? If so, send them to us, (to the new store) for we have the greatest value this or any other city has ever seen.

Where did it come from?

One of the largest Woolen Mills in New England had 9,000 yards of Covert Goods on its hands; they needed money to meet their obligations and they closed out the whole lot for spot cash to a large wholesaler who manufactured it into Overcoats. It took more money than they could afford to swing the contract.

They saw trouble ahead,

And to prevent it, put the most ridicuously spot cash price on the lot that we have ever seen in all our years of experience in the clothing business.

In a combination of four stores,

We bought some for Quincy for almost nothing, and will have them on sale—

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 2.

We could sell them at double the price we ask, and you would be pleased. But that is not the New Store's way of doing business. We have promised you different methods from what you are used to, and we mean to fulfil our promises. We believe if we buy a thing for a little money, sell it for little money as long as it pays us a little profit.

What are the goods and make up of this coat?

It is an all-wool Covert. We have boiled it and tested it with acid, and have failed to find a particle of cotton in it. It is sewed and put together by first-class tailors; not glued together, or made by overall manufacturers, or in New York tenement houses. It is made in the latest style with swelled edges, has satin sleeve linings, all-wool body linings and the inside facings are piped with satin—

And the price is $4.48.

After reading the price you may laugh at it. You may say you would not wear a $4.48 coat. That's what our buyer did when he heard of it, but after seeing it, and turning it inside out and examining it, we could not see wherein it was inferior to coats sold for $10 or $12. We have but a limited number, so come at once and get first pick.

If you are in need of a Suit, you will find lots of them at our store from ***$6.50*** to ***$16.50***, and we make custom ones from ***$12*** to ***$25.***

If you are in need of Pants, we have the all wool "never rip" trousers for ***$1.48***, and nice dress ones for a little more.

If you want to trim your youngsters up for Easter, you will find a large selection of Children's Suits in all shades and styles at our store, from ***98c.*** to ***$4.98.***

If you want an Overall for ***39c.***, the same as you have been paying 50c. for, come and see us. If you wish to purchase a ***Hat, Necktie, Collar,*** or any article kept in a Gents' Furnishing Store, for less money than they can be bought elsewhere, come to us. We mean to break the back of high prices in Quincy.

Quincy Clothing Co.,

MUSIC HALL BLOCK.

Cut Price Clothiers and Furnishers.

BOYS AT SCHOOL

Used to Write:

"Remember this and bear in mind,
That a true friend is hard to find,
But when you find one firm and true,
Don't change the old one for the new."

NOW! Boys and Men KNOW there is no better place on earth to buy SPRING SUITS than at the old, solid, substantial, reliable

Granite Clothing Store,

Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy.

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Let Us Take You in Hand.



If you feel a little shaky on correct fixings—we have the latest in HATS, FURNISHINGS and SHOES, and can fit you out to perfection.

We make a specialty of the Lamson and Hubbard Hat in the fine grade at $3.00 or can sell you a good one at $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

GEO. W. JONES,

Adams Building, Quincy.

"FOR THY STOMACH'S SAKE."

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THE CATERER,

Is ready at any time from 5 A. M. till 12 P. M. to administer to the wants of the "Inner man," at his new restaurant,

94 Hancock Street.

☞ *Private Room for Ladies.* ☜

Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.
Quincy, March 30. 1m

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Feb. 14. 1y

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Work done at reasonable prices.
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Try one pound of New Fine Flavored Teas, 25c. per lb.

Fine Coffee at 17c. per lb. Best Mocha and Java, 30c. per lb.

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Prices for Cash!

But the Quality Remains the Same.

Most of the people of Quincy know that we do not make our prices so high that we can keep them the same the year round, but that we sell at market prices, and when prices are reduced we give our customers the benefit.

Perfection Flour,	$6.00 bbl	4 pounds Milk Lunch,	25c.
Gold Drop Flour,	5.75 bbl	5 pounds 3 Crown Raisins,	25c.
100 pounds Sugar,	5.13	3 pounds Seeded Raisins,	25c.
Subject to change.		Fresh Western Eggs.	9c. doz
			3 doz. 25c
Good Oolong Tea,	25c. lb	Nice Western Chickens,	12c. lb
Good E. Breakfast Tea,	25c. lb	Nice Western Fowl,	12c. lb
5-lb. can Coffee, M and J,	20c. lb	California Oranges,	15c. doz
1-lb. can Good Coffee, "Santos,"	15c. lb	Fancy Baldwin Apples,	35. peck
Very Best Mocha and Java,	30c. lb	3 cans Best Condensed Milk,	25c.
Former price, 35 cents.		5-gallon Cans of Apples,	$1.00
Manhattan Butter,	25c. lb	3 cans Table Peaches,	25c.
Fancy Creamery Butter,	20c. lb	3 cans Boyer Squash,	25c.
Parched Rolled Oats, new goods,	10 cents	Top Round Steak,	20c. lb
		Sirloin Steak,	22c. lb
5 pounds Common Crackers,	25c.	Pickled Tripe,	5c. lb
		Whole Medium Hams,	9c. lb

Spinach, 10c. peck. Kail, 10c. peck.

Dandelions, 25c. peck. Lettuce, 6c. Radishes, 5c

We might mention prices on hundreds of other articles, but we have selected from different kinds of goods to show that it is for your benefit as well as ours to buy of us.

Orders can be sent by Telephone, Mail, or by any of our clerks, and they will receive careful attention and prompt delivery.

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April 1. 2t

PIANO EXCELLENCE.

One of the most eminent German musical professors, in a recent visit to this country, after examining carefully all the leading makes of pianos, before selecting one on which to give a recital, pronounced the McPHAIL the sweetest, softest toned Piano he had ever played, and claimed that McPhail alone had the only perfect and exact proportioned scale of any American manufacturer.

59 Years of successful piano making may count for little, perhaps, but the universal endorsement and admiration of all the leading American and foreign professors of music, must mean something.

IF you contemplate the purchase of a piano, examine the McPhail Pianos at this store. Your square piano taken in trade. Time payments when desired.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Hancock St., Quincy.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The audience in Pythian hall on Sundays are longing for the extra conveniences that the new Union church will bring when completed.

The Rev. H. S. Snyder will preach April 3, on "The Kingliness of Christ," in commemoration of the triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

There is some talk of forming a Good Citizenship league for the best interests of this town. Some times officers feel the need of the moral support of the people. By such an organization they can be greatly encouraged.

A peculiar sadness is connected with the death of Mr. Johnson because of his youth, he was only twenty-three; because of his disease, a stroke of paralysis, and because of his absence from his home. He died at Mrs. Loud's on Commercial street. There was no school session on Friday in honor of him as a beloved instructor.

Miss Ella Willoby is now on the sick list. The other members of this family are improving.

The new electric road from Weymouth to Quincy will draw some trade from Boston in favor of Quincy.

The East Weymouth polo team wil play the Fall River team at the Rink tonight.

The Hose company of Lovell's Corner will hold a masquerade party in place of their regular weekly social dance at the Hose house

Mr. Harry Newell of North Weymouth is rapidly convalesing from a recent attack of rheumatism.

The North Weymouth W. C. T. U. meets at the residence of Mrs. Abbie Pratt, Lincoln street, this afternoon.

The Algonquin Whist Club will meet with Mr. Edward Browne at North Weymouth this evening.

Tickets for the new opera by A. M. Raymond of East Weymoutn are out. The opera will be presented April 19 and 20 at the Odd Fellows' opera house.

Mr. Frank Burrell, the popular East Weymouth boy who caught for the Brooklyn base ball team last season, will be behind the bat for the Syracuse team in the Eastern league. Mr. Burrell left for Syracuse on Thursday.

The Century club of North Weymouth held its meeting last night in in the parlors of the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth. Subject for discussion, "Resolved that the New England states are superior to any other part of the country as a place of residence."

The Wessagussett club held its annual party last night at Engine hall, North Weymouth.

The 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Rice of East Weymouth occurs today at their residence on Linden Place, East Weymouth.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Michael Condon for assault on Edward Lunehan at Milton was called. Condon was found not guilty and discharged.

Thomas F. Heany was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued one month.

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There is nothing better than Morrill Tree Ink to catch the Canker Worm Moth, as it crawls up the trunk of the tree.

NOW IS THE TIME.

The month of March is the best time to catch the grubs and the cost is very small. Full directions on each can. Price:

2-Pound Can,	$	.30
3 "	"	.45
5 "	"	.60
10 "	"	1.10

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Quincy, March 9 pl tf

THE MASQUERADE.

A Grand Social Event at Atlantic Last Night.

The private masquerade given in Music hall Atlantic last evening by Mr. Winthrop Fearebay was a pronounced success and closed the season with one of the prettiest and most enjoyable parties of the series.

Many were present from surrounding towns and all joined together in a continual round of enjoyment. So complete were the disguises that recognition was perfectly impossible. Treet's full orchestra of Boston furnished music for the occasion. Ices were served during the evening and without a doubt it was the most social event of the season. Some of those in costume were:

Mr. Frank Coe, Knight.
Mr. Sanborn, Prince.
Miss Alice Packard, flower girl.
Miss Eva Chase, Liberty.
Miss Abbie Barnes, summer girl.
Miss Sadie Melzard, St. Cecelia.
Miss Laura Hall, Cleopatria.
Miss Helen Leighton, Margurite.
Mr. George Costain, Domino.
Miss Emma Curtain, Lady of the Lake.
Mr. George Hardwick, Uncle Sam.
Mr. Percy Hall, Sigor Guido Ferrari.
Mr. Robert Orr, summer costume.
Mr. Winthrop J. Fearebay, Charles II.
Mr. Walter Clare, clown.
Mr. Charles Cherrington, butcher.
Dr. Charles Munroe, Navel Cadet.
Mr. Frank Walsh, sport.
Mr. W. Chandler, clown.
Mrs. Charles Cherrington, tamborine girl.
Miss Helen Comins, Priscilla.
Miss Annie Hall, Queen.
Mr. Arthur Peverly, Cardinal.
Miss Alice Hardwick, Columbia.
Miss May Melzard, Princess.
Miss Bertha Cherrington, school girl.
Miss Corina Wilde, Dairy Maid.
Miss Grace Batson, sailor costume.
Miss Alice Coe, Colonial Maid.

Among those not in costume were:

R. H. Wilde and wife, E. G. Hall and wife, Wm. Gassett and wife, Sanford Small and wife, Mr. Hale and wife, Guy Chadbourne, Hamilton Flood, Clarence Sargent, John Osborn, Fred Moxon, George Briggs, Arthur Pierce, Frank Barnes, Herbert Moxon, Frank Preble, Henry Kolb, Fred Kolb, Edmund Hall, Chas. Hendric, Ernest Hendric, Wm. Howard, Miss Gertie Hall, Miss Eva Bassett, Miss Ruth Bassett Miss Bennett, Miss Berry, Miss Lulu Nelson, Miss Emma Bradshaw, Miss Minnie Kolb, Charles Hall and wife, Nelson Smith.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

Water Commissioners have contracted for pipe for the year at the rate of $19.90 per ton; instead of $19.00 as stated yesterday.

The receipts of the City Clerks office for the month of March were $37.75, which amount was turned into the City Treasurer today.

Chief Litchfield turned into the City Treasurer yesterday a check for $183.-63, the amount of Quincy fines received at the District Court for the quarter ending March 31.

Dr. F. E. Jones of the Board of Health has received an invitation to go immediately to Washington, in case war is declared between the United States and Spain.

Commissioner Knowlton spent Friday evening with the joint Committee on Streets and Public Buildings, and among other things exhibited his plans for the proposed new city stables.

While this committee were in one room Chief Enginneer Packard was in the other room going over his budget with the Committee on Finance. Just what was done is a matter of doubt.

The City Book will furnish Sunday reading for number of cities especialy those who read every page from cover to cover.

School Attendance.

	Whole Number at Date.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
High	361	347.1	94.3	11	47	3
Adams	400	383.2	97.1	31	23	8
Coddington	423	413.8	96.2	12	13	2
Gridley Bryant	313	305.9	97.2	11	37	0
John Hancock	401	390.8	96.8	9	39	0
Lincoln	371	366.7	98.0	4	13	0
Mass. Fields	253	244.0	96.7	18	34	0
Quincy	349	325.2	93.3	2	42	3
Washington	294	273.6	95.8	8	19	0
Willard	763	747.3	97.2	8	70	0
Wollaston	300	288.0	96.1	12	71	2
	4228	4085.6	96.3	126	408	18
Jan. 1898,	4257	4074.0	96.4	128	362	9
Feb. 1898,	4239	3989.2	95.1	126	287	
Mar. 1898,	3764	3524.6	92.4	87	233	5

—Outdoor exercise, like bicycle-riding, is an efficient substitute for the narcotic drugs used to relieve neuralgia, "nervousness," insomnia and other disorders of the nervous system. It is claimed that since the rage for wheeling has become so general in Chicago, the number of opium and morphine habitues has preceptibly decreased, and that many of the 35,000 victims of the habit in that city, find relief through a spin in the open air rather than by a resort to their favorite drug.

☞ Opening sale of tickets for Ingersoll's lecture next Monday morning, 7.30 at Durgin's Drug Store. See ad. in another column. lp

THE TATTLER.

Mrs Alice Freeman Palmer has been chosen president of the College club of Boston.

Marie Corelli, the novelist, will be the guest of Mrs. T. Russell Selfridge, in Philadelphia, in June.

Marie Geistinger, who is now singing in opera comique in Berlin, has found it necessary to publish her certificate of baptism, as the papers there have been making her considerably older than she actually is.

Miss Kate Grinrod, a professional nurse of Philadelphia, is a full blooded Wyandotte Indian. She was educated at Carlisle, Pa. Her services are eagerly sought by some of the best known families of the city.

Trained nurses are luxuries which thrive in the Gould families. Miss Helen Gould always keeps one near her, who, except to a few intimate friends, passes as her secretary. Miss Gould's health is never of the most robust, and she is obliged to guard it carefully.

Mrs. Westinghouse's entertainments are the wonder of Washington, and all the appointments of her establishment are upon a scale of almost barbaric magnificence. She dines upon nothing less costly than gold and crimson velvet nor wears anything less splendid than satin and point lace.

Lord Salisbury's daughter, Gwendolen, is an excellent mathematician. It is said of her that at 14 she was so proficient in mathematics that she might have taken a degree. She has probably inherited this from her distinguished father. She is the authoress of a book on "The Curse of Intellect."

The Princess of Chimay has grown tired of Cairo, it seems, and has made up her mind to visit the south seas. She is said to have decided to retire to one of those blessed isles and never return to the old world, for which she has conceived a violent hatred and which she never wishes to see again.

The Duchess de la Rochefoucauld Doudeauville, who has just died in Paris, was for many years one of the most brilliant figures in Parisian society, and her husband is a prominent member of the Royalist party. She was a noted beauty in her day, and admittance to her salon was regarded as a great privilege.

Miss Frances E. Willard's life is to be written by her two confidential friends, Lady Henry Somerset and Miss Anna Gordon. By the terms of the will of the white ribbon leader these two women were made her literary executors, and all her letters and data of a literary character pass into their keeping for this purpose.

Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes keeps, among other household possessions, a designer who plans all her gowns, to whom almost a royal income is paid. The person is both an artist and a dressmaker, and if it should happen that six months passed without Mrs. Yerkes' visiting Paris all the latest modes would be brought to her attention and consideration by the designer, who is sent on a trip to Paris for this purpose.

SOME PEOPLE.

Some people can give an ugly mule points in kicking.

Some people who have full purses possess empty minds.

Some people are "long" on religion but "short" on goodness.

Some people forget that a broad creed sometimes is very shallow.

Some people argue about Christianity much better than they live it.

Some people can say yes a thousand times easier than they can no.

Some people who wear patent leather shoes have corns on their feet.

Some people make Sunday anything but a "sunny day" for their children.

Some people are like mosquitoes—not very dangerous, but tremendously annoying.

Some people who cannot raise a nickel know how to raise the wrecked battleship Maine.

Some people drop a cent into the collection plate on Sunday and do a dollar's worth of grumbling at the parson during the week.—Machias Union.

FITZ-HUGH LEE.

Consul General Lee has demonstrated that he is a very big American citizen.—Atlanta Constitution.

Next to the president himself the man nearest the center of the American stage is Fitz-Hugh Lee.—Utica Press.

In certain contingencies Consul General Lee may become Major General Lee. He is a soldier as well as a diplomat.—New York Mail and Express.

When the present crisis is passed, no matter what the outcome may be, whether it be war or not, the Union must recognize that its strongest defender and most active patriot was Fitz-Hugh Lee.—Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer-Sun.

Fitz-Hugh Lee has faced better men than the Havana rabble in battle array and never weakened. Still, there is a difference between fighting an open and brave foe and being hounded by a fellow with a stiletto or a dynamite bomb. General Lee's real bravery is now doubly conspicuous.—Houston Post.

CURIOUS CULLINGS.

Native surgeons of the Zuni tribe of American Indians cultivate long nails and frequently use them in place of the knife.

The cat was considered a sacred animal by the ancient inhabitants of Heliopolis, Egypt. When one of these animals died in a private residence, the occupants shaved off their eyebrows.

It is a curious fact that the roots and branches of a tree are so alike in their nature that if a tree be uprooted and turned upside down the underground branches will take unto themselves the functions of roots, and the exposed roots will in time bud and become veritable branches.

A Michigan man recently sent the following letter to the superintendent of schools: "Dear sir my boy Johnnie come home today with his head broke open by a biger boy. I wisht you would look into it. My boy comes to school to learn brains and not to have them knocked out."

ODD NOTIONS.

The most ludicrous being in the world is he who tries to be unhappy and can't.

Some people are so slow that they irritate other people to go too fast and fall overboard.

There is not plenty of room at the top, and it takes an acrobat to stick on after he gets there.

Success is a swinging door. It has no knob, and you can only get on the other side by having "push."—Detroit Free Press.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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WANTED—Washing to do at my home. Call at 21 Adams street. MRS. D. MORAN. April 2—3t

WANTED—A good reliable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. THOMAS E. FURNALD at 17 Edward street. Quincy, March 31. 3t

WANTED—A capable girl, good cook, for general housework. References. Apply to A. H. DOBLE CO. Quincy, March 28. 6t

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two desirable house lots on Sumner street, near Washington street. Will sell at a bargain if applied for at once. JOHN F. MERRILL. April 2—4tSat

FOR SALE—Parlor Bed, almost new, antique oak. Cost $25.00. Will sell cheap for cash. J. H., Atlantic, Mass. April 2—1t

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St. Quincy, March 31. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—A few nicely furnished rooms, with use of bath room, at No. 28 Chestnut street. Apply on the premises to MRS. PEVERLY Quincy, March 30. 6t

TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. March 29. eod-tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

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AT Wollaston Park, two Cottages with all improvements; nicely papered and set range. One has nine rooms and bath, and the other has seven rooms and bath. Will take free, clear lot as first payment. Also have a 6-room cottage in Everett, will sell cheap or exchange for lot in Quincy.

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March 31-3t plw

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Cottage house, 9 rooms, with modern conveniences, No. 6 Coddington street.
House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
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Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
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Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
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Feb. 26. tf

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Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.
By H. M. FAXON, Treas.
Quincy, March 26. 2w mws

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FASHIONS OF NEW YORK.

Masses of Flowers Bloom on the Spring Hats.

MODEST VIOLET IN HIGH FAVOR.

Shepherdess Straws Are to Be Popular Again, but the Leghorn and Milan Shapes, Trimmed With Plumes and Aigrets, Will Be Worn For Dress Occasions.

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Of all the colors offered none is so springlike in effect as violet. Violet covers all the purples from deep prune to light lilac and lavender. I have seen some hats covered with violets in all possible shades. With their green leaves they certainly are beautiful to look at in the show windows, where they are always cunningly arranged with a soft moss green velvet or plush back ground and carpet. They are not always so satisfactory when on one's head. Still there is nothing more modest, we are told, than the violet. I never saw so many put on millinery before. True, three seasons ago muffs, collarettes, boas and enormous corsage bouquets were made of these flowers, but even then such masses were not piled upon hats as now. A poetic beauty was given one hat by having white rosebuds among the violets. Pink ones are often mingled with them.

The purely spring hats are, as I said, covered with masses of flowers, but there are other ones intended to wear with suits, and these are made to match them.

One most elegant Easter suit was of mode broadcloth, rich and fine. The skirt was smooth and without a sign of trimming—indeed it looked as if it had grown together. The bodice resembled somewhat an eton in the back, but lapped to the left side, where it fastened invisibly. There were two lapels and a storm collar. These were faced with snuff brown satin, while the edges were finished with inch wide straps of the mode cloth stitched along in tailor style. At the bottom of the front of the waist there was a triangular piece of satin scalloped on the upper edge and this, too, strap stitched. The sleeves were ornamented in the same way.

The hat to wear with this was of mode chip, with a high crown of plaited mode velvet. There were several large and small ostrich tips in the two shades—mode and brown. At the back there was a cluster of pale pink roses, and there was a French bow tie made of pale pink silk mull with shirring along the bottom. This was fastened at the throat with an enameled canary bird, very odd, but pretty. The whole suit was strikingly elegant.

A lavender cloth gown and hat were also shown. The skirt had three rows of inch wide black velvet ribbon around it. There was an open basque coat with a vest of white satin, with a full double frill of crepe lisse down the front. A black velvet belt with a large gold slide ended the vest. The coat basque had a storm collar and enormous revers with three rows of the black velvet ribbon sewed on flat. The same was carried around the collar and around the bottom of the basque. The hat was slightly upturned all around and was of lavender chip with a wreath of ostrich plumes. Just under the brim in the back was a bunch of velvet shaded primroses.

The favorite shape is the shepherdess—that is, in the satin faced straws and chips. The leghorns and milans are wider of brim and more flexible, so that they can be looped and twisted into almost any shape, and these are generally trimmed with large plumes and aigrets and scarfs of mechlins or mull or other fine lace or material. They are to be the dress hat par excellence.

While masses beyond belief are piled up of different kinds of flowers on some hats and bonnets, there are others with none or at most a little bunch to rest lovingly against the hair on the side or at the back. One dainty dark gray satin straw had a facing of soft pink under the brim. Around the crown was a crumpled scarf of white crepe lisse, with a ruffle of fine black chantilly falling partly over it. At the left side were two full black ostrich tips and one white one. Under the brim at the back was a cluster of pale pink blush roses. This hat was of the shepherdess shape.

Toques are very much liked for dress occasions and evenings; capotes rather less so, though there are numbers of these seen too. Capotes are of irregular form and usually as light as possible. Almost anything seems to be right for these. Black lace, white lace, mull, net, silk, velvet and flowers, besides jet ornaments, rhinestone ornaments, feathers and aigrets, are all seen. Some are made entirely of flowers, others without any, but all have narrow velvet strings.

The rough straws produce the most striking effects. There are no two alike. Different colors are used to make the braids, and these are coarser than any basket. There is generally a fluted or ruffled effect given to the brim by plaited straw, and some of them have the crown widen at the top like a mushroom and a ruffle of straw braid sewed around the upper edge. The brim being fluted or held in irregular dents gives the whole an ornamental appearance without trimming, but the addition of flowers and twisted net or other drapery is by no means out of place. There were some capotes made with fluted fronts and backs. These are especially adapted to middle aged and elderly ladies. With very little trimming they are quite dressy enough.

It would be impossible to give even the most casual mention of half the hats, there are so many, but the shepherdess, the amazon and the rough plaited straws will proabbly be the favorites for all ordinary wear. Some have dark brims and light colored crowns. One design has a dented brim in dark prune, and a drapery around the very low crown made of white rough straw made wide like a ribbon. This was unique.

The parasols are quite as novel and the styles quite as diversified as the new hats. Plaid taffeta made in curious manner are seen everywhere. There are clan and block plaids. Some have a sort of star of plaid set on to another part of striped silk. The color combination shown in some of them is simply fierce. Others are refined and delicate. Chiffon ruchings and puffings are sewed over nearly the whole surface of some of the new designs. The body of the parasol will be of a solid color in surah or fine taffeta, and this will have a lining in lighter quality in some lighter color, and this lining extends down in shape of a pinked ruffle, sometimes six inches deep. The chiffon ruffles and ruches are set above this. A bow of satin ribbon to match the color is put on the handle and sometimes at the top.

A new idea is to have a natural black walnut fastened to the end of the handle. There are some new fancies where the whole parasol is covered with a fluff of soft ruffles of chiffon. One in alternate black and white was pretty. Another in pale baby blue was lovely. One in pink over white was beautiful. Another in shaded yellows was gorgeous. A novelty comes in a box. There is one frame and several covers. These are arranged so that they can be easily drawn over the frame and fastened, and in that way one can have a dozen different umbrellas or parasols.

There is quite a variety of fancy little parasols for children. Fine black lace ruffles laid over white lisse or chiffon ones are exceedingly refined and tasteful.

There are some new ideas in veils. One is a square of large open meshed black net with square dots an inch apart. At the edge is a scalloped outline in the square dots set close together. Just above this is sewed or woven a narrow gauze black ribbon. This gives a very pretty effect when it is fastened. Another net with smaller dots has a pattern like chantilly wrought just to outline the face and make it look like a picture in a frame. The rest of the veil is to be fastened as usual. Other net veils have coin dots in white on the black ground. The old fashioned half circle of chantilly is revived and those who can afford it will have one of them. White veils with black dots are seen, and a few violet and blue ones. Strange to say, these oddly colored veils are really becoming.



THE NEWEST STYLES IN MILLINERY.

Among the new thin goods I find gazonette de broderie. This comes under the head of a high novelty and is a sort of silk and in some cases cotton gauze, though firm and strong. The tints are delicate and dainty. Over the surface is an outline embroidery in silk in hamburg stitch. Sometimes this is all in one color, and then again it is in various tints and colors to represent the flowers it weaves. There are also net gowns with beautiful floss embroideries straggling all over them.

Organdies are daintier and finer than ever, and there is not one of the summer fabrics that can surpass them. To be the perfect gown organdie requires special treatment. The waist should be full in front without bagginess, and the skirt should be gathered at the waist line and sewed to a belt—better, sewed to the waist belt. There may be a slight gored effect if so desired. The skirt to be in full style should be ruffled at the bottom, all the ruffling being edged with white valenciennes or imitation duchess. The more ruffles the prettier.

There should be an underdress of taffeta of the color best suited to bring out the coloring. This skirt must not be too heavy and so should not have too many ruffles. One deep Spanish ruffle faced up for six inches with the new gauze hairbone facing and one pinked or featherboned ruffle just above the lower edge of this is enough. A good way is to have the whole of the taffeta underdress cut en princesse and made entirely separate from the outside. This plan makes the organdie dress, no matter how many are the ruffles, light and delightful for summer. Then in case the gown is to be laundered there is no trouble to undo it, and the same silk slip will do for several gowns.

Organdie can be washed if done quickly with ivory soap and ironed before it gets quite dry. A little water starch is an addition. If it gets dry and has to be sprinkled, it is liable to lose color. It should be ironed on the wrong side. A little salt or alum in the rinsing water will set the color. It is best to dry it in the shade.

In silks for negligees and afternoon teas the pongees have been made up into some very beautiful gowns. Pongee is of a color or tint that seems to blend with anything. One was trimmed with ruby velvet ribbons and ruby colored lace. The lace was set on in cascades down the front and as a ruffle along the bottom. The ribbon was made into drooping bows with long ends and put everywhere. New taffetas for house gowns are shown in solid tints and colors, mostly dark like nut brown, dull green, prune, burned orange and mouse.

The tunic skirt appears to grow in favor, and so does the skirt flounced to the waist. A black satin duchesse had ruffles 2½ inches wide set the same distance apart clear to the waist.

MATE LEROY.

THE EQUINE RECRUIT

HOW GREEN HORSES ARE EDUCATED FOR CAVALRY SERVICE.

They Are First Broken to the Saddle and Then Put Through Various Drills. Taught to Smell Gunpowder and Stand Saber Practice Without Flinching.

When a horse is taken from the field and put into the cavalry, he needs to be drilled just as much as the raw recruit who enlists. The animal joins the army as well as the man, and he is as much a part of the regiment as his rider. Both have much to learn, and it is often a fact that the horse learns his lesson better and quicker than the man.

The latter handles himself awkwardly, confuses orders, forgets details and in other ways arouses the anger of the drill sergeant. The horse is awkward too. The unfamiliar sights and sounds frighten him, and he naturally dislikes the smell of gunpowder. But he soon conquers these defects, and when he once learns what an order means he never forgets it. The man sometimes does.

The education of the cavalry horse begins soon after he arrives at the post. He is probably travel sick from the effects of his long ride on the cars. The first thing



SUBDUING A BUCKER.

to do is to get him in good physical shape and make him feel at home amid his new surroundings. He is just like a new boy at school. He is shy, and everything is strange to him.

After he has been thoroughly rested he is taken out into the paddock some morning and given his first lesson in cavalry tactics. The initial instruction is in kneeling and lying down. In order to make him understand what is required of him a simple arrangement of harness is used.

A surcingle is placed around his belly, to which are attached two iron rings, one underneath and one at the horse's back. Straps containing rings are also placed about each fore leg just above the hoof, and another strap is placed about the head just above the nose. The officer in charge is supplied with two long ropes, by means of which the horse is rendered quite at the mercy of his instructor.

One rope is fastened to the ring on the right leg, extends up through the ring on the surcingle under the horse's belly down to the ring on the left leg and back again through the surcingle ring. The other end of the rope is held by the officer. The minute the horse begins to show a fractious spirit a strong pull on the rope brings him down on his knees.

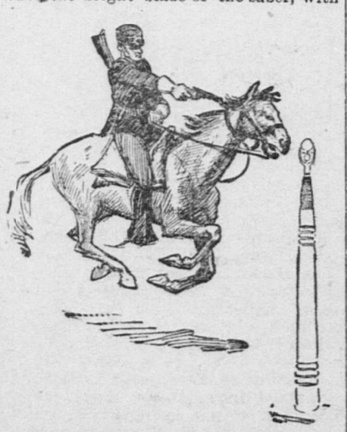
A few repetitions of this, administered in such a way as to demonstrate to the horse that he is entirely at the mercy of the trainer, and the first lesson is over. The horse is taken back to his stable, often without the stroke of a whip.

Next he is taught not to mind a weight on his back, and this he learns after he realizes that a cavalryman cannot be unseated by any of the bucking tactics at the command of his horseship.

The greatest shock to his nerves is yet in store. This is in getting accustomed to firearms. While the animal is down on the ground the officer takes a pistol and fires it close to his ear. Then in rapid order he fires the weapon over his back, under his neck, between his legs, anywhere that an opening presents itself during the horse's futile struggles. Not until the horse sinks back exhausted, all a-tremble and showing the whites of his eyes, does the pistol practice cease.

After two or three lessons of this kind it is considered safe to mount him with a bridle furnished with a curb bit. Up to this time the horse has never felt a curb. The light snaffle is still retained, and the curb bridle is only given a gentle pressure at first—just enough to let him know that it is there. Gradually the strength of the pull is increased, and with this safeguard the horse is taught to stand fire from his rider's pistol or carbine.

Then comes saber practice, and that is another trial to the horse. Again is he thrown to the ground, and he probably can't understand why he should have to suffer this indignity all over again, for he has learned that lesson very well. But when the bright blade of the saber, with



GETTING USED TO GUNPOWDER.

quick thrusts flashing before his eyes and cutting the air in close proximity to his ears, appears to him, he is terror stricken.

But the lesson he has learned from the smell of gunpowder stands him in good stead. He soon gets over his fear. Even with a man on his back and another mounted upon a seasoned horse coming at him with saber raised in the air or slashing left and right he knows that it is all a part of his education and something to be expected. So he stands his ground or cavorts about the other horse, while the two troopers indulge in their saber practice.

TO MANAGE THE OMAHAS.

George Decker, Chicago's Utility Man, Accepts Western League Team's Terms.

George Decker admitted the other night that he will accept the position as captain and manager of the Omaha Western league baseball club. The decision is the result of a communication recently received from President Hart of the Chicago club, which assures him a handsome salary.

The popular Chicago player says that the matter has been so adjusted that no National league club will have a claim upon his services. He has been in doubt previously since the offer was received. It was said the salary question was the stumbling block. The Omaha club realized what a great card he would be and made its proposition such that he now feels it is a splendid chance, especially as Everitt is a fixture at the initial bag.

Decker's good services will be of inestimable value to the new Western league organization. He certainly will go with the best wishes of the Chicago players and public. Decker is known for his unostentatious manner, which secured for him the nickname of "Gentleman George." He will undoubtedly be one of the strongest batters in the minor league. He hit .307 last year, although not playing regularly in one position.—Chicago Times-Herald.

TIMELY TURF TIPS.

Hornell Wilkes, 2:16¼, has been purchased by a Russian breeder.

Merrick Diver is the name of a 7-year-old brother of John R. Gentry, 2:00½.

Hugh Penny recently won his fourth consecutive race on the Crescent City track.

Sir Florian, next to May Hampstead, is considered the best 2-year-old at New Orleans.

European horsemen are trying to buy Stamboul, 2:07½, the former champion of trotting stallions.

Lady Helen, 2:14¼, is used as a saddle mare. She did not obtain her pacing record until 11 years of age.

The California Jockey club has expended nearly $500,000 in improvements on the Oakland race track.

Horsemen at Churchill downs, Louisville, think that George Long's colt, Dr. Black, has a good chance of capturing the Louisville Derby.

It is claimed that Matty Bergen is far from being a back number, and it is said that he has secured a contract with a prominent Brooklyn turfman.

If enough entries can be secured, the management of the Queen City course, at Newport, Ky., will arrange a gentlemen's jockey race for amateur riders.

Foster Bros.' Abuse has done the fastest work at the Louisville track, five furlongs in 1:04. Dr. Shepard is going along smartly and will be sent for the Brooklyn Handicap.

James A. Murphy of Chicago and N. W. Hubinger of New Haven, the two plungers of the trotting turf, made a play or pay match for $2,500 recently which will bring together the two fast mares Emily, 2:11, and Margaret, 2:13½, in a race for blood on one of the grand circuit tracks next summer.

ROWING NOTES.

Winthrop G. Bushnell has given Bob Cook of Yale the use of a naphtha launch, which the veteran coach will find very handy in rowing practice.

William Klebahn, the champion sculler of Germany, who had intended to start for the diamond sculls at Henley, is now in America on his way to Honolulu to settle.

William Haines and William Barry, the English scullers, offer to row any two men in the world over the full Tyne championship course, double sculls or pairs, Wray and Towns preferred.

R. M. Patterson, son of Cashier Patterson of the Fourth National bank, who is in the class of 1900 at Yale university, is now the bow oar of the Yale varsity crew, taking the place of William Williams, who is ill at home.

If the negotiations pending between the universities of Pennsylvania and Wisconsin for a boat race are successful, it will be rowed either at Madison or Milwaukee and will be the first big intercollegiate race rowed in the west.

The Argonaut Rowing club of Toronto announces that the Pennsylvania Barge club of Philadelphia has promised to compete in the first eight oared race rowed in Canada. Cornell will be invited. The race will take place on Toronto bay on a date suitable to the American crews.

Harvard's Athletic Expenses.

According to the annual report of Graduate Manager N. W. Bingham, Jr., to the Harvard athletic committee, the total expenditure in all branches of athletics for the year ending Aug. 30, 1897, was $52,773.49. The receipts for the year amounted to $55,053.20. The only sports which netted profits were football and baseball. In football the expenses were $11,322.80 and the receipts $31,413.42. The baseball team cost $7,750.57 and took in $10,136.05. As usual, the crew incurred the heaviest item of loss, showing an expenditure of $7,908.93 and receipts of $4,015.11. The track athletic team earned only $1,721.36 toward an expenditure of $4,264.72.—New York Sun.

Candidate For the Brooklyn Handicap.

Ornament, the leading candidate for the Brooklyn and Suburban Handicaps, in recent trial worked six furlongs in 1:17½ over a slow track. As a 3-year-old, Ornament earned $51,900, including the International Derby at Detroit, the St. Louis, Oakley and Latonia Derbys. He also won the Clark stakes at Louisville, the Brooklyn Brookwood, the Twin City Handicap, the fall handicap at Coney Island and the Himyar Stakes at Latonia. During his 2 and 3 year old career he started in 28 races and won 17. In seven he was second and in one third.—Exchange.

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Business In the East Somewhat Affected by the Cuban Imbroglio.

New York, April 2.—Bradstreet's says this week: A week of rather quieter general trade and of smaller distribution, due to easily explainable causes, closes a quarter which has been eminently satisfactory to nearly all branches of trade and productive of an unprecedented business in many favored lines. The heavy foreign demand for our products, particularly agricultural staples, and the active domestic movement in most lines are evidenced by the heavily increased bank clearings reported for the quarter, and the effect on the commercial mortality is favorably reflected in a total, for the first three months of 1898, of failures and of liabilities involved smaller than in the corresponding period for four years past.

Current demand and distribution at the east have been interfered with by the uncertainties growing out of our unsettled foreign relations. This has been particularly manifest in the more pronounced indisposition on the part of buyers to anticipate future wants, and some cancellations of orders for woolen goods are attributed directly to this cause. Evidence is not lacking, however, that the stimulation to the woolen goods industry growing out of tariff changes last year is responsible in some measure for the unreadiness of manufacturers to go ahead as confidently now as they did a year ago. Little or no improvement is found in the coarse cotton goods trade, and print cloths have marked a new low record in quotations of 2 1-16 cents for regular goods.

The price situation on the whole is quite encouraging this week, oats, flour, print cloths and hides being the most prominent among the decreases mentioned, while wheat, corn, lard, coffee, cotton and sugar are higher and the list of staples unchanged in price appears the most numerous.

Failure records, as intimated, bear witness to the satisfactory conditions ruling in commercial lines this year in a total for the quarter of 3515 embarrassments, involving liabilities of $36,198,000, a decrease in number from a year ago of 13 percent and from two years ago of 22 percent, while as regards liabilities there is a falling from last year of 30 percent and as compared with 1896 of over 42 percent. The total assets are $19,503,993, about 54 percent of the liabilities, or only a little above the normal. Both as regards number, liabilities and assets involved, in fact the first quarter of this year makes a more favorable comparison than the corresponding three months for at least four years past. It is necessary to go back to 1893 to find a total number of failures smaller than those reported this year, but the less serious nature of this year's casualties is shown by a decrease in liabilities even from that year.

An exception to the generally satisfactory report is found in the eastern group, which, influenced by a larger number of failures in Massachusetts and heavy liabilities of a few large concerns, shows a total number and total liabilities heavier than for at least four years past. A few large failures in Pennsylvania, Vermont and Rhode Island swell the liabilities in those states considerably, although the number failing is smaller than a year ago. The failures in New England during the past three months numbered 654; liabilities, $9,849,518; assets, $5,299,896, against 608 failures; liabilities of $5,165,504, and assets of $2,062,472 in the first quarter of 1897.

Gains in bank clearings for the month of March are less pronounced than they were in the preceding month, but exceed the gains shown in all but three other months since the present improved conditions first manifested themselves. Special telegraphed reports to Bradstreet's show the total clearings for the month just closed to have aggregated $5,626,000,000, a gain of 34 percent over a year ago, 6 percent smaller than the January total, the heaviest ever known.

For the first quarter of the present calendar year the total clearings aggregate $17,153,000,000, 38.9 percent larger than the corresponding period a year ago, in which there was a decrease shown of 3.5 percent over the year 1896. For the three months' period the middle states group shows the heaviest gain, 47.6 percent, other heavy increases being the gain of 35 percent each by the far western and the northwestern groups. The smallest gain shown for the three months is that of the southwestern group, 10.5 percent.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 1.—The bill to place the telephone companies under the supervision of the gas and electric light commission was ordered to a third reading in the house yesterday by a vote of 75 to 61, with 32 pairs. Three members were excused from voting, under a house rule which says that "no member shall vote upon any question where his private right is immediately concerned distinct from the public interest." These three members were Dean of Malden, Carleton of Haverhill and Codman of Brookline. They are stockholders in telephone companies.

Senator Folsom had an amendment adopted to a street railway bill allowing them to carry snow, ice, dirt and street sweepings upon its tracks.

The bill providing for the infliction of the death penalty by electrocution was passed to a second reading, without discussion, and is apparently going through without dissent.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SUNDAY, APRIL 3.
Sun rises—5:23; sets, 6:12.
Moon sets—3:31 a. m.
High water—8:15 a. m.; 9 p. m.

The fair weather in New England promises to last through Sunday, and maybe Monday, with slowly rising temperature and variable wind direction.

BOSTON DOINGS.

Crew of a Capsized Craft Picked Up by a Pilot Boat.

Boston, April 2.—Pilot McLean reports that a pilot boat picked up the captain, mate, steward and three men comprising the crew of the schooner Genius, Captain Chute, which was bound from Bridgetown, N. S., for this port with a cargo of 14,000 feet of piling. The men were drifting about in an open boat about 18 miles east of Boston light. The vessel had sprung aleak during a storm and filled with water. Later she capsized, the crew just having time to launch a boat. The men suffered considerably from the cold until they were rescued. An effort will be made to find the capsized schooner and tow her to this port.

In the case of William Thompson vs. the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company the full bench of the supreme court over-rules the defendant's exceptions, and the result is that the defendant must pay the plaintiff the verdict of $5045. The suit was brought for damages for the loss of an eye consequent upon an exhibition of markmanship by a "man born without hands" in a grove owned by the defendant. The plaintiff was a spectator at the exhibition, having been brought there on one of the defendant's cars.

The trout fishing season in Massachusetts opened Friday. From most localities the fishing was reported poor. Most of the best fishing grounds in the state have been secured by clubs or by individuals as preserves, although there are some streams where the country fishermen who know the pools have fair luck. Around Plymouth there was good fishing, as the streams have been stocked, and every year more or less fry get away from the preserves of the Old Colony Trout company, the Plymouth Rock Trout company, the Eben D. Jordan preserve and other preserves and in Eel river.

The board of directors of the Boston Merchants association has adopted a resolution upon the impending crisis in which the present conflict in Cuba is deprecated and the "dignified, wise, humane and patriotic policy of the president of the United States in regard to the affairs of Cuba" heartily endorsed.

The retail price for milk will be the same during the following six months in Boston as during the summer season last year. The six months' period of summer prices begins on April 1 of each year, and the producers and contractors usually come to terms before that time, but this year they have failed. The union asked full prices on an amount of surplus equal to 10 percent of the entire sale. The contractors offered to pay for 2 1-2 percent. The union came down to five percent. This is what the contractors paid last year, and this is the situation today. It is settled that the contractors shall pay the butter value for milk they cannot sell.

The line officers of the First Regiment last night elected Major Charles B. Woodman of Fall River to be lieutenant colonel, vice Charles O. Hovey, resigned. Major Woodman has accepted. Colonel James A. Frye of Governor Wolcott's staff was chosen to fill the vacancy.

Had Fifteen Dollars In His Pockets.

Providence, April 2.—A daring holdup and robbery was perpetrated last night about 8 o'clock on the tracks of the consolidated road just south of Auburn. The victim was Adolphus Savage of Bridgeport, Conn., a traveling agent of the Pacific iron works of Bridgeport. The robbers were two men, whose appearance gave no indication that they were tramps. Mr. Savage was in Providence on business and he had gone down to Hillsgrove during the afternoon. He intended returning to the city in the early evening, but, missing his train, started to walk to Auburn down the tracks, a distance of about four miles.

He had passed the Norwood station and was about half way between that and the bridge over the Pawtuxet river when, glancing backwards, he noticed that he was being followed by two men. To this he paid no special attention, but an instant later the men sprang upon him and overpowered him. With a revolver at his head, Mr. Savage's hands were pinioned behind him and his pockets were ransacked. So far as he can recollect he had about $15. All was taken and then the robbers left him, going toward Pawtuxet from the railroad.

Duel to the Death.

Waco, Tex., April 2.—W. C. Brann, editor of The Iconoclast, and Captain M. T. Davis met yesterday afternoon and, after exchanging a few words, began firing at each other with revolvers. Brann was shot in the lung and both feet. Davis was shot through the lung and both arms. The difficulty grew out of the Brann-Baylor university feud of last year, and political feeling contributed to this bad blood.

Trouble had been expected, and when they met they lost no time in getting out their weapons. About 10 seconds were occupied in the shooting, at the end of which Brann and Davis lay bleeding. W. H. Ward, Brann's business partner, was shot through the right hand. A wild bullet hit Motorman Kennedy in the knee. Another wild bullet hit Eugene Kepler in the foot.

Brann lingered until 1:55 a. m. Davis is regarded as mortally wounded, as he is bleeding internally.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

In the case of the three leaders of the proposed invasion of Texas from Mexico the court has decided that there was sufficient evidence to hold them for violation of the laws on neutrality.

The central Cuban relief committee sent from New York yesterday 90,000 pounds of meal, 10,000 pounds of clothing and 62,000 pounds of assorted provisions and medicines, to be delivered at Sagua la Grande.

Ellen Flynn, aged 60, was fatally burned at her home in Holyoke, Mass., last night. Passers-by saw flames in the woman's room and, rushing in, found her sitting in a chair enveloped in flames, caused by a spark from a pipe.

Relations between Nicaragua and Costa Rica are greatly strained. War is probable, because it is reported that Costa Rica demands an equal privilege with Nicaragua in the navigation of the river San Juan and the canal route.

The Pingree corporation bill passed the Michigan house with only three dissenting votes. The only amendment of importance was that to which the Pingree people agreed, making the assessors elective, instead of appointive by the governor.

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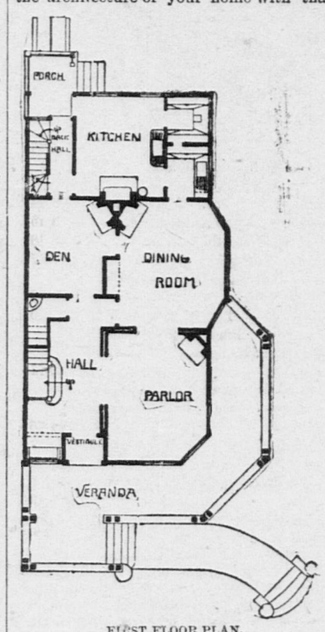
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In building a home you must first choose a location, and, having selected one that is your ideal, you will find you have half the battle fought. You will often see a man attending real estate sales with the plans and elevations of the house he proposes to build in his pocket. He is looking for a favorable site. He may own other property, but it may not be suited to the special requirements of his particular ideas of a home. Therefore he does not build and looks elsewhere for his site. He is a restless sort of a home seeker. He is not sure what he really does want. He has procured plans and elevations of a building which may be perfect, may look handsome and be well adapted to the locality where it is built. But where may we find the same peculiar conditions that exist where this house stands? We might travel the entire universe and not find a locality the same. Then when a man acts this way he is simply antagonizing himself. A house should always be planned according to its location, and oftentimes where you would deem it an impossibility you can erect a home that will be a surprise to you as well as to your neighbors. If you will only stop and carefully consider the surrounding scenery and endeavor to blend the architecture of your home with that



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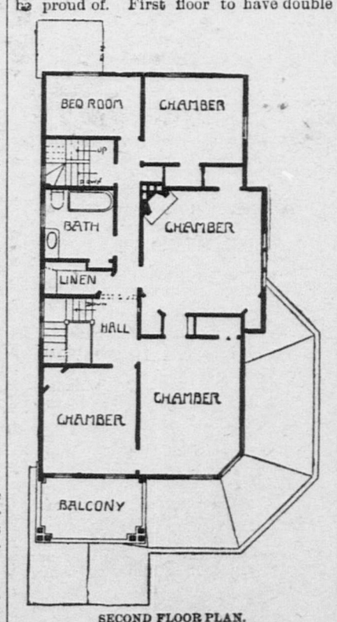


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which nature has given you, sometimes very comely and picturesque effects may be worked in, which greatly enhance the value of your property and induce your neighbor, when about to build, to erect a similar home, which is advantageous to both.

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This house may be built at a cost not exceeding $7,000 anywhere within a radius of 200 miles of New York city and is one which any owner and community would be proud of. First floor to have double



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

flooring; walls externally to have heavy sheathing under shingles, and both floors to be warmed to 60 degrees in zero weather by a modern hot water heater placed in the basement; large fireplaces to be built in dining room and den, adding cheerfulness and comfort, and to be used auxiliary to the radiators. On second floor we also have a fireplace in central chamber, where it is often found extremely handy and delightful in case of sickness.

The width of this building will be 28 feet, the length 50 feet. We have the servants' bedroom in rear of house, easily reached from the back stairs without troubling or annoying the rest of the household. There is besides a very fine veranda on first floor, with a balcony opening from the guest chamber, which is a very pleasant feature. You will notice a vestibule on the first floor built in, thereby doing away with the need of applying unseemly portable vestibules on front veranda.

THE SWIFT CYCLISTS.

"Majah" Taylor wants to race Tom Linton, former one hour champion of the world.

A Bordeaux rider intends essaying the attempt to ride backward 92 miles in four hours.

Dick Howell, the old high wheel English professional, is managing a hotel at Coney Island.

Charles W. Miller, the six day champion, is training faithfully for the 100 miles unpaced record at Bellair, Fla.

"Mother" Webb, the trainer of Tom Cooper, is negotiating for four match races for his protege with the crack riders of Europe.

Arthur Zimmerman is in Florida, training for coming work. He has arranged for a tour of Mexico this season, racing at different places.

It will interest the racing sharps to learn that Manager Dave Shafer regards Fred Titus as a promising candidate for middle distance track work.

Tom Eck was unsuccessful in securing the services of Jimmy Michael's brother, who is only 17 years of age, but who is looked upon as a coming rider.

Those who have witnessed his riding state that Jimmy Michael makes a better bicycle rider than jockey, but Jimmy is new to the jockey business at present.

Lesna, the Swiss champion, who will race this season in this country, expects to carry back with him sufficient money with which to get married and settle down.

When training, the French riders eat an ordinary table d'hote dinner, with wine and coffee, and smoke an occasional cigarette. They receive very little massage treatment, and then only after a ride.

Harry Elkes, the wonderful little rider who was seen in the last six day race in New York, would like to ride "Majah" Taylor, the colored cyclist, a 33 mile match race with pacemakers for $500 a side.

Somebody with a head for figures has calculated that a rider traveling 200 miles at a racing gait, on a machine geared to 72, rider and machine weighing 140 pounds, would expend 6,000,000 pounds of energy or about 200 horsepower.

Bicycle Riding and the Size of the Feet.

"Bicycles interfere with the shoe business in more ways than one," explained a well known rider of the silent steed. "It is proved beyond all doubt that riding a wheel will in one season cause the foot to grow 1 to 1½ inches larger. Hundreds of bicycle riders have ascertained this. With men it does not make any difference, for, except in very rare cases, men do not care as much for the size of their feet as they do for comfort. With the ladies, however, it is quite another thing. They wear bicycle shoes for riding, but find to their sorrow that in a season or so they cannot wear the size shoe that they wore before they developed their feet. Cycling not only tends to lengthen the foot, but also to widen it. The shoe manufacturers, as a result, turn out many shoes for ladies of larger sizes than formerly. It is the old story coming true in another way. Those who dance must pay the fiddler. I don't know that it does a nice looking girl any harm to widen or lengthen her boot a little, but she thinks it does. Still, there's no getting away from it, and she has to grin and stand the consequences, or at least stand on the consequences."—Washington Star.

Eddie Bald's Stage Plans.

Eddie Bald wants to be an actor. After another summer of laurels and prize money he will jump up behind the footlights and try for a win on the stage. But he wants to buy a play, put it on a ladder and perch upon one of the choicest rungs. He intends to be the whole fireworks. Already he has a romance in his mind, and he is in training to present it on the stage. The plot of the play will be wearing upon the galleries. Bald is in love with a beautiful maiden, and he wears court costumes while telling her of it. He learns of his rival, Tomasso Detroito, an Italian cooper, who is a youth struggling for bicycle championship and qualified for getting it. The rivals challenge one another to a five mile race, the winner to marry the young woman. During the race there is a little elbowing in the home stretch, more clutching, and Bald slides triumphantly across the tape.—Wheel Life.

New Tires Are Needed.

There are a lot of riders who come here regularly with tire troubles, either punctures, leaky valves or other things. I cannot understand why they do not discover that what they need is a new pair of tires. It is a fact that I get many tires not worth fixing. Many riders think a pair of tires should last them forever, when the truth is it takes a mighty good pair to last two seasons. The rubber wears, the fabric loses its strength and tension and the whole tire degenerates in the course of a year even on the wheels of those who are occasional and leisurely riders. I know of some riders who have spent enough to buy new tires in having old ones repaired.—New York Sun.

Soldiers Awheel In Belgium.

Military cyclists will have a busy time at the next great maneuvers at Brussels, to occur very shortly. A company of 120 men has been formed and is mounted on folding bicycles of Belgian make, as mounted infantry. Every chief of corps, general, colonel, major or captain will have under his orders a certain number of cycling dispatch carriers. Doctors, surgeons and administration officers are allowed choice between riding a bicycle or a horse. As this is the first time in Europe that such a privilege is given to military cyclists the result of the maneuvers will be watched with very much interest by all of the neighboring countries.—Exchange.



If every man could live an out-door life, passing his time with gun and fishing-rod and canoe, there would be less illness in the world. Unfortunately, the demands of modern civilization will permit very few men to live this ideal, healthful life.

Many men have to pass the day shut up in offices and stores, and the nights in close apartments in crowded cities. They get little out-door exercise. One of the results of this unhealthy, sedentary living is the awful prevalence of that dread disease—consumption. One-sixth of all the deaths each year are due to this relentless enemy. Formerly physicians pronounced this disease incurable. It is now generally known that there is a marvelous medicine that for the past thirty years has been curing consumption almost without a failure. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, bronchitis, asthma, laryngitis and other diseases of the air-passages. It is the great re-builder. It tears down, carries off and excretes old, inert tissues and replaces them with the firm tissues of health. It restores the lost appetite and makes the digestion perfect.

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NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of MARY A. SPEAR,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Emeline A. Williams of Quincy, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

March 19. 19-26-2

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE HURLEY,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Catherine F. Pendis of Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrx therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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MOON'S PHASES.

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Third Quarter 13 9:44 a. m. | First Quarter 28 9:21 p. m.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Many new advertisements today.

The inside pages are varied today, and will be found interesting.

Mr. James H. Slade's communication today is liable to provoke discussion.

Mr. Walter H. Hersey is paying a flying visit to a friend in Middlebrook today.

The Harbor and Land Commissioners advertise hearings relative to the Quincy Point and Weymouth bridges.

Miss Sarah Bent, one of the oldest ladies of the city, has been critically ill for a week at her residence on High School avenue.

The board of directors of the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at rooms.

District Deputy Litchfield and suite will make a visit to John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., at Wollaston next Wednesday evening. Three candidates will be initiated.

Holy week services will be held at Christ church on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. on Tuesday, Thursday and Good Friday at 9 A. M. and 7.45 P. M.

Those who attended the Ollie Torbett concert in Hancock hall last year will be pleased to learn that the same organization will be at Music hall next week Saturday. The Lutteman Quartette from Stockholm, Sweden, is already a favorite with many Quincy people. They not only sing the melodies of Sweden but the gems of all nations

The Golden Cross anniversary at Faxon hall, on Thursday evening, was an enjoyable affair. Mr. Archibald Macleod presided and the programme included songs, reading and the amusing drama "Pumpkins Tombstone." The cast included Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Furnald, Miss Bertha Foss and Mr. Peter Gomez. Dancing followed the entertainment. Refreshments were served.

Keith's Theatre.

One of the best known, as he is also one of the cleverest comedians in this country, Charles Dickson, will be the star feature of the continuous show at Keith's Boston theatre during the week of April 4. Mr. Dickson was for several years one of Mr. Frohman's leading actors, and later starred on his own account in "Incog," and other plays. The marvelous myriad and drapery dancer, Papinta, will delight Mr. Keith's audiences with her graceful evolutions, and the usual fine list of other attractions have been engaged, among them: Jones, Grant and Jones, "real coons" dancers and singers; the Five Fredericks, acrobats; Cal Stewart, Yankee comedian; Morton and Eliot, vocalists and artistic paper tearers. The song-sheet will be continued, as also the biograph, with its new pictures of the Maine wreck, etc. Some miniature models of the vessels comprising the United States navy, and one of the Maine after the explosion, are attracting the attention of all who pass through the lobby of the Washington street entrance.

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—Now is the best time to advertise in the Quincy Patriot, if you have real estate to sell, or want to rent a house.

BRAINTREE.

Mr. John Barbour will have charge of the meeting in the First church tomorrow evening.

The Glenwood social club is making preparations to hold an Easter ball in the Town Hall in April.

Miss Helen Kyte has returned from the hospital, where a successful operation was performed upon her knee.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist society spent Wednesday with Mrs. G. H. Arnold and tied a large woolen comforter. It is a beauty.

The annual business meeting of the Hitormissit club for election of officers and other business will take place at the home of the president of the club, next Friday evening at 7.30.

Mrs. Granville Bowditch has presented to the Jonas Perkins school, two more pictures: One a fine steel engraving of Daniel Webster, from the famous painting by Chester Harding, and the other a beautiful photograph of a Greek goddess. Both pictures are handsomely framed and ready to hang on the walls of the schoolrooms where they are much needed.

Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., will observe its 21st anniversary April 21.

Four candidates will be initiated into Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., at the next meeting.

The ladies connected with the South M. E. church gave a very interesting entertainment in Red Men's hall Thursday evening. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening.

It is the desire of some of the old graduates of the Braintree High school to hold a reunion at the Town Hall, Friday evening, April 8. It is proposed to secure a very fine orchestra from Boston and to give a musical entertainment of an hour; the remainder of the evening to be devoted to renewing old acquaintances and dancing.

The alarm from box 46 at 6.45 Monday night was for a fire in the barn in the William Dyer estate on Washington street, occupied by Webster Dyer. The barn was an old one, containing some hay, and it is thought that a spark from a locomotive set it on fire.

The Pine Tree club held a very pleasant social meeting in Pythian hall, Thursday evening. The time was spent in social chat and short speeches; with coffee, doughnuts, fruit and confectionery.

The committee appointed to see what could be done towards lighting the First church with electricity met in the chapel Monday night, and after discussing the merits of the new Washington light, they voted unanimously to ask the parish to light the church by electricity, and to ask the assessors to call a meeting at once for the purpose of taking final action.

The Christian Endeavor meeting, for Sunday evening, April 3d will be led by Mr. I. W. Horne. The subject will show how our homes are centres of christian life; the special subject being. The grace of hospitality." Gen. 1:1-10; Heb. 13:2. The meeting will commence at six o'clock.

Puritan lodge, No. 179, I. O. O. F., and the daughters of Rebekah, have reason to feel proud of their lodge room. The two upper floors over E. J. Mansfield's store, on Pearl street, have been completely renovated and refurnished.

The students in the Quincy evening-school of Boston, presented Mr. Joseph A. Ewart with a pair of handsome opera glasses at the close of the season as a token of their appreciation of his labors as their teacher.

The schools closed last night for one week.

Miss Hunt oldest daughter of Mr. N. F. T. Hunt had a very narrow escape at the Braintree crossing yesterday while dodging between trains.

Mr. William Allen, who has just completed the excavations for the new church at East Braintree has been given the contract to lay the foundations.

There was a short entertainment in the Monatiquot grammar school Friday afternoon consisting of readings by Goldie Jones, Fred Cottrell and Celia McCabe; a piano solo by Conrad W. Crooker; and the singing of America by the school.

Miss Ford a niece of Mrs. J. F. Perry who won so much favor by her piano solos at East Braintree last year, played in Association hall, Boston, last evening, and several Braintree people were in attendance.

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New Books.

The following is a list of new books recently added to the Thomas Crane Public Library:

Adams, A. N., *complier* Genealogical history of Henry Adams, of Braintree, Mass., and his descendants; also John Adams, of Cambridge, Mass., 1632-1897 Ref.

Alger, Abby L. In Indian tents: stories told by Penobscot, Passamaquoddy, and Micmac Indians. 85 54

Brooks, E. S. Century book for young Americans: about the government of the United States. j 80 44

True story of U. S. Grant, the American soldier. j 415 75

Clinton, H. L. Celebrated trials. 63 65

Extraordinary cases. 63 64

Clodd, Edward Pioneers of evolution from Thales to Huxley. 501 47

Corbin, John School boy life in England. 556 30

Curtis, Audrey Plain Jeremiah; or the awkward squad. j 272 42

Deland, Ellen D. Successful venture. j 282 40

Flint, Grover Marching with Gomez: a war correspondent's field notebook kept during four months with the Cuban army. [1896] 401 31

Frost, W. H. Knights of the round table: stories of King Arthur and the holy grail. j 85 12

Gibson, W. H. Sharp eyes: fifty-two weeks among insects, birds, and flowers. 506 47

Gomme, G. L., *editor* King's story book: stories out of English romantic literature in illustration of the reigns of English monarchs from the conquest to William IV. 231 33

Harris, George Inequality and progress. 80 33

Hogarth, D. G. Philip and Alexander of Macedon: two essays in biography. 457 32

Jenks, Tudor, *pseud.* Century World's fair book: adventures at the World's Columbian exposition. j 478 15

Lang, Andrew, *editor* Red true story book. j 356 51

Lummis, C. F. Enchanted burro: stories of New Mexico and South America. 256 66

Mitchell, D. G. English lands, letters, and kings. 4v.

From Celt to Tudor. 78 14

From Elizabeth to Anne. 78 15

Queen Anne and the Georges. 78 16

The later Georges to Victoria. 78 17

Morse, J. T., *Jr.*, Abraham Lincoln. 2v. [American statesmen.] 415 69 70

Parker, Gilbert Trail of the sword. 221 66

Ruskin, John Præterita: outlines of scenes and thoughts in my past life. 3v. 423 69-71

Scudder, S. H. Frail children of the air: excursions into the world of butterflies. 504 26

Vaile, Charlotte M. Orcutt girls; or one term at the academy. j 282 42

Sue Orcutt: sequel to "The Orcutt girls." j 282 43

THE HORSE SHOW.

Dick French recently trotted a mile on the ice at Barrie, Vt., in 2:21¼.

Wagon racing is popular in Toledo, O. A matinee club with 60 members has been organized.

E. H. Harriman has been approached by European turfmen for the sale of Onoqua, 2:08¼.

Bessie Owens, sister to Dentine, 2:13¼, will be Doug Thomas' crack green one for the big stakes.

The "Year Book For 1898" does not include Chehalis' two miles in 4:19¼ as a champion mark.

Secretary Wilson says there will be more horses in training at Lexington this spring than ever before.

There were 5,434 horses shipped from the Chicago market for export during the months of January and February.

Freely, by Hummer, dam by Hermes, is one of the stars of the green division of the Empire farm stable at Selma, Ala.

Walter F. Willson, Louisville, N. Y., is the owner of Elial T, the horse which won the five mile races at Ottawa and Montreal on the ice.

Midi, 2:14¾, by Electrician, that took her record as a 3-year-old in 1896, is pacing a blue streak at Selma. She is owned by William Simpson, Cuba, N. Y.

Searchlight was the best winner of the 3-year-old pacers last year. Easterners, except those who have something in his class, will be glad to get a glimpse of this great pacer this year.

Bill Frazier, 2:14, is 100 pounds heavier than he was last year and looks a 100 per cent better horse. Should no accident befall him this season, the Oregon papers think, 2:10 will not stop him.—Horseman.

THE BEEHIVE.

No matter when bees are moved they should be fastened up so that none can escape.

Do not neglect to look for the queens or brood when opening the hives in the spring.

One decided advantage of the Italians is their ability to defend themselves against enemies.

Italian bees work earlier in the morning and later in the night than common black bees.

To a very considerable extent spring dwindling is the result of poor winter management.

Hives should be located in good season in whatever particular location they are expected to occupy in readiness to receive the swarms as they come off.

When the weather gets warm enough for the bees to fly without becoming chilled, give them finely ground cornmeal, wheat or the finer parts of sifted ground oats.

If any colonies are found too weak in the spring to take care of a frame of brood, give them bees from the strongest colonies, but be careful not to give them the queen.

Do not open the hives to excite the bees when it is too cold for them to fly. The best time to remove surplus for brood frames is after two or three days of good honey weather.

If in the spring any of the colonies are found without queens, give them a frame of brood. Do not allow the colonies to rear queens until drones are hatched to insure mating.—St. Louis Republic.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

PALM SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The King of Kings."—A Palm Sunday meditation. Bible School at 12 M. Junior meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "An elective franchise, with every one a voter." Special music.

CHRIST CHURCH—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion at at 9.30, A. M. Morning prayer and seamon at 10.30 A. M., Subject: "The way to the cross." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 P. M., by the Rev. S A. Sherman of St. John's church, Jamaica Plain. Holy week services, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 9 A. M., and 4 P. M. Tuesday, Thursday and Good Friday 9 A. M., and 7.45 P. M.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Palm Sunday sermon. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Self-Sovereignity; or Uncrowned Kings." Leader Mr. John Arnold of Braintree. The Toner sisters of Braintree will sing. All come. Bible class and teachers' meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 110 Hancock street—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Spiritual discernment." Sabbath School and Bible class at 12 M. Y. P. S. E. C. at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "Argument in prayer." Last of series on Lord's Prayer. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. A welcome to all.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 o'clock. Sunday School at 12 M. Communion service at 6.00 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. The Scandinavians are invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Bible School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. At both morning and evening services the sacrament of the Lords Supper will be administered. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. Holy Communion at 9.30 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 3.15 P. M. Evening prayer and address at 4 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon on Wednesday at 8 P. M., when the Rev. Henry S. Nash of Cambridge will preach.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Edward Norton. Subject: "The world gone after Him." A sermon for Palm Sunday. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "Forgive and be forgiven." Prayer service Friday at 7.45 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Subject: "What doest thou here Elijah?" Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

ATLANTIC METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. This service will be conducted by Professor Chas. Rishell of Boston University Theological schoool. Prof. Rishell's reputation as a speaker ought to procure for him a large audience. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Some needs of Atlantic."

SPIRITUALIST MEETING, Faxon Hall—At 7.15 P. M., Mrs. M. A. Bonney, will give readings and tests. Circle at the house of Henry Chubbuck on Tuesday at 2.30 and 7.30 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic,—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Rev. E. E. Ayers. Miss Helen Van Pelt of Boston, soloist. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. The pastor will give a talk to young women. Friday evening prayer service at 7.30 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

WASHINGTON HALL, East Milton,—The Rev. Archibald Ross, O. S. C., of Brooklyn, N. Y. will preach tomorrow at 2.30 P. M.

Castle Square Theatre.

The old time popularity of William Gillette's version of Frances Hodgson Burnett's story "Esmeralda" will make the production of this play at the Castle Square Theatre next week an attractive event. The original production was one of the great successes in New York where it held the stage an entire year about twenty years ago. Its story deals with the experiences of Planter Rogers, of North Carolina, whose sudden prosperity brings about domestic difficulties which are, however, dispelled and the family re-united in the final scenes of the play. The cast announced is as follows: Elbert Rogers, Mr. Horace Lewis; Lydia Ann, Miss Lizzie Morgan; Esmeralda, Miss Mary Saunders; Dave Hurdy, J. H. Gilmour; Estabrook, Tony Cummings; Jack Desmond, Charles McKay; Nora Desmond, Miss Maude Odell; Kate Desmond, Miss Lucy Spinney; Marquis de Montessin, N. H. Fowler; George Drew, J. L. Seeley. At the Artist's matinee on Tuesday, the souvenir for all adult patrons will be a portrait of Miss Maude Odell, and following "Esmeralda" on Monday, April 11th there will be a revival of "The Prisoner of Zenda."

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SIGNIFICANT WORDS OF SAGASTA.

Spain Still Open For Further Negotiations.

Does Not Believe the Diplomatic Doors Are Closed.

Apprehends Trouble From the Pressure of the American Jingoes.

Strong Pressure Upon Congressmen to Co-operate With the President In Concluding an Honorable Peace Over the Cuban Problem — Statesmen Disposed to Be Resentful—Plans of the Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs Have to Do With the Maine Tragedy.

London, April 4.—The Madrid correspondent of a local paper was accorded an interview Sunday with the Spanish premier, Mr. Sagasta, on the situation as he looks upon it. The statesman considers that since he took office in October last he has done everything possible to satisfy the Cubans and to preserve good relations with the United States. Consequently he feels justified in contending that no responsibility for the present crisis, should it lead to a rupture, will rest with Spain. However, he does not believe that the last Spanish memorandum closes the door to further negotiations. Those who had conducted them, he said, had on both sides shown a disposition to promote cordial relations; and he only apprehended trouble from the pressure of the jingoes on the executive in Washington. The premier proceeded to say that his government had addressed a memorandum to the European powers, but had not officially taken steps to solicit their intervention.



SENOR SAGASTA.

"In our negotiations with the United States," continued Premier Sagasta," we have used friendly and conciliatory language in explaining our views. Respecting the matters in dispute with regard to the Maine disaster, we said we considered the question to be one for diplomatic negotiation, and that if we and the United States found it impossible to come to an understanding on the conflicting opinions of the American and Spanish commissions as to the cause of the disaster, the matter then ought to be submitted to technical experts and to the arbitration of a naval or other power, who might be selected by mutual agreement between the two governments.

"On the second point we were able to inform United States Minister Woodford that Governor General Blanco had issued a proclamation authorizing the return of the reconcentrados to their homes, and that the Spanish government had sent £120,000 to the relief of the distressed Cubans and would devote to the same object all the proceeds of relief in kind and money, amounting to £200,000 ($1,000,000), which had been sent by Spanish residents in Mexico. These measures are supplemented by the assistance already given by the Cuban autonomist government. We have never objected to relief being also sent by the United States on condition that it did not have an official character or bear the appearance of intervention."

"We did not object on principle to an armistice for the Cuban insurgents. We are, however, of opinion that it does not behoove Spain to take the initiative, and that a suspension of hostilities ought to be asked for by the insurgents. We suggested that the United States government might, if so inclined, exercise its influence with the insurgents to induce them to apply for an armistice, with a view to further the ends of peace, on the understanding, however, that the armistice would be destined to lead to the submission of the insurgents to the new autonomous regime."

HOPING FOR PEACE.

President Looking to Pressure Upon Congress to Prevent Precipitancy.

Washington, April 4.—The president still hopes for peace. He counts much upon the appeals which are pouring into Washington, urging congress not to precipitate war and to support the president's policy. These letters and telegrams come to congressmen in response to the telegrams which have been sent out by the friends of the administration. Some of them are rated at their real value by the men who have read them, and they count only for what they are worth.

There is a feeling of resentment among members of congress that such measures should be employed to swerve them from the course which they believe is dictated by motives of patriotism and humanity. Congressmen are inclined rather to put faith in the spontaneous appeals which have been coming to them from men of every calling, poor as well as rich, from women, from clergymen and from religious societies, begging, above all, to let nothing stand in the way of a vigorous assertion of robust Americanism and for a speedy calling of the Spanish to account for her unregretted assassination of American seamen and for her atrocities in Cuba. These messages are couched in language which shows unmistakably that they spring from the hearts of the people who sent them, and who are not actuated by the "fear and greed" which a Massachusetts writer once said were the controlling motives of mankind. They are believed in congress to represent truly the feelings of the plain people, and they outweigh with congressmen—and it is believed with the president—all other pressure, inspired from whatever source.

Congress is in no mood to listen to a plea for an avoidance of war, and both houses are determined to settle with Spain now, not only the question of Cuban independence, but for the blowing up of the Maine as well. The president knows that the desire for action is so strong that a plea for peace, if unaccompanied by a recommendation for legislation in case there should be a real justification for war, would be denounced and successfully assailed by both houses. He is prepared to meet that sentiment by making recommendations for prompt and vigorous action in case a proper casus belli should be presented. The president does not think it is found in the report of the naval court of inquiry, because he will tell congress that he has other plans for making Spain reply in a fitting manner to that report. Many plans of procedure have been urged upon the president by those who are as anxious as he to avoid war, but who are more in sympathy with the overwhelming sentiment in congress in favor of forcing a summary settlement with Spain. Congressmen, as a rule, tell him that the time for talking peace has gone. They do not agree with him that a sufficient cause for war has not yet been found, but they have not yet told him that they will desert his leadership should he continue to recommend peace. They may do this, however, when his message is read to them.

The president resents the attitude of congress in driving him on. He said to one of his callers that he objected to congress holding the watch over him; that he should be permitted to take all the time he needed. This member of congress bristled up at this remark and replied with some spirit: "We are not holding the watch over you, Mr. President, but if on Tuesday there is no message from you it will not be necessary to keep any further account of time."

Spain has not made new efforts to prevent hostilities, and yet the administration still clings to the hope that before the next 24 hours have passed diplomatic negotiations will be reopened on the initiative of Spain. A hint to that effect was dropped by a member of the Spanish legation. When asked if any new proposals had been submitted to this government he said: "None have been made as yet." The peculiar wording of his reply suggested that proposals might be under consideration, and he was asked if he looked for any fresh communications from his government during the course of the day. "I am unable to say what may come from minute to minute," was his somewhat ambiguous reply.

There is still a divergence of opinion as to what the president will recommend in his message; indeed there seems to be still a question as to whether Mr. McKinley will make specific recommendations. Some of his most intimate friends, however, assert emphatically that his recommendation will be specific and vigorous, and such that his party and the country will willingly follow where he points the way. One of these said that the president, in his strong desire for peace and in his earnest hope that war might be averted, was yielding somewhat to the sentiment of the leaders of his party and the country. He had not given up hope yet that hostilities may be avoided. There are those who believe the president has not yet made up his mind as to the exact course he will pursue, and there seems to be a question as to whether the consular reports and the diplomatic correspondence are to be transmitted with the message.

The Republicans of the house who have been insisting upon prompt action will hold another meeting While many of them are now in favor of giving the president more leeway than they were last week. it is realized that 25 Republican votes in the house, with the Democratic and Populist votes, would be sufficient to act. It may be pretty confidently asserted that all the Republicans with possible exceptions which could be counted on the fingers of the hand can be controlled until Wednesday. After that what might happen if the president asks for further delay is problematical. Mr. Bromwell of Ohio, for instance, who says he hopes he will not be obliged to part company with the president, will vote with the Democrats if necessary to overrule the speaker after Wednesday. Mr. Grout (Rep., Vt.) said that while some of the members of the house were very impatient, he thought they would restrain themselves if the president desired a few days additional. Mr. Grout has prepared a resolution appropriating $1,000,000 to raise the hull of the Maine. "If she was blown up," sai dhe, "we can well afford to spend $1,000,000 to demonstrate that fact. Her hull could be raised by building cofferdams. If she was blown up the truth will be known. Murder will out."

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Attitude of the Senate.

Washington, April 4.—There is a considerable element in the senate which is opposed to war except as a last extremity, and there are several others who think there ought to be a delay of at least a week or 10 days before action is taken in congress in order to insure the safe landing of ships and war supplies now on their way to this country from Europe. The committee on foreign relations is not impressed with this line of reasoning, and the members urge that Spain is no better prepared for hostilities than are we. The members of this committee do not expect the president's message before Tuesday and they are prepared to wait until Wednesday. Under great pressure there might be a delay beyond that time, but a request for such delay would cause great restiveness on the part of a majority of the committee.

While desirous of giving the president all the time he may actually require for the preparation of his message, the members are impatient of the outside influence which is being exerted to hold them in check. This pressure is in the shape of letters and telegrams from people throughout the country who are opposed to a war policy, and with these the members are being flooded. "The writers," said a member of the committee, "generally ask us to maintain an honorable peace. Of course we all want an honorable peace, but the time has gone when that could be secured under existing circumstances in Cuba. We cannot allow our conduct to be controlled by such expressions."

Unless there should be a change in the committee's conclusions after the president shall have been heard from, the resolutions reported will recommend the recognition of Cuban independence, with a declaration of armed intervention to make independence practicable. They will also include the Maine explosion as one of the causes for this action.

Two Ships Not Ready.

London, April 4.—Some of the Spanish ships are in bad condition The Pelayo started from Toulon for Cartagena Saturday night in tow, with 150 French workmen on board fixing her boilers and making other repairs. The Emperador Carlos strated from the Seine shipyards at Havre for Ferrol with a turret out of position and her guns unmounted. Neither ship will be ready for service for a month. They have left French waters presumably in the fear that war might begin before the repairs were finished, in which event they would not be permitted to leave.

Prayers For Spanish Success.

Madrid, April 4.—From all the pulpits in Madrid Sunday the priests read a letter from the bishop of the diocese announcing that he considered war to be imminent, and ordering prayers for the success of the Spanish arms. The majority of the newspapers regard war as inevitable. They think General Woodford has communicated a final answer to the government. The Liberal says: "It is clear that no concession will satisfy the United States excepting the independence of Cuba, and we had better immediately end the uncertainty."

Another paper asserts that "great uneasiness prevails at Washington concerning the attitude of the southern states in case of war with Spain, and also because Spaniards are organizing in Mexico to invade the states vilely wrested from the Mexican government." In conclusion it says that "it will not be all 'beer and skittles' for the United States."

Manifesto to Cuba.

Havana, April 4.—The autonomous secretaries met Sunday and considered the issue of a manifesto to all Cubans, calling upon them to assist loyally in the establishment of the present regime, a scheme of government to be perfected and amplified according to the necessities of the island. The manifesto would point out that Cubans could not find true independence in the plans of the separatists, but would be absorbed by foreigners, and that real liberty possible only by supporting and carrying out the present regime. The manifesto would conclude by urging upon Cubans calmness and prudence amid the present discussions between the United States and Spain.

The Pope as Mediator.

London, April 4.—The Daily Mail, in its second edition, publishes a special dispatch from Madrid, dated midnight confirming the announcement of the pope's offer to mediate. The dispatch says: "His holiness applied to Spain asking her how, in case the United States should invite him to mediate with the sole object of suspending hostilities in Cuba, Spain would receive the request. The Spanish government replied affirming its respectful consideration of the offer, declaring that, trusting in his holiness' sentiments of benevolent friendship, it would place itself in his hands, saving Spain's honor."

Fleet Not at Porto Rico.

Madrid, April 4.—The torpedo flotilla has reached the Cape de Verde islands, and is to remain there for the present. The flotilla will be convoyed to Cuba by

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Bicycle Logic

A QUINCY Gentlemen recently went to Boston, bought a $19.00 new wheel—*big trade*—second day he rode, wheel broke down. Travels back to Boston, kicks hard. Polite clerk says, "Take it to the nearest bicycle repair shop, they'll repair it for you." It's the same old story, cheap, worthless wheels, and the people who buy them never enjoy one minute of pleasure in bicycle riding, something always giving away or coming loose. Wise buyers come here. Reliable, honest built bicycles only; our expert opinion is yours for the asking. The delights of bicycle riding can only be realized on such wheels as these:

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Wednesday	—	56	71
Thursday	—	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
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At the present time when war is a possibility, it is the custom in many courts to ask petitioners, for their final naturalization papers, among other things, if in case of war they would defend the United States against other countries, even if that other country was the mother country.

Mr. Churchill, clerk of the District court, does not wish to be behind the times in such matters, and this morning when examining a petitioner for naturalization he asked if he would fight for the honor of the United States if necessary. The applicant promptly replied that he would if called upon. The oath was then administered to the petitioner.

Uphold the President.

The Boston Associated Board of Trade feel that decisive measures are necessary and on Saturday wired the following to the Massachusetts senators and representatives:

"The Boston Associated Board of Trade, composed of 25 business organizations of this city and representing collectively, 5000 business firms, demands that President McKinley be upheld in his endeavor to settle peaceably, the relations of this country with Spain and that the administration be given time to bring about this beneficent result. Full expression of the sentiment of this board on the present crisis has been wired to the President and we urge you to stand by him in the present emergency."

Free Delivery at Wollaston.

Wollaston will soon have free delivery. Post-office Inspector William B. Snow having made his final inspection of the place the latter part of last week. The district will include Wollaston, Wollaston Park and Norfolk Downs as far north as Glover avenue. Inspector Snow has asked the department for three carriers to cover this territory. It will go into effect about July 1st. It is said Postmaster Burns will not be disturbed, nor the Wollaston office.

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DATE FOR CUP RACE.

Quincy Yacht Club Accepts Challenge of Lynn Club.

The executive committee of the Quincy Yacht club held their regular meeting at the Adams building on Saturday evening.

The challenge from the Lynn Yacht club for the cup was read and accepted. The following is the text of the reply:

"We have the pleasure to inform you of the formal acceptance by this club of the challenge from the Lynn Yacht club under date of March 28, 1898, for the "Quincy Yacht Club Challenge Cup," the dates for the races and minor details to be arranged by the proper officials of this club.

"We shall consider the first race as fixed for Monday, Aug. 22, the other races to be sailed on the succeeding days until the winner of the cup has been determined."

"We recommend, unless you specially desire otherwise, that further arrangements be left until later in the season."

The dates for the race fixtures were set as follows:

June 25,—Handicap Race.
July 9—Handicap Race.
July 11,—Ladies' Day.
July 23, —Open Race.
August 6,—Handicap Race.
August 20,—Handicap Race.
August 22,—1st Cup Race.
September 5,—Handicap Race.

Capt. Snow Makes a Record.

Capt. E. A. Snow of Wollaston Park, captain of the palatial schooner yacht Alert, of the Corinthian Yacht club of Philadelphia, sailed from the above port on Feb. 2, for a cruise to the West Indies, Bahama and Windward islands. During his absence he made a continuous trip from a given point to La Guyava, Venezuela, a distance of 1900 miles in just 10 days, the quickest passage on record ever made by a sailing vessel. The next best recorded time was made by a three masted schooner in 18 days.

The Alert is the flagship of the Corinthian club and is owned by Commodore Clement A. Griscom and is well known in yachting circles. She has a national reputation and is regarded as one of the most seaworthy and speediest yachts afloat of her dimensions. She is 107 feet over all, 90 feet water line 23 feet, 5 inches beam, draught 13 feet and has a gross tonnage of 9922. Capt. Snow sailed from St. Kitts to Philadelphia, direct on March 29.

Leg Cut Off.

A man named O'Brien, employed as conductor on one of the night freight trains, was knocked from a car near Crane & Son's elevator at South Quincy early Friday morning. The wheels of the car passed over one of his legs cutting it off. He was taken to a Boston Hospital.

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TODAY'S COURT.

Charles Forsberg was fined $7 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Frank Forsberg was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Oscar J. Gudiarditi was arrainged for assault on George E. DeWitt at Weymouth. He was fined $7.

The continued case of Walter Robinson for assault on M. Manley at Rando'ph was called. After a hearing Robinson was fined $5. Appealed.

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treas.

April 1, 1898. 2-3t

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

A cold spell.

Icicles formed Sunday

The last week of the school vacation.

Regular meeting of the City Council tonight.

Good seats for the Historical pageant are getting scarce.

Last year on April 6, the noon temperature was 71.

The noon temperature Sunday was the lowest since Feb. 20.

Calls are made most every day for houses of modern improvements from $15 to $25 rent.

Don't forget to examine the goods and prices of Mackedon, the new tailor, before buying.

Mr. E. B. Glover of Wollaton has fitted up a handsome office on Tremont street, Boston.

Mr. Walter S. Randall of Bigelow street is a sufferer with inflamatory rheumatism which confines him to his bed.

Miss Marie E. Root, who has been the guest of Miss Mabel Hodges, has returned to her home in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. H. A. Feltis and family have given up housekeeping for the present, and will reside with Mr. Feltis' mother on Penn's hill.

It is said there are no vacant tenements at Quincy Point. The extra workman employed at the boat houses makes a demand for houses.

The temperature Sunday was below freezing except between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. The average for the twenty-four hours was below 30, with a minimum of 26.

The souvenir programs for "The New World" at Music hall, Quincy, on the 13th are well worth going to the pageant for, even if a fine entertainment was not assured.

Mrs. A. R. Baxter will be the leader of the Mothers' meeting at the Bethany chapel on Wednesday at 3 P. M. The subject: "How shall we discipline our little ones."

A public stenographer and type writer should meet with success in Quincy, and therefore it is good news that Mrs. Penley has opened rooms in the Durgin & Merrill block.

Rev. E. N. Hardy's sermon on Sunday was appropriate to Palm Sunday, yet historical and at the same time up-to-date. The text was found in Rev. 17:14, and the subject was "The King of Kings."

Mr. A. G. Olney and Mr. H. T. Whitman of Wollaston have returned from a week's gunning trip to Monomoy island, Cape Cod. They brought home fifteen brant and a large number of other water fowl.

A full car had a long wait Saturday night on the Point route at the corner of Washington and Foster street. A feed wire gave out and not until the supply wagon was sent for and the wire mended was the car able to proceed. A number of the passengers walked home.

Mr. Wilson Tisdale has bought of Dr. N. S. Hunting the Pratt homestead. Mr. Tisdale will have the interior of the house practically rebuilt. A new cellar will be excavaed a few feet in front of the present location and the house set upon it. The location of the stable will also be changed.

Another meeting of those interested in forming a local brach of the National Grocery and Proivsion clerks union was held Sunday afternoon at Doble's hall. Temporary officers were elected and it was voted to form a union and apply to the National Grocery Provision clerk's Union for a charter. Several meetings of those interested have been held and the new union will start out with a good membership

It was but a small audience that greeted the concert at Music hall, Saturday night, under the auspices of Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O., the stormy and disagreeable weather keeping many away. Those who did brave the elements heard a fine concert, the Electric Trio, Mr. E. T. Phelan, humorist, and little Olive Smith in her character songs and dances furnishing a programme that was exceptionally fine.

All the services of Bethany church next Sunday will be devoted to the celebration of Easter. In the morning the theme of the sermon by Rev. E. N. Hardy will be "The Transfigured valley." The Easter music is all new, has been very carefully prepared, and will be rendered by a large chorus and the usual soloists, assisted by outside talent. In the evening there will be an unusually attractive Easter concert.

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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The regular meeting of the City Council will be held this evening, and among other matters to come before it will be a public hearing on the petition of the Weymouth and Braintree street railway for a location on Franklin street and Presidents avenue. There will also be public hearings on the relocation of High street and the acceptance of East Elm avenue as a public way. The Committee on Streets will report on the order for a stone culvert on Hancock street near the Catholic church, Atlantic, and the Committee on Licenses will report on minor licenses. The only matter in the calendar is the order appropriating $100,000 for the extension of the sewer.

The regular monthly meeting of the Managers of Public Burial Places will be held Thursday evening.

It is doubtful if there are many poorer telephone lines in the Quincy exchange than the City Hall line especially at night. The line is a short one and the proper officials should demand that a new line be run for them.

Dogs must be licensed before April 30 and many citizens are walking into the City Clerk's office and paying to have their pets live another year.

The taxes collected for the three months ending April 1, amounted to $44,953. Last year the amount collected for the same period was $42,363, or a gain of $2,590 for this year.

The Finance Committee of the City Council will not report the annual appropriation order this evening. They do not propose to jump at conclusions but are making a searching and careful examination of the needs of all departments.

BOSTON MATTERS.

Pulpit Utterances Dealt With the Critical Situation In National Affairs.

Boston, April 4.—The services of Palm Sunday in the churches of Boston and vicinity, especially those of the ritualistic order, were made especially impressive by pulpit reference to the present crisis in national affairs. As if by one accord the clergymen without distinction lifted up their voices in prayer for peace without bloodshed and an honorable and humane settlement of the Cuban question. Many of the utterances were hearty endorsements of the attitude of President McKinley.

A man who registered at a hotel as William Kelley was found unconscious from gas in his room Sunday morning. He was taken to the hospital, where his condition is considered critical.

Frank C. Mooney, a milkman, was taken with a fainting spell Sunday morning and fell from his wagon. Both wheels passed over his neck, and he is not expected to live.

John L. Sullivan arrived in Boston last night, and was met at the Park square depot by a big delegation from the various clubs of which he is a member. The Nut club of the south end was strongest in numbers, and as the big fellow stepped from the train he was greeted with rousing cheers that must have reminded him of the days when he was the champion of all champions. John said his business had been exceptionally good, and that crowded houses had greeted him everywhere.

Must Work or Starve.

New Bedford, Mass., April 4.—The retail grocers and market men, without exception, who have been carrying the strikers on credit for 10 weeks, have issued notice that commencing Monday, April 11, all sales will be for cash only. In enforcing this action they are backed up by the wholesalers, who will demand cash payments of the retailers. This action means that the strikers will have to accept the alternative of returning to work or starve. The pastors of the three French Catholic churches Sunday practically advised their parishioners to return to work.

"It is about time something was done to settle this strike," said Harriet Pickering, the advocate of the issue for doing away with the fines. "We have held out in hardship all these weeks to discover that the rank and file of the operatives have got to obey the few leaders in whatever they say. It is a worse despotism than we ever had in the mill. The only thing to do now is to separate the issue of the strike and get a compromise on the cut-down. They may have killed my fines bill now, but they will hear from it again next year, and they may hear from me before that time."

A Patriotic Outburst.

Providence, April 4.—There was a patriotic outburst at Brown university Sunday, when, in response to an appeal from the national committee of the Maine monument fund, meetings were held and money was raised for a memorial to the sailors who lost their lives in Havana harbor. The first meeting was held directly after the chapel service in Sayles hall. President Andrews said: "It is a big honor to every man that he had a chance to subscribe to this fund. I hope that the people realize the service of the men who died in a most painful manner. The committee which is raising a fund for a monument to their memory is thoroughly American, and every student will take pride in helping it out. There is no knowledge as to what may come. War is not to be desired, but now it seems certain. Here is now a splendid chance to exhibit patriotism by a sort of sacrifice everyone can offer. A gift to the fund will be a pledge of love of country, a testimony to the rank and file of the navy. Let every man have a part in the subscription. This is something I have never asked before. Let him give something, no matter how little."

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To buy a Spring Coat? Have you a friend who would buy one? Do you know of anyone who wants one—who would buy one if he could afford it? If so, send them to us, (to the new store) for we have the greatest value this or any other city has ever seen.

Where did it come from?

One of the largest Woolen Mills in New England had 9,000 yards of Covert Goods on its hands; they needed money to meet their obligations and they closed out the whole lot for spot cash to a large wholesaler who manufactured it into Overcoats. It took more money than they could afford to swing the contract.

They saw trouble ahead,

And to prevent it, put the most ridiculously spot cash price on the lot that we have ever seen in all our years of experience in the clothing business.

In a combination of four stores,

We bought some for Quincy for almost nothing, and will have them on sale—

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 2.

We could sell them at double the price we ask, and you would be pleased. But that is not the New Store's way of doing business. We have promised you different methods from what you are used to, and we mean to fulfil our promises. We believe if we buy a thing for a little money, sell it for little money as long as it pays us a little profit.

What are the goods and make up of this coat?

It is an all-wool Covert. We have boiled it and tested it with acid, and have failed to find a particle of cotton in it. It is sewed and put together by first-class tailors; not glued together, or made by overall manufacturers, or in New York tenement houses. It is made in the latest style with swelled edges, has satin sleeve linings, all-wool body linings and the inside facings are piped with satin—

And the price is $4.48.

After reading the price you may laugh at it. You may say you would not wear a $4.48 coat. That's what our buyer did when he heard of it, but after seeing it, and turning it inside out and examining it, we could not see wherein it was inferior to coats sold for $10 or $12. We have but a limited number, so come at once and get first pick.

If you are in need of a Suit, you will find lots of them at our store from *$6.50* to *$16.50*, and we make custom ones from *$12* to *$25*.

If you are in need of Pants, we have the all wool "never rip" trousers for *$1.48*, and nice dress ones for a little more.

If you want to trim your youngsters up for Easter, you will find a large selection of Children's Suits in all shades and styles at our store, from *98c.* to *$4.98*.

If you want an Overall for *39c.*, the same as you have been paying 50c. for, come and see us. If you wish to purchase a *Hat, Necktie, Collar,* or any article kept in a Gents' Furnishing Store, for less money than they can be bought elsewhere, come to us. We mean to break the back of high prices in Quincy.

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We shall present with every purchase of 50c. and upwards a magnificent half tone engraving 18x12, of the BATTLESHIP MAINE.

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Now digs in a ditch.
Drink?
No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

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WILLIAMS,

Refracting Optician,

QUINCY.

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He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.

Oct. 30. tf

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Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.

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April 1. 6t

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NOW IS THE TIME.

The month of March is the best time to catch the grubs and the cost is very small. Full directions on each can. Price:

2-Pound Can,		$ .30
3	" "	.45
5	" "	.60
10	" "	1.10

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Quincy, March 9 pl tf

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The East Weymouth polo team were defeated quite handily Saturday evening by the Fall River team, by a score of 4-2. About 1200 were present at the Rink, East Weymouth.

The summary:

EAST WEYMOUTH.		FALL RIVER.
Nicholson,	Rusher	Turner
Mercer,	"	Schofield
Jones,	Centre	Warren
Hayes,	Half-Back	Wood
Mullen,	Guard	Fuller
Goal,—Won by	Caged by	Time
		m. s.
1. Fall River	Turner,	47
2. E. Weymouth	Nickolson,	9 55
3. Fall River	Schofield,	10 17
4. Fall River	Schofield,	2 59
5. Fall River	Turner,	11 10
6. E. Weymouth,	Mercer,	2 25

Stops—Mullen, 36; Fuller, 34. Referee—J. Henry Moran; Timer,—Lee.

The East Weymouth team played their usual strong game but the science and backing of the strong team of the visitors out-classed clearly the local team.

Communion services were held at the M. E. Church, East Weymouth, Rev. W. I. Ward pastor, Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Ward also preached in the evening in the place of the regular Sunday evening prayer meeting.

Mr. W. H. Pratt of East Weymouth is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Rice of East Weymouth very quietly observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage Saturday at their home upon Linden place. Congratulations were received from all sides and a party was held in the presence of only the immediate family.

Mrs. John Hall of Lovell's Corner who has been quite ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins who have been spending their winter in Boston have returned home for the summer.

The Ladies' Aid will hold an Easter Sale in the Porter M. E. Church Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Porter M. E. church at Lovell's corner, East Weymouth, will open their annual fair and bazaar in the church vestry Tuesday afternoon. The ladies have especially put forth their efforts this year in order to surpass the success of previous successes.

The Lovell's Corner Hose Co. brought to a close their series of social dances at the hose house with a masquerade ball on Saturday night. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity by the merry masqueraders. Smith's orchestra of Hanover funished music. Mr. Frank Munroe was floor director, assisted by an able corps of aids from members of the company. About 50 were present in costumes.

Mr. Herbert Sears of South Weymouth spoke to the audience of the East Weymouth Reform club Sunday evening.

The exhibition of photographs by the amateur photographers of Weymouth at Tufts Library is attracting a deal of attention and admiration. Many amateurs of East Weymouth have subjected a number of views. All can not be strictly said to be amateur work, as many exhibitors have the finishing and toning done by professional photographers. If the exhibition had been limited strictly to amateur work i. e. selecting views and finishing, no doubt the real merit of the photographers as an amateur who thoroughly understands his art would be seen.

Palm Sunday was observed in the several churches of Weymouth.

Mrs. W. B. Peare is reported seriously ill with pneumonia at her home on Cedar street, East Weymouth.

Mr. Howard W. Dow of Weymouth Heights is organist at the Congregational church, East Weymouth.

Quite a large number of North Weymouth people attended the Fall River --East Weymouth polo game at the rink, Saturday evening.

A rehearsal of "Kokakola" will be held at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth, tonight

Rev. Mr. Cate, a recent missionary in Japan, supplied the pulpit of the Third Universalist church, North Weymouth, on Sunday, and will also preach next Sunday.

The new Abigail Smith chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution will meet on Thursday evening the first Thursday of the month. By-laws have been adopted.

Mr. Will Pratt of North Weymouth has moved from Sea street to Curtis street.

Miss Grace Lee of North Scituate is visiting friends at North Weymouth.

The funeral services of John Cuthbert Johnson, the late teacher of the North High were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Francis Loud, on Commercial street. The pupils and teachers of the North High attended the services in a body and followed the body to the cemetery. The house was completely filled with friends and relatives of the young man.

Rev. R. R. Kendall of the Old North church who was with Mr. Johnson during his brief illness officiated. After a brief address by Rev. Mr. Kendall, a double quartette from the North High rendered two hymns in a very pleasing manner. One in particular, "Sometime we'll understand," was sang very finely.

Mr. Kendall spoke very highly of Mr. Johnson and gave the sorrowing mother some very comforting words. Four Amherst students acted as bearers. There were many very beautiful floral tributes among which were: an open book, with the word "Teacher," from the pupils of the North High; a beautiful bunch of lilies from the teachers of the North High— a standing wreath from a friend in Boston; a large bunch of white pinks from the Misses Dora and Pearl Smith, and several other bouquets. The interment was at the Village cemetery. The flag at the North High has been at half-mast, since Mr. Johnson's death.

George French left Saturday for a trip to New York.

The old Hobart house on Washington street is undergoing extensive repairs and when completed will be occupied by Dr. Virgin.

Miss McKay has been appointed to the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. Johnson.

QUINCY DATA.

Local History of Interest Briefly Told.

The following interesting data of the "City of Presidents" is from the annual report of the School Committee:



1625, Capt. Wollaston landed.
1640, Braintree incorporated.
1792, Quincy a town.
1888, Quincy a city.
Legend: Manet (*ma* net),(Quincy) remains.
Quincy's mother, Braintree (Monatiquot)
Quincy's sisters, Randolph (1793), Holbrook (1872).

Ward One,—Centre (Houghs Neck, Germantown.)
Ward Two,—Point (Neck.)
Ward Three,—South (Plains.) Two precincts.
Ward Four,—West (The Rail, Town Hill.) Two precincts.
Ward Five,—Wollaston (Heights, Park.)
Ward Six,—Atlantic (Squantum, Norfolk Downs, The Farms.)

Valuation in 1897, $18,012,146.
Tax levy in 1897, $350,690.
Rate in 1897, $18.80.
Area, 16.7 square miles. (2,530 acres in public parks.)
Population, in 1898, 25,000 (?)
Latitude, 42 N. (Boston, 42-21-30)
Longitude, 71 W. (Boston, 71-4-9)
Variation of needle, 11 to 12 west of north.
Polls Dec. 7, 1897, 6,170.
Voters Dec. 7, 1897, 4,058.
Votes cast Dec. 7, 1897, 3,427.
Representative district, fifth Norfolk (Two representatives.)
Senatorial, first Norfolk.
Councillor, second.
Congressional, tenth.
City election, first Tuesday in December.

From Westerly line of Blue Hills to easterly point of Quincy Neck it is 8 2-5 miles and to the easterly rock in Squantum it is 7 1-2 miles. From Neponset bridge to Quincy Point bridge it is 5 miles.

Milestones of the old Plymouth road: (Old Colony.)

Public Parks: Merry Mount, Faxon, Blue Hill Reservation.

Mayors:

Hon. Charles H. Porter,	1889-90
Hon. Henry O. Fairbanks,	1891-92-93
Hon. William A. Hodges,	1893-95
Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d,	1896-97
Hon. Russell A. Sears,	1898

Council: Twenty-three members. Three from each ward and five at large.

School Board: Nine members. One from each ward and three at large.

Quincy granite: Bunker Hill Monument, King's Chapel and Custom House in Boston, and the Stone Temple and City Hall in Quincy are built of this material.

Earthquake Day: Nov. 18, 1755. Vid. John Adams' Diary.

War of Rebellion: Quincy sent 954 men. Deaths, 105. Total cost, $48,912.11.

Sailors' Snug Harbor.

National Sailors' Home.

Steam railroad—N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., main line and branch. Stations: Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Wollaston, Quincy, Quincy Adams, Montclair, West Quincy.

Electric Railroad—Quincy and Boston; runs from the centre in seven directions, Hancock street, Newport avenue, Elm avenue, Coddington street, Washington street, Water street, Independence avenue.

☞ Do not fail to hear Joan of Arc plead for the Crown of Fame at Faxon Hall, April 6.

Are you a regular reader of the Ledger?

DIED.

RIZZI—At Quincy City Hospital, April 1, Mr. Peter Rizzi, aged 27 years.

ISAACSON—In Quincy, April 3, Mr. Englehart Isaacson, aged 74 years, 2 months and 20 days.

HOW THE DEBT ON 1898 INCREASED.

Seven Annual Statements of the Maturity of the Municipal Debt—Payments and Loans.

The growth of the municipal city debt is presented in a new light today. The first summary shows the amount of the debt on Jan. 1 of each of the years from 1892 to 1898 inclusive, as given in the City Auditor's annual report; also the debt maturing during the ensuing year, and the amount of the new loans during that year. The amount of the loans is obtained by deducting the payment from the debt of Jan. 1 and subtracting the result from the debt of Jan. 1 of the next year:

	Municipal Debt.	Payments During Year.	Loans During Year.
Jan. 1, 1892,	$257,711.89	$56,619.53	$122,450.00
Jan. 1, 1893,	323,542.36	72,861 36	89,049.00
Jan. 1, 1894,	339,730.00	64,730.00	36,091.00
Jan. 1, 1895,	311,091.00	52,451.00	6,255.61
Jan. 1, 1896,	264,895.61	49,980.00	91,420.00
Jan. 1, 1897,	306,335.61	64,720.00	25,900.00
Jan. 1, 1898,	277,515.61	62,080.00	

Perhaps the next summary is the more interesting as it places the responsibility of the large installment of the debt maturing this year.

The table shows on Jan. 1 of each year the amount maturing in each year. The increase for 1898 is obtained by reading from left to right. It was $24,480 on Jan. 1, 1892, $34,580 on Jan. 1, 1893, and so on to date:

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Due in 1897,	$25,480	$35,580	$46,580	$51,180	$51,600	$64,720	—
Due in 1898,	24,480	34,580	44,580	49,280	49,280	57,580	$62,080
Due in 1899,	24,480	28,480	41,480	53,980	53,980	62,980	68,380
Due in 1900,	12,200	16,200	34,200	45,300	45,300	54,300	57,700
Due in 1901,	—	—	8,000	9,000	14,755	23,755	28,155
Due in 1902,	—	—	—	—	—	9,000	13,300
Due in 1903,	—	—	—	—	—	9,000	12,900
Due in 1904,	—	—	—	—	—	9,000	12,000
Due in 1905,	—	—	—	—	—	8,500	11,500
Due in 1906,	—	—	—	—	—	7,500	9,500
Due in 1907,	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,000
Due in 1908,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

The City reports of 1889, 1890 and 1891 do not show readily the amounts maturing in 1897, 1898 and 1899, but the loans of these years were evidently set well forward as on Jan. 1, 1892, six years ago the amount due in 1898 was $24,480.

In 1892 the new loans were heavy and of the $122,450 authorized $10,100 was added to the 1898 account.

In 1893 the loans were $89,049, and $10,000 was added to 1898 account.

In 1894 the loans amounted to $36,091, and $4,700 was apportioned to 1898.

In 1895 the loans amounted to only $6,255.61 and the 1898 debt was not increased.

In 1896 a debt of $91,420 was voted and it increased the 1898 account $8,300.

In 1897 the loans amounted to $25,900 and the 1898 debt was increased $4,500.

The low tax rate of the first three years of the city is very largely responsible for the large maturing debt of 1897, 1898 and 1899. In 1889 the tax rate was but $10.80, a drop from $16.70 the previous year because of the operation of the tax limit law which was applicable to cities but not to towns. However, if the Council of 1889 had caused more of the debt to mature in 1890 and 1891 it would put the tax rates of 1890 and 1891 nearer where they belonged, instead of $13.60 each year, and recent years would not have been burdened. But the Quincy tax rates have not averaged high and if the taxpayers will bear this in mind and talk it to prospective residents all will be well.

Memorial Church.

The pulpit of the Atlantic Memorial Congregational church was occupied Sunday morning by Rev. E. E. Ayers of Harvard Divinity school. His text was Romans 5:1. Faith was his main topic of consideration though he welcomed the honest doubt that desired investigation, led to deeper thinking, and resulted in strengthening that faith in Christ which elevates and inspires to do the best with all the abilities God has given to us.

Miss Helen Von Pelt of Boston was the soloist Although suffering from excessive nervousness, she showed herself the possessor of an excellent voice and the congregation enjoyed her two selections, one from "Susannah" and Handel's "O Lord, correct me."

The Y. P. S. C. E. met at 6 15.

In the evening Rev. J. H. Whitaker gave a talk on the subject of "Young Women" in which he said that young women's greatest charm and greatest opportunity for usefulness lay in being themselves. The sincerity of their character would outshine any outward defect and become an inspiration to those with whom they associated, especially so to the young men of their acquaintance who would be unconsciously influenced to actions in accordance with the development of their highest manhood, by the queenly power they thus would wield.

The pastor's reception occurs Tuesday afternoon and evening

Tonight is the regular meeting of the Monday Evening club.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters uncalled for Monday April 4:

Wyman H. Briggs, Carl A. Carlson, E. Howe, John Johnston.

Miss Marie Kerrigan, Mrs. A. Q. Miller, Miss Minnie Malcolm, Miss Jennie MacDonald.

Atlantic Post Office.

Letters remaining in Atlantic Post Office March 31:

A. E. Blade, Miss Lotta Britton, Jas. Duggan, Miss Sophie Delory, Mrs. F. F. Donovan, Mrs. Mary Jones, Jas. Thompson, E. E. Wood ward.

A GREAT SURPRISE

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. Al druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Price 25 and 50

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Quincy, March 23. 1m

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Wiring and Fitting for Incandescent, Motors, Dynamos, Bells, etc.

GRANITE STREET, near the Bridge, QUINCY

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"FOR THY STOMACH'S SAKE."

CLARK,

THE CATERER,

Is ready at any time from 5 A. M. till 12 P. M. to administer to the wants of the "Inner man," at his new restaurant,

94 Hancock Street.

☞ *Private Room for Ladies.* ☜

Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.

Quincy, March 30. 1m

Manhattan BUTTER,

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Nothing better made.

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QUINCY.

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Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

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WANTED.

WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework; good washer and ironer; one to go home nights preferred. Apply, 18 Bigelow street. 24-inch Boy's Wheel for sale.
Quincy, April 4. 6t

WANTED—A good Pant maker at once. Apply to FRANCIS T. MACKEDON, No. 112 Hancock street.
Quincy, April 4. 1t

WANTED—A violinist to teach a young boy. For particulars address Box 149, Atlantic.
March 31. 3t 31-4-6

WANTED—Washing to do at my home. Call at 21 Adams street. MRS. D. MORAN. April 2—3t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St.
Quincy, March 31. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—A few nicely furnished rooms, with use of bath room, at No. 28 Chestnut street. Apply on the premises to MRS. PEVERLY
Quincy, March 30. 6t

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. marl7-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

Houses, Land and Rooms

TO LET.

Cottage house, 9 rooms, with modern conveniences, No. 6 Coddington street.
House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
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Three tenements, No. 51 Howard street.
Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
Stable, 3 stalls, junction of School and Franklin streets.
Stable and shed, No. 28 Howard street.
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Wharf, sheds and office, Quincy Neck.
Basement, No. 11 Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
Gravel, sand and loam for sale.
For particulars inquire of or address
HENRY H. FAXON.
Quincy, March 15. 1m

R. D. CHASE QUINCY MASS.



Savings Bank Building Quincy.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Quincy Electric Light and Power Co. will require parties to present a certificate of inspection from the New England Insurance Exchange before it connects its wires with the wires in houses and buildings.

Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.

By H. M. FAXON, Treas.
Quincy, March 26. 2w mws

CONTINENTAL Poultry Food.

The only Poultry Food composed of ground GRAINS, FISH and MEAT.

Prevents Disease.

Increases Egg Production.

SEND FOR SAMPLE.

Green Cut Beef Bones.

All kinds of Grain and Poultry Supplies.

☞ Orders by mail promptly attended to.

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Copeland St., West Quincy.

Jan. 13. 1p tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

NANCY BRACKETT,

late of Quincy, in said County deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Charles T. White of Boston, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the sixth day of April, A. D., 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. JONATHAN COBB, Register.

March 26. 25,28,4

THE EDGE OF A DOLLAR

doesn't look so big as the face of it. —the woman who buys soap for house-cleaning loses sight of economy—she looks at her money edgewise. The woman who values her money as well as her strength uses

GOLD DUST Washing Powder.

and has something to show for her labor beside a worn face and a pair of rough hands. Largest package—greatest economy.

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People who know all about Bicycles know that there is a big difference between them. Any wheel is good enough if you want your riding to be like work and don't mind a few break-downs. If you want to ride for pleasure,

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will please you better than anything else on earth. No jar, no vibration, and an increase in speed and resiliency, as there is no lost power over the roughest pavements. It is the

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Also Iver Johnson and Linwood Cycles, $35 to $75.

Repairing of all kinds. Best of work at reasonable prices. Don't ride your wheel without having it thoroughly cleaned. I clean and put it in first-class order for $1.00.

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Mar. 21, tf

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Satisfaction in every respect.

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A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand.
Loring's Pharmacy, Wollaston Park.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
News Agent, Weymouth Heights.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	6	4:35 p.m.	New Moon	20	5:37 p.m.
Third Quarter	13	9:44 a.m.	First Quarter	28	9:21 p.m.

Not So Green.



Eliza—Jason, what on airth is that thing over yonder?

Jason—That's one of them horseless kerriges we've heerd so much of.—New York Herald.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, APRIL 5.
Sun rises—5:20; sets, 6:14.
Moon sets—4:18 a. m.
High water—10 a. m; 10:45 p. m.

A storm is developing over Texas and will probably extend to New England by tomorrow, causing increasing cloudiness and probably light rains in the afternoon or night. It now promises to be warmer Tuesday, with winds becoming southwesterly.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Three thousand journeymen carpenters in Chicago are on a strike because of their refusal to agree that no work shall be done for bosses outside of the Builders' association.

John J. Fitzgerald and George Dostal, composing Denver's crack handball team, defeated the world's champions, Messrs. Casey and Dunne of Brooklyn. The score was 21 to 20.

The stable connected with the Albion House in West Newbury, Mass., was burned Sunday afternoon, together with three valuable horses and a number of carriages. The fire was presumably of incendiary origin.

Fire at Rock Hill, S. C., Sunday morning destroyed 12 business buildings, involving a loss of $250,000, upon which there was an insurance of $150,000, distributed in 16 companies. The origin is yet a matter of speculation.

An emigrant train on the Canadian Pacific railway from St. John to Mattawamkeag left the rails 200 feet east of the Danforth, Me., station. One passenger car tipped on its side. A woman had her nose broken and a child her leg injured.

E. B. Whiting, for 30 years publisher of the St. Albans Messenger, died Sunday as the result of a paralytic shock three weeks ago. He learned the printers' trade in Northampton and later moved to St. Albans, where he was a book seller, stationer and printer.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

mar23-tf G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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—Boise City, Idaho, is to pipe into its houses warm water of 170 degrees temperature from a subterranean lake 400 feet beneath the surface.—New York Evening Post.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

A SECOND JOHNSTOWN

Water From a Levee Overspreads an Illinois Town.

Only Meager Details of the Disaster Obtainable.

The Loss of Life Believed to Reach Into the Hundreds.

St. Louis, April 4.—A special from Girard, Ills., says: A telephone message has been received here from Shawneetown, Ills., saying that at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon the levee above the city broke and the city is inundated. The water backed up for five miles and rushed down upon the city like a tidal wave. After the message was received, telephone and telegraph communication with Shawneetown was suddenly cut off, which tends to confirm the report. Nothing more has been learned.

At midnight the operator in the Long Distance Telephone company's office at Mount Vernon, Ind., informed the Associated Press that the estimate of the loss of life at Shawneetown was 200. Mount Vernon is but 30 miles from Shawneetown, and the information on which the estimate is based is believed to be reliable.

People from Mount Vernon and the surrounding country besieged the telephone and telegraph offices frantically for tidings from relatives and friends in the flooded town. No attempt at an accurate list of the lost was possible, however, and the crowds stood all night before the bulletin boards on which were posted the meagre reports being received.

Shawneetown has a population of about 2000 inhabitants and is situated on the west bank of the Ohio river. The streets were parallel with the river, the principal business street being but two blocks distant from the water. The level of the river is about 15 feet above the city, and the levee bank is about 20 feet thick. When the river is at its normal stage it is 1000 feet wide at this point. A tremendous pressure is brought to bear on the levee during freshets. Several years ago during a flood the water flowed over the levee and the streets were under two feet of water. The levee was strengthened and built up afterward.

BOSTON OPINION.

What The Journal Says About the Position of the Reconcentrados.

Boston, April 4.—The Journal concludes a scathing review of the treatment of the Cuban non-combatants in these words: "Instead of turning the reconcentrados over to these tigers in human form, it would be merciful for the Spanish authorities to poison them off hand or drown them by the shipload in Havana harbor. The complete collapse that this 'concentration which is desolation' can be remedied under Spanish rule gives ten-fold greater urgency to the duty that confronts the United States. The 400,000 reconcentrados have only one hope for life—the coming of peace and the driving out of the Spanish oppressors. If President McKinley concludes that this can be done only by war, then he will have as holy a cause and as righteous a war as was ever known in the history of christendom."

"Now that hostilities between the United States and Spain seem, according to general opinion, to be imminent," says The Post, "the public, which looks to the newspapers for all details of the developments, should bear in mind that accurate news of the plans and movements of the enemy will be very difficult and often impossible to obtain. Whether it is war or only preparation for war, one of the first principles of strategy is concealment of plans and purposes. It is much the same on our own side, for admirals and generals do not generally take the public into confidence regarding their plans."

"The people have not lost faith in the president's judgment," remarks The Globe. "They hope he will act, and act as becomes his station. This does not imply, however, that they believe all wisdom is centered in him. Congress has its full part and right in the work of asserting and maintaining the country's honor. And if nine-tenths of its members shall range themselves squarely on the side of a speedy recognition of Cuban independence, who shall say that, coming directly from the people, they do not represent the people in this matter?"

The effect of war upon business is thus pictured by The Advertiser: "While it is well to be hopeful it is not wise to be unreasonably hopeful. This country will suffer in case of war. The supplies for the army will be bought, it is true, but practically because the soldiers have to live; and the government's demand will be merely substituted for individual demand in the case of those soldiers. If they had stayed at home those individual soldiers would have bought probably as much provisions, and perhaps even more; for army rations are not of a luxurious character. While the demand for battleships and the call for rifles and powder will be greater, the demand for steel rails and ploughs and hardware will be less."

Sank With Eighteen Men.

Lowestoft, April 4.—The suspicion is confirmed that it was the German steamer Magnet, from Pomaron, March 6, for Stettin, that was sunk March 16 in collision off Gabbard lightship with the British bark, British Princess. A brother of the Magnet's captain identified the wreckage wedged in the bow of the British Princess, which was towed into Lowestoft harbor March 16 with her bow stove and her forepeak full of water The Magnet sank almost immediately and 18 of her company were drowned.

Burglar Drew a Razor.

Waterville, Me., April 4.—Harry Wilbur, 24 years old, was captured Saturday night by Officer Simpson as he was in the act of removig the contents of a show case containing watches in George Barney's store. The officer made a flying leap through a glass in the store door. The man resisted, and drew a razor, but he was overpowered.

SIGNIFICANT WORDS OF SAGASTA.

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a squadron composed of the Emperor Charles V of 9235 tons, the Alfonso XIII of 5000 tons, the Infanta Maria Teresa of 7000 tons, and the Cristobal Colon of 6840 tons. It has also been decided by the government to send the Vizcaya and Almirante Quendo, both of 7000 tons, back to Havana. They will receive orders to this effect as soon as they sight Porto Rico.

A national subscription to strengthen the Spanish fleet will be organized by a royal decree, but the decree will not be published before a declaration of war. Officials frankly admit that the situation is delicate in the extreme. They consider war as being imminent, and it is popularly believed that President McKinley will address an ultimatum to Spain early next week.

All parties are offering aid to the government. Even the Carlist chiefs are presenting themselves to Premier Sagasta, proffering their services in the emergency. The newspapers are denouncing the bishop of Barcelona on account of the letter which he wrote proposing the abandonment of Cuba provided Spain's commercial and religious interests are guaranteed. Other bishops are calling on the government to resist the United States, and are offering money to aid the military and naval preparations.

Secured at a Bargain.

London, April 4.—A cruiser which Lieutenant Commander Colwell has purchased for the United States was built by the Thames Iron Works company for Peru. It was finished during the war between Peru and Chili, but the British government would not permit it to leave, on account of the neutrality law. The cruiser has been entirely refitted during the past year and modernized at an expense of $125,000. The negotiations for purchase were kept a secret as Lieutenant Commander Colwell wanted to secure the cruiser at a good bargain. The price asked was $400,000, but it is understood that she has been secured for about half that amount, after the owner had been given to understand that there was only a forlorn hope of selling her. The price paid is considerably below the cost of building.

When Lieutenant Commander Colwell raised the stars and stripes over the cruiser, which he did most informally and without his uniform, a crowd of English sailors on the wharves cheered heartily.

Princeton's President Preached.

Princeton, N. J., April 4.—President Patton conducted the preliminary devotional exercises in the university chapel service yesterday morning, and before reading the scripture lesson he addressed the student body as follows: "We must all feel that this is a day of unspeakable solemnity, and as we meet in the calm and quiet of this beautiful Sabbath morning, we cannot help thinking that it is perhaps the calm before the storm. There is a possibility, indeed a probability, that our nation will be involved in war, and I wish to say to you that war is not a thing to treat lightly or in jest. War is horrible. It may be that the cause of humanity will prove a sufficient justification in the present instance, but a war undertaken by this christian nation at this period of the world's history for any but the best of reasons would be a blot on our civilization. There are wars, of course, which are waged in obedience to the highest behests of humanity; and there is no doubt that there are a great many who favor war today under the influence of these high motives; but, on the other hand, there are a great many who believe that the resources of diplomacy have not yet been exhausted, and that it is not yet apparent that it is necessary to draw the sword to secure all that can be asked.

Faith of Mr. Woodford.

Madrid, April 4.—In answer to a request from the Associated Press General Woodford, the United States minister, has made the following statement: "The obligations of my diplomatic position absolutely forbid my granting an interview, or giving the slightest intimation as to the present condition of the diplomatic negotiations entrusted to my care. I came to Spain under instructions from President McKinley to secure peace in Cuba, with a permanent peace between the United States and Spain, a peace that should be built upon bedrock conditions—conditions of justice to Cuba, with assured protection to the great American interests in that island. I have labored steadily to obtain this result. I have never lost my faith; and, doubtful as conditions may seem today, I still believe these great and good purposes of my president may yet be secured. I shall not desist from my labors for a just and honorable peace until the guns actually open fire; and my faith is still strong that war, with all its horrors, can be averted.

"Enough blood has been shed in Cuba already; and I cannot believe that the closing hours of the 19th century will be reddened by a conflict between Spain and the United States. My country asks for peace based upon conditions that shall make peace permanent and beneficent; and I have faith that Spain will yet do what is necessary to assure justice for Cuba, and with justice peace is certain."

NEW MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

A Positive Cure for Dyspepsia.

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong because it is generaly thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable, or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable nor is it such a difficult matter as it first appears.

The trouble with Dyspeptics is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to opposite extremes or else deluging the already over burdened stomach with "bitters," "after dinner pills," etc., which invariably increase the difficulty even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is a rest. Now how can the stomach becomes rested, recuperated and at the same time the body nourished and sustained.

This is the great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dypepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy, but its success and popularity leaves no doubt as to its merits.

The tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach.

The sufferer from dyspepsia according to directions is to eat an abundance of good wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your dyspepsia may be, because as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees and put with it one of Stuart's dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished and at the same time a radical, lasting cure of dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some exent a much needed rest.

Your druggist will tell you that of the many remedies advertised to cure dyspepsia none of them has given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

A little book on cause and cure of stomach trouble sent free by addressing Stuart Co.,, Marshall Mich. 3t-4-6-8

BAY STATE BISHOP.

"Let Us Strain Every Nerve For Peace," He Recommended.

Boston, April 4.—Bishop William Lawrence made a remarkable plea Sunday for an honorable peace in our dealings with other nations. After his opening reference to the gospel lesson, the bishop took up the question of Cuba, saying: "I have been asked as bishop to u every clergyman in this diocese to pre for peace. No! Sunday after Sunda for years the preachers and the chu have been doing their best to develop christian character among the peo the sense of responsibility in public fice, the duty of selfrestraint and pa tience, the grandeur of peace. When a crisis comes the citizens and the rule speak; they represent the christian sen ment in action as well as word. Then is the time for the church to pray. Yet with this said I should feel that I w not doing my duty if I kept wholly sil ent.



REV. WILLIAM LAWRENCE, S. T. D.

"The time has passed for discussion as to how the present troubles about Cuba arose—whether from unscrupulous plantation owners and sugar importers, from low demagogues in high places, or from a false and vulgar form of patriotism. Sympathy with a people struggling as did our fathers for freedom from tyranny has had its part, and a profound sympathy for thousands of starving sufferers near our coast. Whatever the causes or the motives the fact is that we stand today in imminent danger of war.

"If war must come, let it come, but before it comes let us strain every nerve for peace as behooves a christian nation. The point is not whether Cuba must be freed today, or whether we intervene today, but whether by diplomacy, by conciliation, by conference, by any means except war, the object which this nation in its sober judgment and not in excitement believes it should attain can be attained by peace. What boots it a few days or weeks provided this nation stands before the world and before God as having exhausted every means for a peaceful settlement before resort to arms? As a people it behooves us to allow no rumors of war, no appeal to passion, no cheap journalism or even tender sympathy for suffering Cubans to paralyze our reason, throw away our selfrestraint or sweep us off our feet."

Thirty Days of Grace.

Boston, April 4.—Elizabeth Ward, the well-known writer, has written a letter in which she says: "What a spectacle—a christian nation threatening to declare war, unnecessary, unjustifiable, unrighteous war, on holy week; and plotting butchery on Easter day! The veriest furioso in congress must hang his head before this shameful and untimely sight. We have a christian statesman at the head of our government. Extend to him at least the simple courtesy yielded in the commonest commercial transactions. Grant the president 30 days to meet the call of the crisis. He will settle this trouble without slaughter. Give him a chance. Let him have time to save us from a national blunder and disgrace which history would never forget to record against us."

Chinese Statesman Accused.

Shanghai, April 4.—It is announced that a person of the highest rank has memoralized the emperor in the most vigorous language, accusing the foreign office of being in the pay of Russia. He asserts that Russia expended 10,000,000 taels in bribery during the recent negotiations regarding the cession of Port Arthur and Ta-Lien-Wan, and claims that Li Hung Chang's share was 1,500,000 taels. The personage referred to demands a full investigation, and asks that Li Hung Chang be beheaded if the accusations are proven, the memorializer offering to be executed himself if his charges are not sustained.

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we are to consider Instruction in the light of a Plaster to apply to it," said the judicious Hooker.

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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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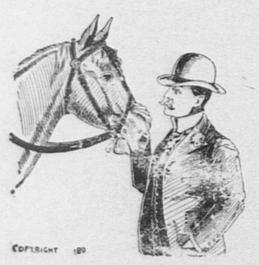
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DOOR SAID TO BE OPEN FOR PEACE.

Intimation From the Spanish Cabinet of Peaceful Desires.

Prepared to Grant Armistice to the Cubans.

Only Desires Removal of Our Warships From Points of Vantage.

Crucial Point For Peace or War to Be Reached Tomorrow—Congress to Hear at Last From the White House—Finishing Touches to a Strong, Comprehensive and Explicit Declaration of the Country's Position Applied Last Night and Cabinet's Endorsement Secured.

Madrid, April 5.—There is positive authority for saying that the government has accepted a proposition which is regarded here as a step toward peace.

Sunday morning the queen regent summoned her ministers, and informed them that the pope had offered mediation, and advised that Spain should at once grant an armistice, as requested by the United States, thus ending the question of peace or war in favor of peace.

In the afternoon the Austrian ambassador called upon General Woodford and gave his assurance that he would guarantee that Spain would carry out her portion of the contract, which is to do everything in her power to restore harmony in Cuba during the time the armistice lasts.

The Spanish government has been afraid to grant an armistice on account of the army, but the pope advises the army as a father and bids it cease fighting.

Spain only asks one thing in return for this concession. That is that the United States meet her half-way by simultaneously withdrawing her warships in Cuban waters.

Thus the doors of peace are once more wide open, and it is probably that the Cuban question will be solved with peace and honor.

PRESIDENT'S DISPOSITION.

Anxious to Obtain Hearty Co-Operation of the Congressmen.

Washington, April 5.—The president's purpose was to make no recommendation in his message, except for the relief of the reconcentrados, and to trust to his statement of facts and arguments upon the review of the situation and the history of the matter to so impress congress as to prevent hostile action by it at this time. He was told by conservatives, as much opposed to war and desirous of a peaceful settlement as he himself, that this might not be effective, since the majority of congress, even though made of a minority of Republicans in combination with Democrats and other elements, would simply ignore such a message, and pass one of the extreme warlike resolutions, if not an actual declaration of war, which would defeat his whole purpose.

The president thought at first that the pressure from the country would prevent this, but he became satisfied yesterday that it would not, although it would suffice to induce a majority of congress made up of the Republicans and some of the Democrats to follow President McKinley, if he should recommend measures in the line of the congressional desire, but much short of the extremes.

The Republican managers will probably have to make the resolution cover the recognition of independence, as well as discretionary intervention, in order to satisfy the two houses. Then, unless Spain should take the aggressive and interfere with our relief work or otherwise commit some overt act, there would be no war, and the president, backed up by the new authority given him in an impressive manner by congress, would be able to bring Spain to terms, it is believed by all of those who are engineering this new move.

Notwithstanding the many reports of European mediation, they assumed their first tangible form Monday afternoon, when at least two of the foreign embassies in Washington received official information that an exchange of notes between the great powers was now in progress with a view to arriving at a basis on which they could make a joint proposal for mediation. It is evident that the exchange has not yet been productive of a common understanding, as the ambassadors and ministers here have not received instructions to initiate the movement. Their only information thus far is that the notes are passing by telegraph between the capitals of Europe. It had been understood that France and Austria were most active in bringing about this movement, and that Great Britain had held aloof from it, but it develops that the British government is also taking part in the exchange, and that in case of concerted action by the powers Great Britain probably will act with the others.

"Wait for Wednesday," was the word passed about the capital Monday, and a general understanding to that effect was reached. The Republicans will not initiate and the Democrats will not try to force any action on Cuba until tomorrow, when the president's message will be received in all probability. With that understanding the senate foreign relations committee did not report, and the house foreign affairs committee took no action. It is known that the senate committee has agreed to report practically the Foraker resolution, declaring independence and intervention, with an amendment fixing the responsibility for the destruction of the Maine upon Spain, either by design or criminal negligence. The house committee will report, if possible, a resolution in line with the president's recommendations, and it is known that efforts are being made to have the resolutions of both committees agree with the president's wishes.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senators Who Think the Time to Strike Has Come.

Washington, April 5.—It was a great audience that looked down upon the chamber when the senate convened. Every seat in every gallery, except the diplomatic, was filled, and even in the diplomatic gallery there were several members of foreign legations. Senator Clay of Georgia was heard on the Cuban question. He was satisfied that a permanent peace could not be had in Cuba that did not include independence. With the Cubans it was liberty or death. The remedy to be applied to the situation was absolute independence, as it was evident that the island could no longer be held under Spanish sovereignty. By herself recognizing the independence of Cuba and withdrawing her troops from the island, Spain was afforded the one opportunity to make Cuba her friend. Unless she embraced this opportunity Spain could not support her rule upon the island for five times as much as the island was worth to her. Mr. Clay fully realized, he said, that in the event of war the south would be a greater sufferer than any other part of the country. Her seacoast cities would be open to attack by the enemy, her people would be first called upon to defend their homes from invasion and her commerce would be seriously crippled. He would not vote for war unless every effort to bring about a peaceful solution of the present difficulty was first exhausted. If, however, the matter could not be settled diplomatically in consonance with the honor and dignity of the country, he would favor drastic action.

"The people of the south believe," he said, "in the independence of Cuba, and if Spain will not agree to that peacefully, they favor the United States enforcing it with all the power of her land and naval forces."

Senator Perkins referred to the scheme instituted by Weyler to starve more than 1,000,000 Spanish subjects into submission, and declared that nothing in all history compared with the atrocity and brutality that Weyler had exercised against the Cubans. The time for action had, in his opinion, arrived. "A little more delay," said he, "a little more waiting, and the United States would become an accessory to the greatest, the most appalling crime in history. The patience of a great nation has its limits, and in this case the limit had been reached. The time for the horrors in Cuba to cease has come, and cease they must. Right, justice and humanity demanded that this government should intervene to stop the cruel warfare being waged by Spain against the Cuban insurgents, a people who were struggling for their freedom within 90 miles of our own shores.

Mr. Perkins, who has had a lifetime of experience in the handling of great vessels, discussed the destruction of the Maine from the viewpoint of an expert. For 40 days and nights the people had suspended judgment, but now that the facts had been laid before them, the verdict was unanimous that the great battleship was blown up not only from the outside, but with the cognizance of Spanish officials, for whose acts the Spanish government was fully responsible. The explosives were placed under the Maine by officials of the Spanish government. The people believed that they were exploded by design, and he was one who held to that belief. It would have been impossible, Mr. Perkins said, for any man or set of men to place in the harbor of Havana mines or torpedoes without the knowledge of the government authorities. "This most hideous crime of the 19th century," declared Mr. Perkins, vehemently, "was an act of war, and I believe that it is so regarded by the nations of the world." No offer of reparation could wipe out the feeling of the people of this country upon the matter and intensity had been added to that feeling by the almost frivolous manner in which the disaster had been treated by Spain. Mr. Perkins said that while he favored arbitration, individuals never attempted to arbitrate questions of honor, and nations could not afford to submit such questions to arbitration. Gold could not atone for the loss of those precious lives. The only honorable action for this country now to take was to intervene and free Cuba from the yoke of Spain.

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Mr. Mantle of Montana followed with an extended speech upon Cuba, in which he favored the independence of the Cuban people, who for years had been struggling for freedom. "I would," said he, "give my unqualified endorsement and vote in favor of directing the president to use the armed forces, both land and naval, to suppress the savagery that is now rampant upon that fair island." He had the highest regard for the president, but it was perfectly evident to all that the time for diplomatic negotiations on the Cuban question had passed. The sooner action was taken the better it would be for all concerned. Spain had violated every principle of civilized warfare and had thrown humanity to the winds. He not only believed the time had come for recognizing Cuban independence, but that a declaration of war would be fully justified by the wilful destruction of the Maine.

Mr. Rawlins of Utah said the case between Spain and the United States was made up. It was no longer for the executive to decide what course to pursue. With congress rested the responsibility of declaring war, and as this was the pressing duty the president was no longer the party to be criticised if any one was to be. Mr. Rawlins criticised our halting policy in strong language, saying that it was such as to justify Spain in holding the United States in contempt. He added that the crime of the explosion of the Maine was due to our indecision and cowardice, and that such an act would never have been perpetrated against any other nation. In conclusion Mr. Rawlins made an argument for an absolute declaration of war instead of a declaration for American intervention.

While there was no attempt to force consideration for a resolution regarding the Cuban situation in the house, there was a brief outbreak, in the course of which the warlike temper of the crowded galleries was so manifest that Speaker Reed threatened to clear them if it was repeated. The outbreak occurred over a bill to authorize the president to erect temporary fortifications in case of emergency upon land when the written consent of the owners was obtained, without awaiting the long process of legal condemnation. This led to a demand by Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, for information as to the facts which warranted all these war measures. The particular statement which aroused the galleries was to the effect that while the Democrats were willing to wait any reasonable time for the president to transmit a message that would meet the approval of the American people, they would not wait a minute for him to continue negotiations with the butchers of Spain. When the demonstrations in the galleries were rebuked by the speaker, Mr. Bailey declared that the galleries were the American people in miniature. Mr. Cannon accused Mr. Bailey of "posturing" and playing to the galleries. The bill was passed, and it was arranged that the army reorganization bill should be taken up Wednesday.

Expects a Peaceful Outcome.

Washington, April 5.—Senator Elkins thinks that peace will be the outcome of the agitation over Cuba. He bases his opinion upon the theory that the negotiations will be reopened and that Spain will yet see her way clear to accepting the propositions of the United States. "Suppose negotiations have been suspended," he said; "they can be reopened. I should not be surprised if they had already been reopened, nor to hear any hour that Spain had yielded."



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The senator expressed the opinion that not only France and other European powers were exercising their influence with effect, but also that the financial and religious powers were being brought to bear in a way that must benefit for peace. "It is a common sense proposition," he said in conclusion, "and in the end common sense must win. As for the United States, they cannot afford to spend a thousand million dollars and destroy many thousands of lives to secure the independence of the Cubans, and if they go to war at all it should be for some other reason."

Spain's Many Expedients.

New York, April 5.—H. S. Rubens, counsel for the Cuban junta, when asked concerning the report that Spain had asked the insurgents for an armistice, said: "Spain tried to force autonomy on us, and signally failed. Then she tried bribery without avail. There would appear to be nothing more which she could do to dissuade the Cubans from fighting on for absolute independence. If Spain declares an armistice, it would simply strengthen the Cubans in their conviction that Spanish rule in Cuba is at an end, that she is exhausted, beaten; but yet with her diplomatic bad faith, would try to turn death into victory. The declaration of an armistice by Spain would be an acknowledgment of the belligerency of the Cubans, and consequently of the strength of the revolution, which they have denied.

"I am informed on reliable authority that financial elements, the so-called peace-at-home men, finding that action is inevitable on the Cuban question by the United States, now propose that instead of recognizing the independence of Cuba and intervening, the United States simply intervene, seize Cuba and hold her for the expenses of the war and to cover the Maine indemnity. A

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Per order of the Water Commissioners.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	36	44	40
Monday	45	51	57
Tuesday	38	52	59
Wednesday	—	56	71
Thursday	—	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
Saturday	—	48	42

New Advertisements Today.

Boston Bargain Store,
C. Patch & Son—Coal.
Herman H. Pratt—Bicycles.
Quincy Clothing Co.
Mortgagee's sale of real estate.
Two tenements to let.

Good Afternoon.

It may not be unusual for cities to refund their debt, but there is a repugnance against going to the Legislature for such a purpose, and therefore we anticipate opposition to the order introduced into the City Council by Councilman Parker. We are pleased to see that Mr. Parker does not propose to let city finances drift without a guiding hand, and his efforts to even up the payments is commendable, but there is a better way just now. Few cities now raise all their annual appropriation order by taxation, but items in the nature of permanent improvements are separated and constitute a loan order. The appropriation order of 1897 including maturing debt and interest was $351,126.21. Of this $234,895.00 was for "current expenses" making it necessary to raise by taxation $195,000.00. If some of the items are separated out this year so that it will be necessary to raise but $175,000.00 by taxation, and $20,000 by a ten-year loan, it will accomplish the desired end and reduce the tax rate of 1898. It was only last week that Mayor Quincy wrote to each of the Boston departments asking them what items they would like to have incorporated in a loan order soon to be introduced.

The officials and stockholders of the Quincy & Boston street railway were out in force at the City Council hearing to the Braintree & Weymouth Company for a location from East Braintree over Penn's hill to the Quincy Adams depot. The representative of the petitioners agreed to all that was asked of the company, but the petition lacked the support of Quincy people. No one from this city spoke in favor, and the remonstrants did not see any advantages to the city. The local company in view of all this evidently did not see the necessity of being hostile.

Great Improvement.

One of the greatest improvements that has been made this season in bicycles is the Pierce's pneumatic cushion frame, which rides so easily over rough roads that it is very noticeable; more so, than between a pneumatic and a solid tire. Those thinking of buying would do well to call at Herman H. Pratt's at 6 Washington street, and examine this new invention.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Democrats Object to An Appointment of the Mayor.

Sewer Appropriation of $100,000 Held Up by War Scare.

Hearing to Braintree & Weymouth Street Railway.

Every member was present at Monday night's meeting of the City Council. This meeting will be a memorial one as it was the first in the history of the city when there was any debate over the confirmation of any appointment of the Mayor.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Edward J. McKeon a member of the board of Registrars of Voters for three years.

Councilman Cain hoped the Council would not confirm the appointment as the Democratic City Committee objected. Mr. McKeon left the Democratic party with others last fall and supported the Republican candidate, and having done so was not competent to serve.

A committee waited upon the Mayor but he refused to appoint the gentleman they requested. If Mr. McKeon was confirmed there would be three Republicans and one Democrat on the board.

Councilman Little said if he was not a Democrat he should not be confirmed and moved to lay on the table.

Voted to lay on the table.

A communication was received from the Mayor stating that he had appointed George F. Pinkham a member of the Board of Managers of the Adams Academy in place of John O. Hall resigned.

JURORS DRAWN.

Assisted by Councilman Cain, the Mayor and City Clerk drew Elmer I. Gay, William S. Murray and Charles T. Melville as traverse jurors.

NOT LEGAL.

A communication was received from City Solicitor McAnarney in answer to the question of Councilman Parker which was: If the City Council had the right to raise say $40,000 of its city debt falling due this year by taxation and borrow the balance on notes of the city.

City Solicitor McAnarney's answer was that under the existing laws it could not be done.

PETITIONS.

A number of petitions for minor licenses were received and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

A petition was received from James A. Johnson and wife for State aid.

Councilman Hultman presented a petition asking for the relocation of Washington street from Cherry avenue to Canal street and Canal street from Washington street to land of Mrs. Pierce. To Committee on Streets.

A petition was received from Laura A. and Henry T. Brown remonstrating against accepting Putnam street and changing the grade. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Nash presented a petition for a drain on Garfield street from McDonnell & Sons' stables to near the Swedish church. To Committee on Drains.

Councilman Hill presented a petition from Ward Six calling attention to the public playground at Atlantic, and asking for an appropriation to put it in condition, to build a bicycle or running track around the outside and to cultivate grass on the inside for a ball field and for a few benches for public use. To Committee on Public Grounds.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Finance reported favorable on orders to transfer from Miscellaneous City receipts of 1897 as follows: $50 to pay of city officers of 1897, and $33.51 to Public Burial Places of 1897. Both advanced a stage.

Upon favorable reports licenses were voted to Charles H. Kendrick to collect junk, to Charles F. Wilde to sell fire works, to Natali Fosati as a common victualler. Ciriaco Zagarese was given leave to withdraw.

State aid of $5 to Margaret McCanley and $4 to Bridget Sherman were accepted.

The Committee on Streets was against $300 for a stone culvert on Hancock street, Atlantic, and the report was accepted.

PUBLIC HEARINGS.

At 8 o'clock there was a public hearing on the petition of the Braintree and Weymouth street railway for a location from East Braintree to the Quincy Adams station in Quincy via Franklin street and Presidents avenue.

W. O. Chapman, Esq., of Canton appeared for the company. It had been established three years and operated lines in Braintree and Weymouth. It desired to build a suitable and proper railway, give frequent service, and run good cars.

To Councilman Little, he explained the route more in detail.

To Councilman Packard, he said he could name no one in Quincy who has specially asked for the line but understood people wanted it. If location was granted tracks would be laid and cars run regularly. Would connect in Braintree at corner of Adams and Commercial streets. Had asked for location in Braintree, but it was still pending.

To Councilman Parker—The company would use such weight of rail as city thought proper and pave if required.

To Councilman Jameson—The company was ready to give bonds to indemnify city for accidents; also to keep the street used in good condition.

To Councilman Cain, he said he thought his company would be ready to negotiate with the Quincy & Boston street railway company for free transfers over the West Quincy line of the latter road.

REMONSTRANTS.

Thomas F. Ferguson of 58 Franklin street objected to granting the location. All the abutters except one were against the grant. People on Franklin street were now well accommodated by the Q. & B. Penn's hill would be a dangerous one for the electric cars to come down. The street further was too narrow.

To Councilman Parker he said the street was 35 feet from sidewalk to sidewalk.

To Councilman Jameson—Franklin street was about three-eighths of a mile long. About twenty families lived on it. Sidewalk was built on both sides part of the distance.

John L. Miller was opposed. It was a vital question with him. He presented a petition signed by 95 per cent. of the property holders remonstrating. Quincy should have one avenue out of town free from electrics for driving. He was not in the interests of any railway as he would like to see a little competition to reduce the fares between all parts of the city to five cents. The new line however would be of no advantage to Quincy.

Mr. Chapman was given an opportunity to reply. His company did not desire to build until the people wanted it, but the route seemed feasible, and he believed it would be of benefit to Quincy and Weymouth. The streets were wider than many now used by electrics in Weymouth.

The hearing was closed and the order recommitted to the Committee on Streets.

EAST ELM AVENUE.

Alfred Shaw was the only one to appear at the hearing for the acceptance of East Elm avenue. He said it was much travelled and needed a little fixing up.

At 8.30 the public hearing on the relocations of High street was called. No one appeared for or against the petition and the hearing was closed and the order recommitted.

MOTIONS, ORDERS, ETC.

Councilman Parker offered an order instructing the Mayor to petition the Legislature for such legislation as will enable the city of Quincy to issue bonds for the purpose of paying or refunding its indebtedness, said bonds not to exceed $20,000 and the payment not to exceed twenty years from date of issue. To joint Committee on Finance and Legislative Matters.

CALENDAR.

The order authorizing a loan of $100,000 for the extension of the sewer came up and took its second reading.

The rules were suspended in order that it might take its final passage.

Councilman Sidelinger then moved that the order be laid on the table as there was some misunderstanding as to the per cent. Voted.

Adjourned at 8.43.

Broken Jaw Set.

Most people having a dog that had become the possesor of a broken jaw would probably have it killed, through ignorance not knowing what else to do. A Braintree grayhound saw a boy batting a ball. He endeavored and succeeded in catching the ball before the boy hit it, but he got the force of the bat on the lower jaw, completely breaking one side, so that the ends shot by each other and the animal was unable to close his mouth.

Dr. Abele of Quincy manipulated the bones back into place and set the dog's jaw. Food was given from a syringe for four or five days. In about two weeks the splints were removed and the dog is in as good condition as ever. It is doubtful if from choice he plays ball again this season.

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Let President McKinley run this Spain business and we won't be dishonored, nor will we have cause to blush. If Tom Reed or Grover Cleveland, or Geo. Washington, or Mayor Sears were President, they'd be President because they were elected to do certain things, and they'd be in a better position to know more than the rest of us, and these yellow journals, about diplomacy and dynamite.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

The Sportman's club of Wollaston meets on April 12.

A light is kept burning on the hose wagon in Ward Two now all night.

Rehearsals for the pageant at Music hall are in progress and promise great results.

Miss Bertha Nichols of Botolph street is spending her vacation in Lawrence.

The cold wind of yesterday did not prevent the bicycle riders from enjoying the sport.

Mr. James H. Slade is giving a shot lecture, illustrated by an electro-rama, at Keith's this week.

Mr. Peter Kelley of Lincoln street Boston, was visiting friends here yesterday in Adams building.

This afternoon Rev. E. C. Butler will give a talk on the "Resurrection" before the Woman's Alliance, at Unitarian chapel.

Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer (Miss Pauline Revere) of Boston has secured ten of the best seats for the historical pageant "The New World."

The Austin & Winslow Express company has removed their office and consolidated with the Gallagher Express company opposite the depot.

Many residents at Quincy Point will regret the departure of Rev. Morris Turk as he was an earnest worker in all matters of a financial nature.

One of the Wollaston turnstiles is out of order and the exit is boarded up. Of course this adds to Wollaston's convenient railroad accommodation.

Mr. Jonathan Pratt is moving from Quincy avenue to Howard street, Quincy Neck, his future residence. Mr. Pratt used to live there in by gone day.

Rev. A. A. Brown, who has been pastor of the West Quincy Methodist church, has resigned his pastorate to accept a call to a church in Ohio. He will leave for his new field of labor Monday, April 11.

An experience meeting will be held this evening at the West Quincy Methodist church. Everybody who attends is expected to bring one dollar and to tell how they earned it. There are many methods of earning a dollar and the experiences to be related will be well worth hearing.

It is a surprise to many to learn that the jewelry business of John O. Holden is to be moved from the old location. It has been one of the old reliable stands for years and it was a surprise to Mr. Walter B. Holden, the business manager, as well as his many friends, that the building should be sold over his head without allowing him an opportunity to become the purchaser. Wherever Mr. Holden decides to locate he may be sure his large number of patrons will follow him.

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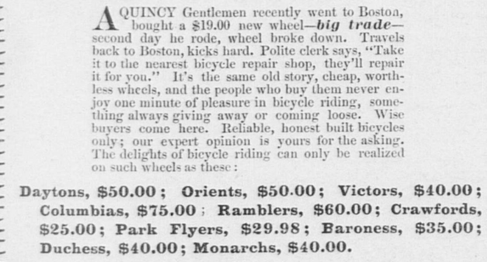
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Quite a snow storm.

This is certainly March weather.

A newsy paper today.

L. C. Embree of Embree Bros. yacht builders, Quincy Point, has been elected a member of the Quincy Yacht club.

Mr. W. W. Osborne has purchased an estate on Elm avenue from Mrs. W. G. Holden, through the office of George H. Brown & Co.

Mr Arthur Cheney from Lowell is the new artist at Randall's hair dressing room in Adams building.

The new George L. Gill Rebekah lodge will be instituted on Thursday at Odd Fellows hall by Grand Master Corkhill and other grand officers. A large number of candidates will be initiated in the evening.

The Daughters of John Adams Ladies' Loyal Orange lodge, No 11, will hold their annual meeting tonight and elect officers. Three candidates will be initiated and a large attendance is expected.

The many friends of Mr. Alfred Jelenick of Botolph street, bade him a farewell Friday, as he started on his extended trip to the Klondike. He goes by the way of California where he will visit relations first.

Mr. B. F. Pierce, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Brockton, will address the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. General Secretary Hoehn of the local Association goes to Brockton to address the meeting at that place at the same time.

THE MONDAY CLUB.

Vote Unanimously to Uphold President McKinley.

The seventh regular meeting of the Monday Evening club was held in the Memorial church, April 4. The subject for the evening was F. Hopkinson Smith.

Miss Isabel F. P. Emery read a paper on F. Hopkinson Smith written by Mr. Edward C. Bellows, which gave an interesting account of this versatile and clever man.

The president of the club then read, "Baader" one of F. Hopkinson Smith's charming stories of foreign life.

After an intermission of social chat Mrs. Perkins of Savin Hill sang "Since first I met thee," by Rubenstein.

Mrs. Charles Coe read a well written paper on the life of Mozart, which dwelt particularly on the fascinating boy life of the great composer.

Mr. Sturtevant played two piano solos: A minuet from Mozart, and "Air de Ballet" from Chamonade It is always a delight to listen to the playing of this young man and he responded to the prolonged call for an encore, by playing with exquisite expression "Blumenlied" by Lange.

Miss Leavitt of Cambridge sang a contralto solo, "Because I love you, dear," by Hawley. She has an unusually deep voice, and made a favorable impression upon the large audience.

The orchestra played the "Priest March" from the Magic Flute.

Mr. Charles Williams, impersonator from Harvard college, entertained the company for half an hour with four selections of great variety, which showed his unusual range and power. He captivated and delighted his hearers.

The President of the club then introduced a living topic of the day which resulted in a motion made by Mr. Charles Hall and seconded by Mr. Wade to send the following letter to President McKinley at Washington.

To the Honorable William McKinley,
President of the U. S.

Dear Sir: In this trying hour the Atlantic Monday Evening club composed of 150 members, representing the best sentiment of Ward 6 of the City of Quincy, Mass., wish unanimously to express the unqualified approval of the course you have taken thus far in endeavoring to avoid war, and to attain a peaceful solution of the difficulties attending our present relations with Spain. We trust that every influence will be brought to bear upon both Houses of Congress to sustain you in all your efforts, that make for peace and prevent the stain of that honor, that belongs to us as a Christian nation.

The club is indebted to Mr. Jacob Kolb for his generous contribution of beautiful flowers. The committee for the evening were Mrs. Charles E. Cherrington and Mr. Edward C. Bellows.

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In Children or Adults. The safest and most effectual remedy made is
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FELL INTO QUARRY.

Sad Death of a Quarry Owner This Morning.

Alphonse Reinhalter, a well known quarry owner, was killed at his quarry near the West Quincy depot this morning. It was about 9 o'clock when Mr. Reinhalter started to go down into the quarry hole on a ladder. The light snow which had fallen gathered on the rounds and caused his feet to slip when nearly twenty feet from the bottom, and loosing his hold he fell, striking heavily upon the sharp rocks below. He struck on his stomach and head, the force breaking several ribs and crushing his skull.

When his employes, some of whom witnesed the accident, reached him he was unconscious. He was hoisted out of the quarry and taken to his home on Willard street where he died about an hour later.

Mr. Reinhalter was an experienced granite man, having been in the business for a number of years. Previous to going into the quarry business, he was engaged in the granite manufacturing with his brother, under the firm name of Reinhalter Bros. After the Quarry Railroad was put in operation he went into the quarry business alone, his plant being on the line of the Quarry railroad. He was about 38 years of age and leaves a widow and several children.

C. E. UNION MEET.

Bethany C. E. Entertain the East Norfolk Societies.

The annual meeting of the East Norfolk C. E. Union with the Bethany church society in this city was one of the most enjoyable meetings of the union. All the societies were representated including Quincy, Quincy Point, South Quincy, Wollaston, Braintree, South Braintree, Randolph and Holbrook. Walter C. Sampson president of the Quincy society presided.

These officers were elected:

President,—John Patti of Randolph.

Secretary, — Miss Thompson of Wollaston.

Treasurer,—Miss Alice Sampson of Quincy.

The banner for attendance which has been in the possession of the South Braintree society was captured by the Quincy society for the best attendance the past six months.

The entertainment of the evening included solos by Miss Mabel Stanaway of the New England Conservatory of Music; readings by Miss Tinker of the Emerson School of Oratory and cornet solos by Charles Scammel of Quincy.

A social hour followed the entertainment and cards were distributed that each might "greet the stranger by name." Light refreshments were served.

BRAINTREE.

Several Appropriations Made at Adjourned Town Meeting.

The voters of Braintree took another chapter of town meeting last night. The attendance was not quite up to the usual number. The gallery was opened to ladies and children who desired to witness the debate.

The first business was the appropriation of $1400 for the salary of superintendent of schools whose whole time shall be given to that work. This went through without debate. The other appropriations were: Janitors of school buildings $1800. Text books and supplies $1600. Incidentials for schools $400. Incidentals for school houses $1000. Fuel $1200.

For the pay of firemen $1,225 was appropriated; for general expenses of fire department $1800, repairs on houses $100, new house $320, repairs on apparatus $100.

It was voted to pay laborers on the highway $2.00 per day; 9 hours to constitute a day's work.

The other appropriations were:

Jonas Perkins school note, $3,100.
Monatiquot school note, $3,300.
Electric Light note, $2,000.
Interest on town debt, $5,000.
Support of poor, $4,000.
Soldiers' Relief, $400.
Soldiers' Aid, $100.
Town Hall, $150.
Town Lands, $100
Insurance, $700.
Incidental expenses, $2,500.
Abatement and collection of taxes, $1500.
Court fees, $100.
Public library, $1000.
Janitor town hall $600.
Distribution of books, $100.

It was voted to keep the library open every month in the year. A committee was appointed to consider the needs of a new school house.

☞ Do not fail to hear Joan of Arc plead for the Crown of Fame at Faxon Hall, April 6.

Most of the medieval manuscripts have the important initials in red ink; hence the term rubrics, from rubrica red.

AN IMPOSTOR.

A Slick Oily Tongued Chap Defrauds a Milliner.

A well appearing young man visited Quincy this morning and when he departed a little later he had $52.80 of Miss C. L. Bliss good money in his pocket. The fellow had an oily tongue and the circumstances under which the money was obtained showed that he was well posted in the affairs of Fisk & Jaynes of Boston, and the millinery business in general.

It was but a little after 8 o'clock when the fellow entered Miss Bliss' store to sell her some ribbons, representing himself as Mr. Jaynes of the firm of Fisk & Jaynes. Among other matters that entered into the conversation was bills and while talking on this subject Miss Bliss mentioned that she owed his firm a bill and would go in and pay it. He told her that was unnecessary as she could pay him as well, whereupon she gave him a check for $52.80 payable to Fisk & Jaynes. The fellow took the check and started out, then turned back with the remark that perhaps she had better certify that he was the person named on the face of it which she did. The fellow then called upon the Granite Bank, upon which the check was drawn, cashed it and took a train a few minutes later for Boston.

Sometime later Miss Bliss had her suspicions aroused that all was not right and telephoned to Messrs. Fisk and Jayne the circumstances. The reply was that they had no such person in their employ and had sent no man out to Quincy, and that the fellow was an imposter.

Visiting the bank Miss Bliss learned that the fellow had cashed the check and inasmuch as she had certified to it she would be the loser.

The police were notified and given a description of the fellow. He was about 5 feet, 3 inches tall, with gray hair and mustache. He wore a brown derby hat, light colored overcoat and light striped trousers. He carried a silver top umbrella and represented himself as being J. F. Jaynes.

NEWCOMB'S BILL

To Reduce Boston Licenses Given a Third Reading.

Representatives Newcomb and Thompson were recorded in favor of the bill reducing the number of liquor licenses in Boston. The bill to make the number one in 1000 instead of one in 500 was ordered to a third reading in the House Monday by a vote of 79 to 56 on roll call.

Mr. Fitzgerald of Boston opened the debate against the bill.

Mr. Newcomb who reported the bill spoke in favor. He said that now in the North end district of Boston the saloons were one to every 172 of the population, and in the South end district one to every 200 of the population. Many of the places now licensed were disreputable and dangerous. Such "dens of iniquity" should not be allowed to exist, and they would not exist to such an extent if the number of licensed places was reduced one half.

Several spoke for and against the bill, and Mr. Miller of Boston is said to have hurled defiance at Mr. Newcomb.

Serious Runaway.

Albert Martell, a clerk employed by E H. Doble & Co. of West Quincy, met with a serious accident Monday afternoon, and as a result he is now at the City Hospital suffering from a compound fracture of the left leg.

It was shortly before 3 o'clock when the young man who was delivering goods was driving down Bates avenue, when for some reason the team came onto the horse. The animal immediately began to kick and then to run. Almost the first kick struck Martell in the leg causing a fracture and driving the bone through the flesh. Parties near by took the horse by the head and undertook to stop him but it was not before he had drawn the team over a banking that he was finally stopped. As the horse went into the bank the team narrowly escaped striking a child at play near by. Martell was taken into a store and a physician summoned, who ordered his removal to the City Hospital.

The accident is an extremely unfortunate one, as he is the only support of his mother whose husband was killed a short time ago in a quarry accident.

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THE POPULATION OF QUINCY

Is about 25,000, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 25 and 50c. *Trial size free.* Sold by all druggists.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The "coach" for the rehearsals of "Kokakola" directed the rehearsal for the first time Monday night at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth.

Mrs. John W. Bates has formally opened her dressmaking rooms at Hunt's block, East Weymouth.

Mr. Merritt Jenkins, Tufts, '01, arrived home Saturday and will spend the spring vacation at the home of his parents at their residence on North street, North Weymouth.

Mr. Herbert E. Curtis is out again from his recent sickness.

The Monday Club of East Weymouth held its annual meeting Monday and elected officers for the ensuing year. Mrs. James B. Jones of Weymouth Heights was elected president, Mrs. David H. Benson of North Weymouth is on the board of directors, of which Mrs. Martin E. Hawes of East Weymouth is chairman. Mrs. Annie E. Bates of East Weymouth is auditor. Mr. J. J. Loud, the president of the Weymouth Historical society of Weymouth, presented in behalf of the Historical Society to the new president, Mrs. Jones, a new gavel made from ruins of the Union church, Weymouth. The affairs of the club are very prosperous and bright, pointing to an excellent future.

Miss Stuart of Wellesley is visiting her mother at Lovell's corner.

Mr. L. J. Peterson and Frank Whiting won the Algonquin Whist club prizes for the month.

Rev. William Hyde, pastor of the Trinity church, Weymouth, observed Palm Sunday by special services at the church. At the morning service he spoke on "Bethany and Palm Sunday." In the evening his subject was Watching with Christ in Gethsemane." Special decorations and singing were prepared for the occasion. Attendance at both servces was large.

Mr. Charles Hunt of Weymouth has gone to New York on a business trip.

A team driven by a Mr. G. H. Damon was smashed up in Jackson square, East Weymouth, Monday.

The Weymouth North High School Lyceum held a special meeting Monaday and was called to order by its president John McFawn, '98. It was voted to draw up a set of resolutions on the death of the lamented teacher, the late Mr. John Culbert Johnson. A committee was appointed to draw up such a set, one copy to be sent to the mother of the deceased young man, a copy to each of the teachers more intimate friends and to insert a copy in the Weymouth Gazette. The committee is composed of Miss Blanche Hall, '98, of Weymouth; Mr. Charles Willoby, '99, of Weymouth; Miss Mabel Sampson, '00, of North Weymouth; and Mr. A. W. Sampson, '01, of North Weymouth.

TODAY'S COURT.

Martin Clark was sent to the State Farm at Bridgewater for one year for being a tramp at Braintree.

DRESS-MAKING
MRS. LENA G. MAGILL
invites the ladies of Quincy to call and see her NEW SPRING DRESS PATTERNS.
Tailor Made Suits a Specialty.
Work done at reasonable prices.
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Near Quincy Depot. may7-1m

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by N. Urbain Lavoie of Quincy in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Herbert T. Whitman, of said Quincy, dated December 31, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 686, folio 295, which mortgage was assigned to Amy Billings, by instrument dated November 24, 1894, duly recorded with said deeds, libro 725, folio 454, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on SATURDAY, the 30th day of April, 1898, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land in said Quincy numbered one on a plan by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Plans at the end of libro 671 and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring one hundred and sixteen and three-tenths (116.3) feet; southeasterly on Common street, there measuring eighty-seven and twenty-two hundredths (87.22) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring one-hundred and sixteen and forty-four hundredths (116.44) feet; and northwesterly on other land of Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet; containing 9,936 square feet of land, excepting that portion of said lot No. 1, which is bounded and described as follows: northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring fifty-nine (59) feet; southeasterly on the remaining portion of lot No.1, there measuring eighty-five and forty-five hundredths (85.45) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring fifty nine and three-tenths (59.3) feet; and northwesterly on land formerly of said Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet, containing 4,989 square feet of land, more or less; said excepted portion having been sold under foreclosure of a prior mortgage.

Being the same premises conveyed to said N. Urbain Lavoie by the said H. T. Whitman by deed dated April 7, 1892.

Said premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments, and tax titles, if any there be. Terms at sale.

AMY BILLINGS,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.
Weymouth, Mass., April 5, 1898, 3t-5-12-19

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WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework; good washer and ironer; one to go home nights preferred. Apply, 18 Bigelow street. 24-inch Boy's Wheel for sale.
Quincy, April 4. 6t

WANTED—Washing to do at my home. Call at 21 Adams street. MRS. D. MORAN. April 2—3t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St.
Quincy, March 31. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.
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TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises.
March 29. cod-tf

TO LET—A few nicely furnished rooms, with use of bath room, at No. 28 Chestnut street. Apply on the premises to MRS. PEVERLY
Quincy, March 30. 6t

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

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Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
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Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 4:35 p. m. | New Moon 20 5:37 p. m.
Third Quarter 13 9:44 a. m. | First Quarter 28 9:21 p. m.

A New Version.



Richard Thirds—A horse! A horse! My kingdom for no horse!—Fliegende Blatter.

BOSTON OPINION.

Resource of Force When Peaceful Efforts Are Ineffective.

Boston, April 5.—In dealing with the clamors of the peace upholders The Post argues: "Either the general policy of this government in dealing with the Cuban situation is wrong from the beginning, or it should be followed out to the end, whether that end be peace or war. If it is none of our business what Spain does with her American colonies on our shores we ought not to meddle at all in the fate of the suffering Cubans; but if it is our business to see that humanity is not outraged at our doors, and to uphold the cause of humanity and liberty we cannot stop at the first indication of a disturbance of peaceful conditions. When the peaceful phases of our policy are exhausted without result, there is a resource of force—in case we think the policy worth sustaining. As Collector Warren is reported to have said: 'It is time to act or forever hold our peace.'"

"It seems to be acknowledged now on all hands," says The Journal today, "that President McKinley has resolved upon a stalwart American policy, and that the devastation and torture of Cuba must come to an immediate end. The Journal believes with all its heart that the same wholesome and enlightened public sentiment which has supported him thus far will support him with emphasis in his present determination. It is just what The Journal has expected of President McKinley all along. It is just what it has assured its readers would be the inevitable and righteous outcome."

Predicating its criticism on the supposition that the president will argue n favor of Cuban independence, The Globe says: "That such a declaration would be given most cordial support in both branches of congress there is no room to doubt. As regards consequences, the Spanish minister to this country, Polo y Bernabe, is on record as stating that recognition of Cuban independence would not necessarily mean war, and it is more than probable that for a time at least, the cards of diplomacy would be played with more earnestness and vigor than ever, because of the very fact that the position of the United States regarding Cuba had become clearly defined before the world."

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KNIFE THRUST DEADLY.

Murder Committed on a Busy Street In Boston.

Unknown Desperado Killed a Drug Clerk.

Checked Pursuit With Two Revolvers and Escaped.

Boston, April 5.—A mysterious murder was done last night at the drug store under the United States hotel. There were only two people present when the deed was committed. One was the man who was killed and the other was the man who killed him. The latter is at large.

It is thought that the murderer tried to rob the murdered man. The latter was stabbed, it is thought, just when he was getting the best of the robber.

The murdered man is Charles Lamont Russell, 35 years old, who lived with his wife and two children in Roslindale. He was a clerk in the drug store of William A. Church, at Beach and Lincoln streets, under the United States hotel, and had worked in the store for several years.

The motive for the crime, the police say, was the "result of jealousy," or some standing grudge, as no attempt was made to loot the place, which could have easily been accomplished, as the outer door of the safe stood open.

The murder took place when the streets in the vicinity were well filled with people. Those near the store saw Russell struggling with a man in his endeavor apparently to push him from the store. The two men, however, reached the street very quickly, and then Russell was seen to fall on his face on the sidewalk, while the unknown man started down Beach street on the run. Three young men who were quite near the store and saw the struggle between the two men, instead of running to the prostrate form of Russell, started after his supposed assailant. They almost reached him, when he suddenly turned and, pulling two revolvers from his pocket, ordered them to stand back. They stopped at once before the desperate man, but as he again started to run they bravely followed in pursuit. The chase led them to the Boston and Albany railroad station, through which the man ran until he reached the end of the train shed. Here the man doubled on his pursuers and disappeared toward the south end.

In the meantime Russell had been conveyed back to the store, but he was dead even before he was lifted from the sidewalk. A hasty examination revealed a deep knife wound in the abdomen which undoubtedly severed an artery. Mr. Chapin, the proprietor of the store, arrived shortly afterwards, and after a hasty examination stated that while the man might have been trying to rob the store no cash was missing.

Later the police arrested a man, who gave his name as Charles Brown, on suspicion, but the three men who chased Russell's assailant failed to identify him. As there was no one in the store at the time of the assault, the circumstances leading to it are unknown and until the missing man is apprehended will probably not be known.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 5.—By a vote of 79 to 56 the house of representatives yesterday ordered to a third reading the bill to limit the number of places here which may be licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquors to one for each 1000 population. If this bill should become a law the number of licenses in Boston would be reduced by one-half, the limit in this city now being one license for each 500 population. The proposed law makes no change in the cities and towns outside of Boston.

The bill providing for the temporary release of children from truant schools, in cases where their parents are seriously sick, was engrossed by the senate without debate.

The most important matter acted upon was the bill extending the scope of the weekly payment law. The bill extends the operation of the weekly payment law to include employing contractors and manufacturers. On a yea and nay vote is was accepted—16 to 14.

Senator George had a bill substituted for an adverse report, which provides that the appointment and removal of license commissioners shall be by the mayor, subject to the approval of the board of aldermen.

The bill to authorize the erection and maintenance of dams across streams not navigable, for making of ice ponds, was discussed at length, copiously amended and rejected on a yea and nay vote—13 to 13.

Elections In Nutmeg State.

Stamford, Conn., April 5.—At the election in this city yesterday, William J. H. Bohannon, the present Democratic mayor, defeated his Republican opponent, Henry L. Eckhard, by 244 votes. This was more than double the majority Mayor Bohannon received last year. Charles Jones (Dem.) was elected councilman-at-large, which was the first time in the history of the city that a Democrat was elected to that office.

Hartford, April 5.—A light vote was polled in the city election yesterday. Miles B. Preston, Democrat, was re-elected mayor over E. C. Frisbie, Republican, by 631 votes. E. N. Fitzgerald, Democrat, was elected collector over George B. Newton, Republican. Republicans were successful in all other offices by large majorities, and both branches of the common council are strongly Republican.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6.
Sun rises—5:18; sets, 6:16.
Moon rises—evening.
High water—10:45 a. m.; 11 p. m.

The unsettled weather threatening from the south has made little progress northward since Sunday, but it may extend up the coast today and cause partially cloudy or cloudy weather Wednesday, with light rains or snow on the southeast coast during the morning. Cool northerly winds will probably prevail Wednesday, but it now promises to be warmer Thursday and the remainder of the week.



Women nowadays do not have to use a stream of water for a looking-glass. They have modern mirrors that will tell them very promptly whether their beauty is fading. A woman's beauty fades very rapidly if she is troubled with some derangement of the distinctly feminine organism. Ignorance or carelessness in this respect frequently causes great suffering and irregularity in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girlhood should be looked upon promptly and properly treated at once.

Mothers cannot be too conscientious in this respect, and cannot throw aside the prudery that is so prevalent upon this point too soon. Every young woman should know something about her own physical make-up, and the importance to her future of her local as well as general health. A woman who suffers from weaknesses peculiar to her sex will rapidly lose her beauty, her general health, her amiability and her usefulness and capability as a wife and housekeeper. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, gives sturdy health to the distinctly feminine organism and prepares it to meet the trials of wifehood and motherhood. The "Favorite Prescription" is not a cure-all. It is intended for but one class of disorders and is good for no other. Taken during the period of gestation, it makes parturition easy, and banishes the discomforts of the expectant months. All good medicine dealers sell it.

"I wish to express my thanks for the good I have received from Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. E. Scovill, of Bolton, Stephenson Co., Ills. "I have used it at different times for the last eight years. It is the best medicine for expectant mothers. I never tried it for that until my last baby. I had been very bad, almost helpless. I could not get out of bed alone, or even turn over. Last December I commenced taking the 'Favorite Prescription,' and could soon get in and out of bed as well as at any time. On March 29th I gave birth to an eleven pound boy *without pain*, and have since been as well and healthy as I ever was."

DOOR SAID TO BE OPEN FOR PEACE.

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pretext will also be made for seizing the Philippines and Porto Rico, but their real objects are to force Cuban annexation to the United States, or to sell her to the highest bidder, which would have to be Spain; for this government has gone on record that under no consideration will the United States tolerate the transfer of Cuba to any European power other than Spain. They intend to ignore absolutely the fact that the Cubans have not only for the past three years, but also from 1868 to 1878, fought for their independence; that they have made sacrifices of blood and money unequalled in the history of the world, and now intend to treat them, not like human beings with high political aspirations, but like cattle which pass as property with the title to the land.

"The president is quoted as saying that he would rather have his administration go down in ignoming than wage an unholy war. To come in at the eleventh hour and carry out this program of the money changers would be the most unholy war ever fought under the ban of a republic. Rather let the Cubans be exterminated fighting like men than be betrayed and sold like slaves."

Acted Like a Spy.

Fort Monroe, Va., April 5.—There is a good deal of excitement here over the alleged discovery of the presence of a Spanish spy. Several nights ago the sentry at Fort Monroe, whose post was nearest the newly arranged esplanade for rapid fire and disappearing guns, noticed a man skulking along the grassy side of the slope. He challenged, but received no answer. The next night the same thing occurred, and the sentry challenged and then fired. Blank cartridges were in use, but since the incident Captain Hoskins, of the fort, is authority for the statement that the guard is armed with ball cartridges and orders to shoot. When Commodore Schley was at the Chamberlain hotel, a man of foreign appearance watched him closely. Friends of the commodore and Mrs. Schley noticed the man several times. He is registered at the hotel, but has avoided all the guests. While the sentries at the fort can shoot a stranger intruding, there is no law in force by which at present he can be apprehended.

A Statement Confirmed.

Rome, April 5.—The vatican refuses to publish the text of the communications which have passed between the pontiff and Madrid, but the statement that his holiness has asked Spain to arrange for a suspension of hostilities in Cuba is confirmed.

A local paper, reviewing the situation unofficially, says: "We must regard America's demands as excessive, especially as Spain has proposed to submit the whole administration question to the insular parliament. It is difficult to perceive on what pretext Washington could declare war, even if so disposed, and we have confidence that the wisdom and moderation of President McKinley, with the practical common sense of the Americans, will avert the horrors of war."

The Maine Episode.

Washington, April 5.—Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin, who is one of the most conservative men in the senate and has never advocated intervention in Cuba until since the receipt of the report of the Maine disaster, received a letter yesterday from Paul D. Carpenter of Milwaukee, a son of Matt Carpenter, in which an argument for peace is made and in which the report of the Spanish court of inquiry is cited as ground for not accepting as conclusive the finding of our own court that the Maine was destroyed by an external explosion. To this letter Senator Mitchell replied as follows:

"My dear sir—Your favor of the 2nd inst. to hand. I have never favored armed interference in Cuban affairs. I did not feel that we were bound to redress the wrongs of Cuba by resorting to war; but the Maine episode will not down. Over-refinement of argument is useless. It stands before the American people a plain case of treachery. Perfidy and cruelty run in the Spanish blood; there is little else in its history. Any nation that would permit such an outrage to go unpunished would not deserve to exist. There are some things worse than war; there are some things better than money."

Emphatic Protest Uttered.

New York, April 5.—At a meeting of the New York Baptist Ministers' conference yesterday the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "In view of the published suggestion from Madrid that the pope mediate between Spain and the United States in the Spanish and Cuban difficulty, we, the members of the New York Baptist ministers' conference, desire to utter our emphatic protest against any present or future recognition of the pope by our government. We regard such recognition as in direct violation of the principle of separation between the church and the state which has been thoughtfully adopted by us. It would be a precedent likely to be used in the future to our discomfort, if not to the discomfort of our civic affairs. While appreciating the propriety of his counselling the church which recognizes him as its religious instructor and head, we do not regard him as having any office with which our government should hold official relations."

Suggests an Armistice.

London, April 5.—The Rome correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "Archbishop Ireland has cabled deprecating a formal offer of intervention, and explaining that the pope could only intervene successfully by recognizing the Monroe doctrine, which would be impolitic. A rumor is current here that Emperor William first broached the idea of papal mediation, and was warmly seconded by Austria.

"The solution the vatican proposes is an armistice to save the Spanish troops during the rainy season, allay excitement on both sides and prepare the way for Cuban independence in the autumn. Spain is agreeable to this; but there is little hope that the Cuban insurgents or their American sympathizers will accede to the proposal."

Until Peace Is Proclaimed.

Boston, April 5.—At a meeting of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company in Faneuil hall last night resolutions were adopted tendering to the president the company's warmest thanks for his earnest efforts to insure peace between the United States and Spain. The resolutions state that while earnestly hoping that war may be averted, yet should national honor or saftey demand it as a last resort the members of the company, as its members have done for more than two centuries and a half, pledge their unfaltering support to the government until peace with that safety and that honor sustained shall be proclaimed.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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c	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
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DESPAIR OF A PEACEFUL OUTCOME.

Consensus of Washington Opinion That War Is Certain.

President Continues to Think Differently.

Believes In Intervention, but Not Independence Yet Awhile.

Senators Are Insisting Upon an Explicit Declaration In Favor of Cuban Independence—Strong Disposition to Kick Against a Temporizing Policy—Speeches In Support of Decisive Action—Conservatives Arrange a Program For Upholding the President and State Reasons For Not Favoring Recognition of the Island as a Republic.

Washington, April 6.—There are very few men in Washington who look for a peaceful outcome. With the excited conditions in Cuba, they can see the possibility of many developments which will bring on war before congress even has a chance to declare for intervention.

President McKinley still hopes for peace, as he has all along, by concessions from Spain, and is still working to make those concessions, involving the withdrawal of Spanish forces and Spanish authority from Cuba, available for a peaceful settlement, and to that end seeks to control congressional action so as to defer, and, if possible, avert, actual hostilities, with reasonable faith that he will succeed. He has been forced by the threats of a majority of congress, acting under what they believe to be the demand of the majority of the people, to take the matter out of his hands and declare war, or the equivalent of it, to adopt the only plan that he could see open to him to carry out his purpose in the circumstances.

Finding that he could not turn the congressional movement altogether, and that telegrams and letters from those who sought to help him as a rule only angered the senators and representatives to whom they were directed, and who did not regard them as representing the opinion of the mass of their constituents, the president has taken the difficult and dangerous alternative of trying to guide the movement by leading it, so as to stop it short of extreme action and immediate war.

Naturally, the men who have been managing this movement among the Republicans of both houses have been encouraged by the gradual yielding of the president to try and drive him farther than he intended to go, and they have used the power of their followers to force him to make concessions that he did not wish to make; but, on the other hand, the president has undoubtedly secured the support of the large majority of his own party, and of some, at least, of the Democrats for a more moderate policy than the extremists wanted. His appeal for party harmony and for co-operation between the executive and congress, so that the government might put a united front to Spain and the rest of the world, emphasized by the great concessions he has made, has met with a gratifying response.

In the effort to secure harmonious action for the sake of the Republican party, and for the sake of the impression on Spain, the managers find that, beside some of their own men, they have difficulty in dealing with a good many Democrats, and it is manifest that there will be some discussion, if not deliberation, in both houses, before the resolution passes, and that it may be delayed. The conservative Republicans hope that this will be the case, because every day's delay helps the administration in its desire to avert war and give Spain an opportunity to act. After the resolution has been adopted, if Spain does not stop, the president might have to yield on the recognition of Cuban independence, although they admitted that if he did he would not necessarily have to perform the executive act of recognition immediately after action by congress. However, the president may satisfy this demand by assurances that a recognition of independence will follow intervention at the proper time.

Many believe that recognition or independence should be the first step and that intervention should follow as a necessary corollary; and these are keenly disappointed that the method of procedure which they favor does not meet the president's views; but a majority of the foreign relations committee of the senate and the foreign affairs committee of the house are believed to be willing to accept a proposition which involves intervention with independence in view so long as the recognition of the right of independence is written in the resolution. In any event, however marked may be the differences now, it is believed that when the test comes there will be no breaking away on the part of those who favor what seems to them to be the more logical and consistent policy.

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SPANISH MINISTER.

An Interview In Which He Says He Is Hopeful of Peace.

Washington, April 6.—"I am still hopeful of peace," remarked the Spanish minister Wednesday in an interview. "That may seem optimistic at a moment when such passions are aroused, such naval and military preparations are going on, and when the current of public sentiment seems to be that war is inevitable. I cannot say that I base my view that peace will prevail upon any direct official information. On the contrary it is my individual judgment, based solely upon the conviction that in these enlightened days two self-respecting nations, made up of men and women of high aspirations and noble instincts, cannot and will not resort to the last brutal expedient of war. It would be too wanton, too criminal, too offensive to all the dictates of civilization and christianity for such an awful consequence to be brought about.

"You ask me as to the latest phases of negotiation. Of this I cannot speak owing to the restrictions of my position. I can only say that despite the animosities aroused, I believe that calm counsel will yet prevail and that the United States and Spain will be able to solve this problem on a basis just and honorable to all concerned, and without resourse to arms. I fully recognize the earnestness, patriotism and intense vigor of the American people, but I feel that it is not improper for me to suggest that at such a profoundly solemn moment earnestness and strength should be tempered with calm judgment and a disposition to look at both sides of the question and not alone at one side."

CHANDLER FOR WAR.

Wants a Declaration at Once and a Vigorous Prosecution Afterward.

Washington, April 6.—Senator Chandler wants the United States to drop its palterirg policy and "immediately to declare war against Spain, and to maintain that war until the people of Cuba are made free from Spanish starvation and cruelty, and the government of the island is firmly established as an independent republic." This was one of many utterances of like tenor delivered in the course of his speech at Tuesday's session. Speeches were delivered also by Mr. Turner of Washington, Mr. Harris of Kansas and Mr. Kenny of Delaware, all of whom took strong ground for vigorous and instant action by the United States. Mr. Turner took substantially the same position as that of Mr. Chandler, basing his demand for action upon the Maine catastrophe.

Mr. Turner said that it was immaterial whose was the hand that sent the electric spark on its fatal mission against the Maine. Spain was in every sense responsible for the act, an act that ought properly to be resented by the United States. From the time of Alva down to the time of Weyler the record of Spain had been one of murder and assassination, brutality and cruelty, rapine and arson. The Spaniard of 1500 and the Spaniard of 1900 are one and the same individual. It had remained for the Maine disaster to demonstrate that civilization had passed the Spaniards by, and that they were now as ferocious, brutal, cunning and treacherous as they ever were. This government should act at once.

Profound attention was attracted by a speech delivered by Mr. Turpie of Indiana. Briefly but scathingly he reviewed the Spanish conduct of Cuban affairs, and declared in the strongest terms for intervention that would mean something—that would drive Spain from control of every foot of territory in the western hemisphere. The speech was a clear, concise statement of the position in which this country had been placed by Spanish outrages, insults and crimes.

A debate which occurred in the executive session would indicate that no matter what might be the character of the report of the committee on foreign relations, the resolution would cause a serious and perhaps prolonged discussion. It emphasized the fact that there are two elements in the senate, one for independence with intervention and another for intervention alone, and these two factions will fight vigorously for their ideas. The session was devoted to a general discussion of the policy to be pursued towards Spain, and developed the fact that much opposition would be made to the acceptance of a policy in line with the president's desires. The question was raised by Senator Allen, who made a long speech predicting much dissatisfaction in the country at large with a policy that did not go to the extent of giving the Cubans their entire independence of the mother country. He was followed by other speakers in the same line, and the fact was made very evident that if the committee on foreign relations should bring in a resolution merely complying with the president's request and stopping short of a declaration for independence, there would be an effort in the senate to amend it so as to accomplish this end. More than one senator announced that he would offer such an amendment, and many more said that they would support an effort in the direction of adding the independence declaration to a resolution providing simply for intervention. The committee was therefore urged not to yield to the wishes of the president, but to stand for complete action.

The greater part of the speechmaking was in opposition to the executive, and no one attempted to outline the probable action of the committee. There was also a recurrence to the intention of the president to withhold the Cuban consular correspondence, and a suggestion was made that if this matter was of a character too inflammable to permit of its being made public, it be given to the senate in secret session. A resolution was offered that the entire Cuban question should be considered behind closed doors on account of the probability of utterances which would afford information to the enemy. This proposition was debated, but without reaching a conclusion.

While the senate was in executive session a formidable element was considering what should be done in case resolutions should be reported for recognition of independence. This faction was composed of what is known as the conservative element on the Republican side. Their conference was held in Senator Aldrich's committee room and among those present were Senators Hanna, Platt of Connecticut, Spooner, Hale, Fairbanks and Aldrich. Senator Allison was also there for a brief time. A general purpose was expressed to oppose the adoption of any report that should recommend a recognition of Cuban independence and which did not indeed confine itself to the support of the president's recommendation for intervention only. This position was taken because of the generally expressed conviction among the senators present that in case of war with Spain and the triumph of the arms of the United States, this country should be left free to dispose of Cuba as she might see proper. Many of them expressed dissatisfaction with the Cuban administration, and the opinion was given that the recognition of independence at this time would bind the United States to its support and to guaranteeing its bonds, giving to the Cuban junta a position of influence and power to which it is not, in their opinion, entitled.

The prevailing opinion among senators is that the committee will recede from its position for both independence and intervention and report a resolution in accordance with the president's recommendation for intervention.

The crowds which thronged the galleries of the house yesterday were disappointed. There were no outbreaks of any kind on the floor on the Cuban question. The whole day was spent on the private calendar, with the result that several bills were passed, among them one to pay the heirs of John Roach, the shipbuilder, $330,000 on a claim which has been pending a dozen years, and another to pay O. C. Bosbyshell, superintendent of the Philadelphia mint, $17,000 abstracted from the gold vaults by a weight clerk.

At the night session 23 pension bills were favorably acted upon, among them being the following: Ann M. Smith, widow of Major General Andrew J. Smith, at $30 per month; Adolphine Krez, widow of Brigadier General Conrad Krez, at $30, and to increase the pension of General James W. McMillen at $50 per month.

The "McKinley" Senators.

Washington, April 6.—The senators who believe in unqualified submission to the presidential will have issued a statement in support of their position in which they say:

"If the United States is to intervene for the pacification of Cuba, it should do so free-handed; it should not tie itself fast to a form of government which afterwards may prove an impediment to those reforms which ought to be effected in the island. The United States ought to be free to insist upon such a government as will be of practical advantage to the United States, not by way of annexation, but in those matters of commercial advantage which, from the location of the island and the relations of this country to it, we ought to expect. If we recognize the independence of this government now it is free to grant us those privileges or to deny them to us. If it denies them when we think we are entitled to them, we can only get them by the assertion of force which certainly would be embarrassing. Looking at it from the standpoint of our own interests and not from the standpoint of the interests of those who are supporting the Cuban republic, every argument and every consideration favors a course which will leave this government free to deal with the future of the island as its interest may dictate when the time comes."

Failure to Secure a Settlement.

Washington, April 6.—The statement is made that the failure of the effort to secure a settlement of the war between Spain and Cuba was due to the refusal of the government of the United States to remove its fleet from Key West. Spain made removal a condition precedent to her offering an armistice, with the end in view of granting the independence of Cuba, and when the proposition was brought to the attention of the administration it was met with refusal, though not until after it had been seriously considered.

The congressional opponents of a war policy who had counted upon the acceptance of this condition admit that the outlook for peace has grown almost hopeless since this determination was reached.

Lee Not Afraid.

Washington, April 6.—Consul General Lee does not regard himself or the other consular officers in Cuba in any special danger at this time, and in reply to the suggestion that it might be expedient for him to hasten his departure, he has informed the department that about 10 days would be necessary for the consuls throughout the island to arrange for

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A FEW POINTERS.

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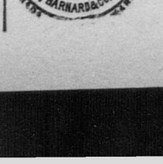
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April 2. 6t

Quincy Savings Bank.

THE Annual meeting of the members of the Quincy Savings Bank Corporation for the election of Trustees, and any other business that may legally come before them, will be held on TUESDAY, April 12, 1898, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., at the Banking Rooms, 143 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Clerk.

Quincy, Mass., April 6, 1898. 3t-6-9-11

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MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

NORFOLK, ss. DEDHAM, April 4, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Warrant in Insolvency has this day issued from the Court of Insolvency, from said county of Norfolk, against the estate of

LORA C. MERRILL,

of Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, Insolvent Debtor. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Insolvent Debtor to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the Creditors of said Insolvent Debtor to prove their debts, and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of insolvency, to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of April, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

GEORGE H. FIELD,
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	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	36	44	40
Monday	45	51	57
Tuesday	38	52	59
Wednesday	38	56	71
Thursday	—	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
Saturday	—	48	42

New Advertisements Today.

Rogers Bros.—Garden and flower seeds.
Star Tea and Coffee Store.
Quincy Clothing Co.
Probate notice—estate of Edward H. Adams.
Quincy Savings Bank—Notice.
Unfurnished rooms wanted.
Messenger's notice.

Good Afternoon.

In Malden the abutters pay one half the cost of street watering which amounts to about eight cents per front foot.

One of the facts which go to prove that Quincy has a good City Council this year is the regular and faithful attendance of all the members.

As it is necessary to rebuild and enlarge the Washington street culvert over Town brook, it seems advisable to make a complete job of it and relocate the street on the Pierce corner.

A costly normal school in North Adams evidently leads to extravagence in the school department, for the school committee has asked for a new high school building to cost $130,000.

Upon recommendation of Mayor Cady, the aldermen of North Adams voted on Tuesday that $30,000 be borrowed at four per cent. for twenty years to refund the city debt. How about that Mr. City Solicitor?

The petition from Atlantic, that the Ward Six playground be improved, is another reminder that little benefit is being derived from the different playgrounds. Ward One which got no playground out of that large expenditure of $50,000 is about as well off as the other wards which did.

President Pinkham's idea to allow more freedom at public hearings of the City Council is a good move. It is the facts that the Council should want, and if an outsider by a question can shed any light it should be welcome. Henry H. Faxon and others will appreciate the favor, and the city government will not be so far removed from the people.

Ward Six is not only one of the most progressive wards of the city, but it reaches out and desires to shape National affairs, as shown by the resolutions adopted by the Monday Evening club. It voiced the desires of a peaceful Christian people who believe there may be other ways than war to right the insult and bring Spain to a realization of her injustice to Cuba.

It is hardly probable that the appointment of Mayor Sears for Registrar of Voters will be defeated, although the Council has laid it upon the table. There is no reason why either of the political parties should dictate who shall be nominated, even though the law says that the board shall be constituted of two Republicans and two Democrats. The politics of voters are not judged by city elections. If they were it would be difficult to find a Democrat who has not at some time voted for a Republican candidate for Mayor or the City Council. The Council of 1898 has a precedent too, for when Mayor Hodges was in the executive chair, he nominated as Republicans for election officers, men who had supported him for Mayor. Mr. Edward J. McKeon is undoubtedly a Democrat according to the principles of the great national party, and the Democrats of Ward Six have elected him as a Councilman from that ward. If the Democrats prefer that a man in Ward Six who supported Mayor Adams should be selected, it is probable that Mayor Sears might nominate a pretty good Republican. It is fitting that Ward Six should have a member of the Board of Registrars, as it has never been represented, and ex-Councilman McKeon fills the bill.

NOT INDEPENDENT.

But Wollaston May Have a Carrier Station.

Major George S. Evans, the inspector-in-charge of the Boston division of post office inspectors, gave this statement to our Wollaston correspondent this morning regarding the Wollaston post office.

"In regard to the establishment of free delivery at Wollaston, I will say that Inspector Snow has recently investigated the matter and has recommended that such service be established as soon as practicable after July 1, 1898.

Wollaston cannot be made an independent free delivery office on account of the population and gross receipts being insufficient to warrant it, but Mr. Snow has recommended that it be made an independent carrier station, which will amount to the same thing as far as it concerns the public. The station will be known as Wollaston, and the present quarters, or some equally as good, will be occupied.

All mails are to be received and dispatched at Wollaston as at the present time, and the carriers are to cover Wollaston, Wollaston Park and Norfolk Downs station from Wollaston and not from Quincy."

N. E. O. P. Meeting.

The good work continues, two new members two applications, a large attendance and a sumptuous repast is the record of the last regular meeting of Quincy Lodge, No. 261

Those initiated were Mr. Alton E. Baker and Mrs. V. A. Mayer of Wollaston.

The meeting was called to order promptly at 7.30 o'clock by the Warden, Isabelle Souther. At the close of the business of the meeting, the warden announced that the entertainment committee had a treat in store for the members, and so it proved to be, in the form of a genuine New England bean supper. Forty members partook of the good things spread before them.

The supper was followed by speeches from Warden Souther, Vice Warden Mary Crane, Acting Secretary I. M. Holt, and others. The chairman of the committee assured the members that other pleasing things are in store for those who attend the next meeting.

Eventful Day for Odd Fellows.

The following prominent Odd Fellows of the State are expected in Quincy tomorrow at the institution of the George L. Gill Rebekah lodge:

John Corkhill, Grand Master.
Charles Q. Tirrell Deputy Grand Master.
N. J. W. Fish, Grand Junior Warden.
John U. Perkins Grand Secretary.
Geo. H. Fuller, Assistant Grand Secretary.
Julius L. Clark. Grand Treasurer.
Austin S. Esty, Grand Representative.
Chas. L. Young, Grand Marshall.
Joseph York, Grand Inpector
C. N. Bucknell, Grand Herald.

Who Should Suffer?

The swindling case of Miss Bliss which was fully reported in Tuesday's Ledger, has raised an interesting point, and that is who is out the $52, Miss Bliss or the bank which cashed the check.

It is claimed that when Miss Bliss placed her name on the back of the check she practically said the endorsement of the check was guaranteed. On the other hand when the fellow endorsed the check in the name of Fisk & Jayne he committed a forgery and therefore the bank paying out money on a forged endorsement is out. At any rate the fellow is in $52.80 and some one is out that amount.

Made Him Hoarse.

Clerk Churchill of the District court numbers among his many accomplishments a knowledge of the deaf and dumb alphabet, which came in very handy for him this morning. He had before him a deaf and dumb man, who had just become naturalized, and it was necessary to administer the oath of allegiance. There was no one in court who could act as interpreter, so Mr. Churchill did it himself, and did it well. It was quite an effort however, for him to remain quiet for so long a period and as soon as he had completed his task he called huskily to the court officer for a glass of water.

Cadets Appointed.

Arthur Abele, a brother to Dr. Abele, the veterinary, has been a cadet in the graduating class at Annapolis. Last week he was appointed an ensign aboard a warship lying off Hampton Roads. The only time before when the graduating class did not graduate, was just before the late civil war. Both times there was a scarcity of officers for the navy, and the government had to take them before they had quite finished their course at the Naval Academy.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Fair and warm Friday.

A patent was issued to Charles E. White this week.

The historical pageant comes off a week from tonight.

The ground was covered with a mantle of snow this morning.

The Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance hold a meeting this afternoon.

The advertising of the Granite Railway Co. should bring good results.

Rev. Mr. Youtz, former pastor of Point church, was in town this morning.

The warm sun carried off the snow about as fast as hot water would have done.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spooner are enjoying a month's travel through the South.

City Clerk Cleave's little boy should have a bicycle and then he could ride on his long trips around the country.

A matinee whist is to be given tomorrow from two to five at Colonial hall for the benefit of the Fragment society.

Mr. W. H. Cloudman of Elgin, Ill., who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Cushing Lane for a short time, has returned home.

The whist party and dance to have been held by Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., on April 8, has been postponed to a later date.

Mrs. Cushing Lane and daughter of President's hill left Battery Island, Boston, Tuesday afternoon, on a pleasure trip through the South.

George H. Brown & Co. have sold for C. M. Hartt, a tract of land on Hancock street near Billings road to H. S. Braker, who buys for investment

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dunham have returned to Houghs Neck to their summer home. Mr. Dunham will retain the post office this coming summer.

Mrs. H. G. Whiting, who now resides on Winter Hill, Somerville, has been visiting Mrs. Gay on Elm street since Saturday. Mrs. Whiting formerly lived on Cottage avenue.

Now that Miller stile is to be closed to the public the street and sidewalk should be put in good order; the stone chips covered up and a smooth walk made for pedestrians.

A meeting of the Republican City Committee is to be held shortly to fill the vacancies caused by the resignations of Charles L. Hammond, the president and Edgar G. Cleaves, the clerk.

The Unity Circle of King's Daughters have a grand treat for Quincy people this evening. The "Queen of "Fame" has for some time engrossed their attention, and promises to be well presented.

Miss Marion Hall and Mr. Charles G. Schirmer of Dorchester are to dance the minuet in the reception to George and Martha Washington scene at the historical pageant at Music hall next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alexander Fryer, Edison street, has issued forty-five invitations to her musicale, Thursday evening. This is to be a one-year anniversary of her marriage. A number of well known artists are to participate toward the evening's enjoyment.

Fred A. Perkins of this city has the contract to build the new Union church of Weymouth and Braintree, and also the contract for two grand summer residences at Cohasset, costing upwards of $6,000 each. Business will be good with him for several months.

There were bicycle thieves evidently in Shakespeare time as well as in Quincy, for frequent references to the wheel are mentioned in his plays. In the "Tempest" Alonzo says, "We, too, my lord, will guard your person while you rest, and watch your Safety."

Mr. James R. Beckford, a long resident of Quincy, died this morning at his home on Quincy avenue of consumption, after a lingering illness. He was a stone cutter, which trade he followed for a number of years. He was 61 years of age and leaves a widow and several children.

The fifth annual concert and ball of the societie St. Jean Baptiste to be held at St. Mary's hall next Monday evening will be one of the leading social events of the season at West Quincy. The committee report having sold many tickets which insures the success of the affair.

MILTON.

The stable of G. A. Fletcher was entered early Tuesday morning and a horse and dog cart stolen.

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People In Two Cities Closely Concerned.

Two Arrests Made in Boston and One in New York.

Boston, April 6.—Two men are now under arrest in this city and a third in New York charged with attempting to utter forged notes, while a fourth is under police surveillance. The men in custody are: John W. Cotton, Henry D. O. Kurros, both said to be residents of Boston, and Inspector McCloskey of New York has John L. Tucker of that city under arrest. Michael Keys of Boston will probably appear in court in the case, but Chief Watts says he will not be arrested unless he attempts to leave the state.

One of the notes is for $1500 and two are for $1000 each. They are all signed by John Stewart company and countersigned by John Stewart. The John Stewart company makes sewing machines, with an office on Canal street, New York, and John Stewart is president of the company. It seems that last Friday, Cotton offered Andrew F. Leatherbee, a prominent lumber dealer in this city, a note for $1500 in payment for a large order of lumber. The note was signed by John Stewart of New York and endorsed by John Stewart. Leatherbee discovered that the signature and endorsement were forgeries, and Cotton was arrested.

The latter claimed that the note was given him by Keys, and when Keys was subsequently arrested he in turn said that Kurros, who is a real estate dealer, gave him the note. A letter was found upon the person of Keys from a man signing himself as John L. Tucker of New York, and it is alleged that the writer asked Keys to return certain notes which he had in his possession and which Tucker had intimated he had previously asked Keys to return.

Simultaneously with the alleged attempt to utter the paper at Leatherbee's office, Kurros is said to have given a note for $1000, also signed by the John Stewart company, to Frank E. Wyman, who is agent for Steinfeldt & Rosenblat of New York. This note is said to have been forwarded to the latter concern and is probably in its possession. Kurros, who formerly worked for the Stewart company, is said to have told the police that he obained the note from Tucker also.

Cotton was searched at the inspectors' office, and it is alleged that two notes were found on his person for $100 each, signed also by the John Stewart company.

Extent of the Damage.

Shawneetown, Ills., April 6.—Twenty-three unknown dead, a possibility that the list may reach 30, 1500 people in actual need of the necessaries of life, 700 people homeless and damage to the amount of $200,000 are the net result of the flood which swept through Shawneetown late Sunday afternoon. Not one of the bodies has been recovered, and it is not likely that they will be until the waters subside, which will be in 10 days or a fortnight.

There is no danger of further damage. The entire town is buried under from 10 to 15 feet of water, with the exception of the houses on the embankment immediately fronting the Ohio river. All of these have water in the cellars, and the most of them are flooded to the second story.

The levee broke on the north side of the town, sweeping what is known as the first, second and third wards clean of all buildings. All of the people who were drowned met their fate in the first and northern part of the second ward, nearest to the break. There is a large semi-circular dyke to the south of the town, enclosing that side as the broken dyke enclosed it on the north. Down the edge of this dyke and in the town proper is a tangled mess of trees, shrubs and brushwood. Into the curve formed by the southern dyke the bodies were carried by the flood, and all of them are supposed to be scattered along the southern dyke, which is nearly a mile in length from the western end of the curve to the eastern end.

Autocrat of the L. A. W.

Baltimore, April 6.—Chairman Mott of the L. A. W. racing board has issued the following bulletin: "Special permits to exceed the prize limit in sprint races which would conflict with the national championships on national circuit dates will not be granted, but permits will be given to exceed the prize limit in middle distance races or any other events that will not conflict with the national championships.

"Racing men who have made contracts which have been approved by the chairman must comply faithfully with the terms. The same requirement holds good with the promoter or track owner who is the only party to the contract. Any wilful violation would be in the nature of 'unfair dealing connected with cycle racing,' and will be subject to a penalty, effective in this country and in Europe.

"No person must act as a referee of a race meet except those prescribed in the rules on page 20, and even they must not be promoters, managers, owners, trainers or financially interested in the tracks or meets."

What Mr. Jones Said.

Dover, N. H., April 6.—The most important testimony of Tuesday in the trial of Alfred Jones was brought out in cross-examination of Dr. Pillsbury. He said one day when making a visit to Mrs. Jones he heard the voice of a man in the sick room say, "I want some money." The woman's voice said, "You cannot have it." The man replied that he was going to have it. There was more conversation in this vein between them, and the last thing he heard the man say was: "I will have it, or there will be a corpse in the house within a fortnight." The doctor said that then William Jones, father of the defendant, came out of the room the witness went in, finding only Mrs. Jones there.

Isn't He a Fool

To go out with his shovel and hoe, with the ground all covered with snow,

To Plant Peas?

Why not wait until tomorrow or next day, and then put in Peas, Onion and other hardy seeds. You can go today to

ROGERS BROS.

and find a nice variety of Garden and Flower Seeds, fresh and bright, and warranted to come up if it does snow.

Quincy, April 6. tf

THE RELIABLE, SELF RAISING Prepared Flour,

Made from the recipe of the famous Biscuit and Rolls served at Marston's Restaurant, Boston. . . . . .

The Largest Bottle of the CHOICEST PICKLES ever offered for the Price, ONLY 30c.

We sell FROSTLENE, BROMANGELON, MAYPOLE SOAP and MINUTE GELATINE.

STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,

Opposite the Fountain, Quincy.

All Roads Look Alike to Me,

I've Got Another Wheel Now, You See.

This man rides a PIERCE PNEUMATIC CUSHION FRAME and no longer dreads the roughest pavements. The difference is just as marked as between a pneumatic and a solid tire, not only in easy, comfortable riding, but also in speed. There is absolutely no throw or rebound to this device; in fact, the rebound of the tires is absorbed as well as general vibration, permitting one to cover uneven surfaces with a speed that would throw the rider from the saddle or pedals if on an ordinary wheel. The price is reasonable, $65, because we believe the people want them.

Also Iver Johnson and Gendron Bicycles,

$35.00 and Upwards.

BICYCLE REPAIRING. THE BEST OF WORK AT FAIR PRICES.

HERMAN H. PRATT,

6 Washington St., Quincy, opp. the Fountain.

CARPETS
Thoroughly Cleaned.

In addition to our splendid upholstery department, we have just built one of the most modern and complete ELECTRIC CARPET BEATERS and STEAM CARPET CLEANSING machines in the country.

We take your carpets one day and return them to you the next, thoroughly cleaned.

THE ONLY WAY to absolutely rid your carpets of dirt and make them look as good as new, is to send them to us. Experienced carpet layers at your command.

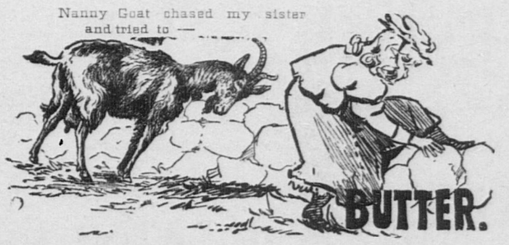
A postal or telephone calls the delivery wagon.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers,

THE MAMMOTH STORE,

Hancock Street, - - Quincy.



You Talk About Butter!

BEST VERMONT CREAMERY BUTTER, ONLY - 23 CENTS.
BEST ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER, - - - 21 CENTS.
FINE BUTTER FOR - - - - - 17 AND 19 CENTS.

Just think, Fresh Eggs for 11c. a dozen. Fresh Eastern Eggs, 13c. a dozen. Strictly fresh Hennery Eggs, 15c. a dozen.

Try one pound of New Fine Flavored Teas, 25c. per lb. Fine Coffee at 17c. per lb. Best Mocha and Java, 30c. per lb.

THE DAIRY,

23 Franklin Street, Quincy.

Put This in Your Pipe and Smoke It.

The rents in Boston are enormous, $5,000 to $25,000 a year. Think of it! The expense of doing business is correspondingly high. The expense of many of the large stores, who treat you every day to yellow journal advertising, is equal to one-fourth of the business they do, which means they must make an average profit of 25 per cent. on every article they sell to pay their expenses.

Here are we, the Quincy Clothing Co.---rent $50 a month; ample capital; credit high; young, energetic clothing men; brought up in the business; full of new ideas; a store full of new goods, right goods, good goods. Our whole expense, which is almost nothing, more than paid by goods sold to our credit in Boston. Why are we not in the best position to have your trade? We are, and we're going to have it, too.

Come in and look at our stock---as good a stock as ever seen in this section---then go to Boston if you care to. Go to any store; you'll come back. You will buy of us. Our prices will make you. We would rather sell a whole lot of stuff at a little profit than get a whole lot of profit for a little stuff. We would rather sell five suits and make 50c. on each, than sell one suit and make $2.00 on it. Money back if you want it.

QUINCY CLOTHING COMPANY,

QUINCY'S CLOTHIERS, MUSIC HALL BLOCK.

Unbleached Wood Ashes

IS THE

BEST and CHEAPEST FERTILIZER

IN USE FOR

Lawns, Grass Lands of All Kinds, FRUIT AND FRUIT TREES,

Shade Trees and all kinds of Vegetables and Plants

They will stand hot, dry weather the longest of any Fertilizer or manure, keeping the grass a deep dark green, bringing in grass under trees when nothing else will.

FOR SALE BY

J. STROUP, SON & CO.,

Cor. Newport and Elmwood Aves., WOLLASTON, MASS.,

And Room 33, Equitable Building, Boston, Mass.
March 30. LP 1m

Easter Novelties.

Call and see our

Easter Cards.

NEW GLOVES IN GREENS, TANS, ETC.

NEW

Laces,
Veilings,
Handkerchiefs,
Belts,
Fancy Ribbons.

All Shades in Chiffons.

MISS C. S. HUBBARD,

CITY SQUARE,

QUINCY.

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MAGAZINE EXPLODED!

That is what a man said as he handed us his watch the other day.

An Investigation

showed that the Main(es) spring was broken.

DIVERS

were not required. We removed the

Revolving Turret

and mounted a new

100-CENT MAIN-

spring, and warranted it for two years in either

American or Spanish Territory.

All ordinary American or. Swiss Watches cleaned or main-spring for ONE DOLLAR.

WILLIAMS,

QUINCY.

HANCOCK ST.

BILLHEADS PRINTED

AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.

A Complete Department Store.

BARGAIN DAY THURSDAY, APRIL 7th.

Every department loaded down with Spring Goods.

SHEET and PILLOW CASE AFFAIR. An uncommon chance, this, to "stock up" on these needfuls. There's a mystery about it somewhere, for we're going to sell you sheets and pillow slips, all ready to use, at the bare retail cost of material. The making you get for nothing.

Pillow Slips, 36x42 . . . . . 8c. and 10c.
Torn Sheets, ... 37 1-2 and 40c. Ea.

WATCH THE WASH GOODS OFFERINGS. You'll be surprised at a'l this summer daintiness, you'll be more surprised at the prices. Makers have again glutted the market; they often do, but their misjudgment comes expensive to them sometimes, and this is one of the times. It's a rare buying chance for you, though. Figured Lawns, 4c., 5c., 6c., up to 25c Fancy plaids for Shirt waists, all prices.

The largest line of PRINT WRAPPERS to be found in Quincy, 39c., 59c., 69c., 79c. and 89c. to $1.50.

Kitchen furnishings in basement. Prices Way Down.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.

Music Hall Building, Quincy.

ALBERT J. BOWERS

OPTICIAN,

8 FAXON BLOCK, OPP. CITY HALL, QUINCY.

Feb. 14. 1y

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Quincy Electric Light and Power Co. will require parties to present a certificate of inspection from the New England Insurance Exchange before it connects its wires with the wires in houses and buildings.

Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.

By H. M. FAXON, Treas.

Quincy, March 26. 2w mws

WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.

H. O. FAIRBANKS,
CHAS. T. BAKER,
LUTHER S. ANDERSON.

April 1. 6t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of EDWARD H. ADAMS,

late of Milton in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Ezra W. Wentworth of Woburn and Adelaide J. Emery of Boston, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

April 6. 6-13-18

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Dr. Charles E. Woodbury, Inspector of State Institutions has made his report on the case of Minot D. Tirrell of East Weymouth who was found dead, suspended by the neck, in his room at the Westboro Insane Hospital, where he was confined as an insane patient. He finds that Mr. Tirrell was kindly treated, but that there was not the vigilance maintained in watching his movements which was necessary in the case of a patient with a suicidal mania

Mrs. Nathaniel B. Peare, a well known and respected woman of East Weymouth, succumbed Tuesday morning to the effects of pneumonia, complicated with heart trouble.

Mr. Wm. Ripley, a well known resident of East Weymouth, died at the home of his brother, Mr. Charles F. Ripley of Washington street, Tuesday.

Tuesday night was the opening of the fair given by the Ladies' Aid of the Porter M. E. church of Lovell's Corner, East Weymouth, and was very successful, in spite of the disagreeableness of the weather. A large number were present.

The pension of David W. Spinney of Weymouth Centre has been increased from $8 to $10.

Mr. Wilton Burrell, a popular young man of North Weymouth and prominent in electric car circles, having been connected with the Quincy and Boston, Hingham and West End street railway, left the early part of this week for British Columbia, where he is to be engaged upon a large ranch owned by his uncle.

Mr. A. M. Raymond's operetta "Kokakola" will hold a rehearsal at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth, tonight.

Mr. Newcomb, formerly residing upon Pearl street, has moved to Bridge street, into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Will Pratt.

Mr. Charles Willoby of the Weymouth North High school, is having quite a large number of copies made of the picture of the late Mr. John Culbert Johnson, the late teacher of the North High. These copies will be prized by the pupils.

E. Stewart Jordan & Company have a very pretty Easter decoration in their large display window.

Mrs. R. D. Batchelder has gone to Lexington, where she will pass the spring and summer seasons.

John Guy has resigned his position with the Edison Illuminating Company of Boston.

Merritt Jenkins, Tufts 01, is spending his vacation with his parents at North Weymouth.

Dr. Tinkham attended the Bram trial one day recently.

This week being "Passion Week" the society of the Union Congregational church of Weymouth and Braintree, will hold meetings every night at 7.30 at the residence of Mrs. C. F. Vaughan.

R. D. Batchelder has rented rooms in the building formerly occupied by C. F. Vaughan.

Dr. Virgin had his clothes line robbed one night recently.

Are you a regular reader of the Ledger?

DIED.

BECKFORD—In Quincy, April 6, Mr. James R. Beckford, aged 61, years, 6 months and 5 days.

CRONIN—In Weymouth, April 3, Ellen Cronin, aged 87 years and 11 months.

RIPLEY—In Weymouth, April 4, Mr. William F. Ripley.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The City Council committee on Streets will meet Thursday night at City Hall.

There was hardly enough snow to warrant Commissioner Knowlton to call out his snow plows this morning.

Had the facts in relation to the swindle practiced upon Miss Bliss been reported to the police a few minutes earlier Tuesday, Officer Barry would have added another feather to his cap. The train upon which the fellow took his departure from Quincy left at 9.12, and it was but five minutes later when it was reported.

The Sewer Commissioners will meet Thursday evening. The engineer reports that the several sections of the sewer under construction are progressing, although in some places rather slowly owing to the great depth of the cut. This is practically so on the Wollaston section, where in some places the cut is thirty feet deep.

Handsome Work.

The current issue of "Granite" contains a fine engraving of a panel, representing a meeting between Generals Lee and Jackson on the field of battle, and portrait busts of General Kirby Smith and General J. J. Dickinson, which are to be placed upon a Confederate monument to be erected at Jacksonville, Fla. The panel and portrait busts are reproduced from plaster casts modelled by Herbert W. Beattie of Quincy. The work shows Mr. Beattie's skill as a modeler and is one of the handsomest and finest executed pieces of work ever shipped from Quincy.

—The Executive Board of the Barbers' League of Massachusetts has issued a call for a convention to be held in Boston on Sunday, April 24, at Wells Memorial hall, 987 Washington street.

HOME DYEING

A Pleasure at Last.



No Muss. No Trouble.

MAYPOLE SOAP

WASHES AND DYES AT ONE OPERATION

.. ANY COLOR.

The Cleanest, Fastest Dye for Soiled or Faded Shirt Waists, Blouses, Ribbons, Curtains, Underlinen, etc., whether Silk, Satin, Cotton or Wool.

Sold in All Colors by Grocers and Druggists, or mailed free for 15 cents;

Address, THE MAYPOLE SOAP DEPOT, 127 Duane Street, New York.

Quincy Granite.

The gist of the speech making at the banquet of the Quincy Granite manufacturers at Boston last month was combination and advertising. The scheme of combination, or as it must properly be called, co-operation, outlined by Mr. John L. Miller, received most favorable consideration, and it must be confessed he set forth some glowing advantages possible to his plan Co-operation has been marked with great success in some lines, and under the conditions prevaling in Quincy, might be productive of great advantages there. The question of advertising is also one of the greatest importance. It is now an axiom in business circles that the greatest advertisers on judicious principles are the most successful. And as to Quincy, there are no quarrying centers in this or any country whose output has found its way into so many famous memorials, a fact which of itself affords a basis for some of the most profitable advertising ever done, if properly managed. Advertising has become so much a factor of business success, that it has come to be almost a distinct department of the larger houses, and it receives that care and attention that its importance demands. — Monumental News.

Connected by Telephone.

The telephone company has been doing quite a business of late among the granite firms of Quincy. Among those now connected telephonically are Joss Bros. Co., O. T. Rogers Granite Co., William T. Spargo, Alexander Marnock & Co., C. H. Hardwick & Co. Lewis Dell & Co., John Cashman, T. W. Smith & Co., Blue Hill Granite Co., McIntosh & Sons, Swingle & Falconer, Kavanagh Bros., Thomas & Miller, Milne & Chalmers, Craig & Richards, Field & Wild, Fagan & Ballou, John Fallon & Son, George H. Hitchcock & Co., Granite Railway Co., Lyons Granite Co., Badger Bros., and Quincy Quarry Co.

—The origin of the menu began with the Duke Henry of Brunswick, who was first observed in the intervals of a banquet to scan carefully a long strip of paper by the side of his plate, and when the curious guests ventured to enquire into the nature of his studies he explained that it was a sort of programme of the dishes which he had commanded from the cook, to the intent that if some delicacy which especialy appealed to him were marked for a late stage in the repast he might carefully reserve his appetite for it. The simplicity and beauty of the idea appealed instantly to the good Duke's convives, and the menu card from that moment became an institution. In its old-fashioned form the bill was usually written large, on cards of such imposing dimensions that room for one only could be found at each end of the board.

—The best way to keep your children from being spoiled is to let your neighbors bring them up. Less partialy is shown, and it is a well-recognized fact that childaen always behave best when away from home.

☞ The Williams Typewriters, for up to date business and professional men. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

—The annual dinner of members of the Legislature will be held at the Vendome next Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, with Gov. Wolcott and Lieut. Gov. Crane as the especial guests.

☞ Wall Papers; artistic New York designs, at New York wonderfully low prices; save money, save worry save time in buying your wall papers here. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Fast Passages.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

I see in your paper a record of Capt. Snow of Wollaston Park for fast sailing. The writer could not have been very well posted, as there is a mistaken the tonnage as printed. There should be a dot between 99.22. He says it was the quickest passage ever made by sailing vessels. 1900 miles in 10 days would be but 8 miles per hour.

In 1869 Capt. Rodgers of Dennis made the run from New York to Galveston in 6 1-2 days, averaging 10 miles per hour in a 2-masted schooner of 300 tons, beating the Mallory steamer 36 hours running time.

Capt. Freeman of schooner E. M. Wright made the run from New Orleans to Boston in 10 1-2 days.

In 1896 a schooner made the run from Bangor to the Island Trinidad, S. A., in 12 days.

The bark New England, Capt. Baxter, made the run from Boston to Mobile in 5 1-2 days.

The ship, Gray Eagle, Capt. Lucas, made the passage from Baltimore to Rio Janerio; discharged, loaded, arrived back to Baltimore paying crew for 66 days.

Yacht Yampa made the run from New York to Gibralter in 16 days, stopping at Fayal, laying to in gale 2 days, so that Cap. Snow's passage is not much to brag of.

☞ The Eddy Refrigerators, always sweet and clean, from $5.20 up. Complete line. A catalogue for the asking. Henry L. Kincaide & Co. 1f

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

DRESS-MAKING

MRS. LENA G. MAGILL

invites the ladies of Quincy to call and see her NEW SPRING DRESS PATTERNS.

Tailor Made Suits a Specialty.

Work done at reasonable prices.

No. 2 Bates Block, Saville St., Quincy.

Near Quincy Depot. mar7-1m

PROTECT YOUR TREES.

There is nothing better than Morrill Tree Ink to catch the Canker Worm Moth, as it crawls up the trunk of the tree.

NOW IS THE TIME.

The month of March is the best time to catch the grubs and the cost is very small. Full directions on each can. Price:

2-Pound Can, $ .30
3 " " .45
5 " " .60
10 " " 1.10

FOR SALE AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE

Quincy, March 9 pl tf

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—By a lady and gentleman, three unfurnished sunny rooms, a sitting room, two bed rooms, together with the use of bath; also good board. The location must be central. Address W., Ledger office. Quincy, April 6. tf

WANTED—A violinist to teach a young boy. For particulars address Box 149, Atlantic. March 31. 3t 31-4-6

WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework; good washer and ironer; one to go home nights preferred. Apply, 18 Bigelow street. 24-inch Boy's Wheel for sale. Quincy, April 4. 6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St. Quincy, March 31. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building. Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

B. F. CURTIS,

40 Elm Street, Quincy.

Houses for Rent and for Sale.

Tenement of 7 rooms, No. 10 Elm place, near Universalist church, south side of house, city water. Rent, $12.50 per month.

House, Union street, opposite Whicher's factory, of 8 rooms, with city water. Rent, $10 per month.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter place, with city water. Rent, $8.50 per month.

NO. 4 ALLEYNE TERRACE.

TO LET for a term of of 3 or 5 years to a private family (not for business); house is in first-class condition, with modern conveniences, pleasantly located, fine neighborhood, opposite High School.

Apply to E. STODDARD, 28 Bromfield St., Boston, between 1 and 2 P. M. Dec. 22 wtf 25-tf

Houses, Land and Rooms TO LET.

Cottage house, 9 rooms, with modern conveniences, No. 6 Coddington street.
House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 7 Granite street.
House, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
Double house, 8 rooms, No. 15 Brackett St.
Three tenements, No. 51 Howard street.
Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
Stable, 3 stalls, junction of School and Franklin streets.
Stable and shed, No. 28 Howard street.
Room No. 12 Washington street.
Wharf, sheds and office, Quincy Neck.
Basement, No. 11 Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
Gravel, sand and loam for sale.

For particulars inquire of or address HENRY H. FAXON.

Quincy, March 15. 1m



Savings Bank Building Quincy.

GOLD DUST

THE BEST WASHING POWDER

Let Us Take You in Hand.



If you feel a little shaky on correct fixings—we have the latest in HATS, FURNISHINGS and SHOES, and can fit you out to perfection.

We make a specialty of the Lamson and Hubbard Hat in the fine grade at $3.00 or can sell you a good one at $1.50, $2 00 and $2.50.

GEO. W. JONES,

Adams Building, Quincy.

BOYS AT SCHOOL

Used to Write:

"Remember this and bear in mind,
That a true friend is hard to find,
But when you find one firm and true,
Don't change the old one for the new."

NOW! Boys and Men KNOW there is no better place on earth to buy SPRING SUITS than at the old, solid, substantial, reliable

Granite Clothing Store,

Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy.

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JOHNSON BROS.,

Dealers in

Swift's Best Beef,

Brighton Dressed Lambs,

NATIVE CHICKENS AND FOWL,

Fruit, Vegetables,

And Everything Carried in Stock by a First-Class Market.

139 HANCOCK ST., QUINCY.



Handsome Horses

Deserve handsome harness. Even a horse that isn't so good looking ought to have good harness; it will improve his appearance.

We can give you anything in the line of horse furnishings, either out of our stock or made to order, and whichever it is you will find in it nothing but good, sound leather and reliable hardware.

TIRRELL & SONS,

Carriage Builders and Horse Shoers,

Hancock St., Quincy.

Oysters

As You Like Them.

Norfolks, 25 cts. quart.
Providence River, 35 cts. quart.
Boston Fresh Opened, 45 cts. quart.
Fancy Cape's, opened here, 50 cts. quart.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

FISH.

Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

Temple Street.

Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

DESPAIR OF A PEACEFUL OUTCOME.

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their departure, except in case of emergency. Definite action has not yet been taken in regard to the removal of the consuls, but it seems probable that they will be recalled within the next day or two. The government has given General Lee instructions to see to the safety of our consuls and all Americans in Cuba, and has given him full authority to go to whatever expense is necessary, including the hire of vessels, to secure this end.

The Armistice Proposal.

Rome, April 6.—There was an active exchange of telegrams yesterday afternoon between the Spanish minister for foreign affairs in Madrid and Mgr. Merry Del Val, the pope's private chamberlain, with a view of drawing up, with the consent of the pope, the exact terms of the armistice for Cuba which will be proposed, it is said, by the pope immediately after the terms are agreed on. In clerical circles it appears to be understood that President McKinley may bring pressure to bear upon the insurgents to induce them to accept an armistice, and it is understood the holy see will then exert similar influence through the episcopacy in Cuba. It is hoped here that the armistice proposal will be definitely drawn up today or Thursday.

The European Movement.

Washington, April 6.—The news that Great Britain had finally declined to enter the concert of the powers places a new and most important condition on the European movement and one which may defeat it. It has been known that Great Britain was holding out most strongly against any tender of mediation on the ground that it would look like outside pressure to force the hand of the United States. The attitude of Great Britain has been that the war in Cuba should cease in the interest of humanity at large.

Sir Julian Pauncefote had a conference with the French ambassador, Mr. Cambon, whose government has been most instrumental in securing a concert of the powers. Certain circumstances left no room for doubt that the two ambassadors were conferring concerning the course of their governments on the Cuban trouble.

Archbishop Ireland went to the office of Assistant Secretary Day. He was admitted at once, evidently by appointment. The archbishop remained about half of an hour, and soon after his departure the assistant secretary started for the White House. The archbishop declined to discuss the purposes of his calls, saying it was merely to pay his respects, and he showed annoyance when inquiry was made as to the direction of the papal influences. While the call renewed the talk about papal mediation, a general impression prevailed throughout official circles that no mediation by the pope, and no influences in that direction, would be seriously entertained by the United States government.

The Madrid Editors.

Madrid, April 6.—The Globe considers that the "manifesto of the Cuban government to the insurgents, following the one to President McKinley, decides finally the permanence on the island of the Spanish flag" and adds: "If the American warships remove from the vicinity of the island, the last sparks of the insurrection are extinguishable with the foot. The Spanish government is awaiting the solution of the event committed to the pope's hands. The interviews of the ambassadors of France and Austria with Mr. Gullon, the minister for foreign affairs, and also the nuncio's calls on the German ambassador and others were in regard to the pope's task. Diplomats believe that the official communication offering mediation leaves Rome for Madrid today."

The Liberal says it "fears the ray of light serves only to show the darkness, and that the guiding thread leading the way out of the labyrinth is snapped. Amid the conflicting versions of the papal intervention, it is impossible to decide the real truth. One thing is certain—that is the necessity for ending this ambiguous situation which, if prolonged, ruins Spain as well as loses Cuba. The nation will stand no more delay. Whatever it may be, there must be an immediate solution."

BOSTON OPINION.

The Advertiser Explains What Patriotic Citizens Propose to Do.

Boston, April 6.—In a strong article on the situation as it is today, The Advertiser says: "We take it for granted that those who have come forward with so much zeal—some of them for the first time—to express their confidence in McKinley's wisdom, knowledge, firmness, peaceableness, statesmanship and perfect trustworthiness as the head of the nation in this supreme hour, mean what they say. If so, they mean to follow him in war or peace. They mean to hold up his hands in every part of his arduous task, and not in one part only. They mean to stand by him in his exertions for the independence of Cuba as well as in his exertions to avert war with Spain. They trust his judgment both as to the time to negotiate and as to the time to break off negotiations. They stand ready to applaud him if he decides that war is inevitable just the same as while he yet hopes that peace is possible."

The Post considers it "clear that President McKinley realizes that the congress of the United States will not abrogate its authority and its duty to take action in this matter, and that it is in no mood longer to delay action of some kind. The president, while vigorously, persistently, striving for peace so long as there remains the slightest prospect of an amicable settlement of difficulties, realizes that an open breach with congress at this time would diminish his power and influence in all future developments. He undoubtedly prefers to lead rather than to be driven."

The Journal's Cuban leader today says: "Congress and the president approach the first momentous step in the settlement of the Cuban crisis with a unity which is creditable to American patriotism and to American government. In spite of persistent misrepresentation by a few reckless newspapers on one side and on the other, it is now apparent that the White House and the capitol stand on firm, common ground. This is certainly true of the lawmakers from our own commonwealth. * * Thus agreed upon the method, as well as upon the purpose, president and congress can proceed in their noble task of bringing peace and freedom to war-torn, distracted Cuba."

"If Mr. McKinley has still any faint notion that this country would tolerate the use of our army and navy in alliance with Spain in the wretched work of crushing out the brave men whose motto is 'Independence or death.' The Globe asserts that "he is destined to be speedily and roughly disillusionized. Peace at such a price would be bought at the cost of lasting dishonor to the United States."

Bloodshed After Election.

Brownsville, Tex., April 6.—The city election resulted in bloodshed, because of the contest between the two factions known as the reds and the blues. In a fight on the main street two men were killed. Shortly after this the members of a mob broke into the jail where the murderer was confined and killed him. They dragged his body out into the street and were about to burn it when cooler counsel prevailed and it was taken to an undertaker's.

The red ticket, with Eben Cobb at its head for mayor, was defeated. John Carson, nominee of the blues, was victorious. The reds set up a cry of fraud. Counter-charges were made by the blues, and the affair culminated in the drawing of firearms. Editor Carter Guillen, a blue, received the first wound, being shot by a man named Charles. Rushing into the street, Guillen sprang on a horse and drew his pistol. Jailer Cobb, who was also mounted, attempted to arrest Guillen, but the latter shot and fatally wounded the jailer. Constable Cobb, who rushed to his brother's assistance, was shot and killed by Guillen. Lorenzo Guillen, the son of the editor, then fired a shot into the constable's body.

Guillen was soon arrested and together with his son was jailed. A mob of 300 men marched to the jail. The door was battered down and in two minutes Guillen was dead, his body perforated by bullets. During the excitement the boy escaped. The Cobbs were brothers of the red candidate for marshal.

Meetings In Maine.

Westbrook, Me., April 6.—At the annual meeting of the grand lodge of the Loyal Orange institution, a resolution was passed upholding the government of the United States in any step it may take which has for its object the freedom of Cuba from Spanish rule, and protesting against any recognition of the pope as having any office with which our government should have official relations. The following officers were elected: Grand master, Rev. C. C. Phelan, Westbrook; deputy, George Gibson, Auburn; secretary, G. P. Clarke, Houlton; treasurer, J. H. Ruth, Linnius; chaplain, D. B. Phelan, Houlton.

The following officers were elected by the grand lodge, N. E. O. P.: G. W., J. W. Chadwick, Gardiner; G. V. W., W. A. Allen, Portland; G. secretary, A. E. Verrill, Auburn; grand treasurer, R. W. Jackson, Portland; grand chaplain, Mrs. Eliza W. Small, Portland; grand guide, C. V. Horton, Foxcroft; grand guardian, J. D. Gilbert, Lewiston; grand sentinel, J. W. Jones, Gardiner.

Voted to Continue.

Lewiston, Me., April 6.—At a meeting of 144 of the Androscoggin weavers 110 voted to continue the battle for higher wages for an indefinite period. Disturbances at the mill gates are now almost a thing unknown.

NEW MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

A Positive Cure for Dyspepsia.

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong because it is generaly thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable, or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable nor is it such a difficult matter as it first appears.

The trouble with Dyspeptics is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to opposite extremes or else deluging the already over burdened stomach with "bitters," "aftedinner pills," etc., which invariably increase the difficulty even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is a rest. Now how can the stomach becomes rested, recuperated and at the same time the body nourished and sustained.

This is the great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dypepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy, but its success and popularity leaves no doubt as to its merits.

The tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach.

The sufferer from dyspepsia according to directions is to eat an abundance of good wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your dyspepsia may be, because as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees and put with it one of Stuart's dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished aud at the same time a radical, lasting cure of dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some exent a much needed rest.

Your druggist will tell you that of the many remedies advertised to cure dyspepsia none of them has given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

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IN BOSTON TUESDAY.

Man at a Hospital In Serious Condition From Stab Wounds.

Boston, April 6.—William Jordan, a negro, 22 years of age, is at the Massachusetts general hospital suffering from five stab wounds. One is directly over the heart, and the others are in the left shoulder and arm. His condition is serious. It was learned that Jordan received the wounds at his home. The assailant is well known to the police, and officers have been detailed from half a dozen stations to search for him. The cause of the assault is not known.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the democracy, plans for the reception of William J. Bryan were discussed. Mr. Bryan is expected to reach Boston on April 16, remaining until the 19th. The final plans were not made, but there will be a dinner, probably in the afternoon of April 16, and in the evening a meeting, for which Faneuil hall will be secured. In addition to Mr. Bryan, the committee will have as its guest Congressman De Armond of Missouri, and it is hoped that Senator White of California will be present.

Illuminating gas was responsible for two deaths, and a third victim is in a critical condition at the hospital. Ignorance on the part of three men who arrived in this city from Poland Tuesday caused the fatality.

The Massachusetts Democratic club elected officers last night as follows: Philip J. Doherty, president; William H. Baker, vice president; Robert Treat Paine, Jr., second vice president; Philip C. Nickerson, secretary; George H. Hayward, assistant secretary; Dr. E. S. Taylor, treasurer.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 6.—In the state house of representatives yesterday afternoon the bill extending the franchise for overseers of Harvard college came up for discussion on its engrossment stage. Mr. Myers of Cambridge precipitated the debate by moving an amendment striking out the referendum section, which was added at the previous consideration of the measure. The amendment was adopted, 100 to 53. The bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Ought not to pass was reported on a bill for compensation to cities and towns for expenses incurred in providing school facilities for children who are a public charge.

In the senate the substitution of a bill for an adverse report from the railroad committee for further legislation for the transportation of bicycles prevailed.

Senator Roe of Worcester explained that a bill for the protection of certain birds was designed to extend to song birds the protection now accorded to game birds. It was to perfect the legislation of last year to prevent the killing of birds in order to secure ornaments for feminine headgear. It was ordered to a third reading.

The committee on education and labor jointly reported the Walton-Birtwell bill to regulate the employment of labor. It prohibits the employment of any child under 14 in a factory, workshop or mercantile establishment, and that no child under 16 shall be so employed unless lists are posted for inspection by inspectors of factories, and age and schooling certificates are kept for such inspection. The provision for posting a list of minors who cannot read and write legibly simple sentences in the English language is eliminated, and such names are sumply to be furnished the school authorities. A penalty of $50 is added to the bill for signing a certificate which certifies to any materially false statement.

Favors Less Hours.

Lawrence, Mass., April 6.—As a remedy for the condition of affairs in the cotton industry, T. P. Cahill, who appeared before the labor committee Tuesday, as a witness, advocated a reduction in the hours of labor. He declared that this would afford employment to the persons now idle. Erect new mills, if necessary, and as the idle operatives would be given work, so their purchasing power would be increased. He declared that the best thing for the laboring people would be the enactment of a state 54-hour law. He believed that other states would be forced to follow Massachusetts' example in reducing hours of labor, as they had after this state adopted a 10-hour law.

Senator Leach asked if he would favor a reduction at this time considering the condition of affairs. He told the witness not to base his views upon the Pacific mills, where there were diversified products, but upon other mills which were entirely affected by the depression in the cotton goods market. The witness said that he favored making the change at once. He considered that no time could be better than the present.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Though it will continue cold another 36 hours, it will be somewhat warmer Thursday, and promises to be decidedly warmer the last of the week.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, APRIL 6.
Sun rises—5:16; sets, 6:17.
Moon rises—7:44 p. m.
High tide—11:30 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ellen McGee of Dudley, Mass., committed suicide by jumping into a river while temporarily insane.

The condition of the insane king of Bavaria has suddenly become worse, and it is feared that he is dying.

The triennial elections to the lower house of the Danish parliament have resulted in a majority of 13 for the radical left.

Edwin S. Dixon, aged 30, of Lakeport, N. H., shot himself in the right temple last night and died in a few minutes. He had been despondent.

John L. Tucker, 22 years old, who claims to be a broker, was arrested Tuesday in New York on a telegram from Boston. The complainant is William Burke of Boston. Tucker is supposed to have passed bogus checks.

Both the identity of the assailant of Charles L. Russell, the clerk shot in the drug store under the United States hotel, and the motive for the crime are undetermined. There were no knife wounds on the body, and the drug clerk was killed by the bullets discharged from a 32-caliber revolver.

The North German Lloyd steamer, Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, has again lowered the record from Southampton. She made the passage to New York in five days and 20 hours, which is two hours and 35 minutes less time than her best record from Southampton, which was made on her maiden trip.

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

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On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30. 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8. 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

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On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

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r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17 da		5 36 r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
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r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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DEADLOCK MAY BE BROKEN.

Queen Regent Expected to Furnish the Key.

Important Results Are Looked For Today.

Acceptance of the American Suggestions Deemed Likely.

Protesting Republicans In the House Satisfied With Assurances as to the Character of McKinley's Message, but Prepared For Contingencies—Senatorial Statesmen More or Less Perplexed by the Newest Phase—"Foolish Fear" of Americans In Havana—Consul General Lee Still at His Post.

Washington, April 7.—President McKinley received a long cipher cablegram from Minister Woodford last night, which, it is stated, promised important and favorable developments at Madrid today, which may meet the demands of the United States.

The queen regent, her dynasty having been guaranteed continuance in power by France, Austria-Hungary and Italy, has planned, it is stated, to take steps toward ultimately granting independence to Cuba, and it is expected to begin today by a proclamation for an armistice in Cuba, which will lead to a grant of independence to Cuba at the end of six months upon the payment offered by the Cubans of part of the war debt.

President McKinley will wait to see how all this develops. If Spain would promise to make Cuba free at the end of six months he would agree to it, and all the war preparations would be over; but it has not taken that tangible shape as yet. If it does President McKinley will feel amply justified for the manner in which he has managed the case.

While the message was awaited there came a hurried summons of leaders of the senate and house to the White House, and they were there informed that the message was to be withheld upon the information received from Consul General Lee. The reasons he gave were deemed entirely satisfactory by all, and Senator Davis informed the senate, while the house leaders carried the news to that body. That the danger to American life was considered sufficient reason for non-action appeared in the postponement of all meetings to consider the situation. The proposed armistice by Spain injected another feature into the discussion of the situation, and while some were very hopeful that a satisfactory solution of the problem might eventuate from it, the general feeling was that the conditions in Cuba, the determination of the insurgents to continue fighting until independence was recognized, and the sentiment of this country in favor of Cuba's independence of Spain possibly made overtures on this line too late.

The frank statement of the president to the leaders and to several prominent Democrats that his course was deemed absolutely necessary by Consul General Lee, to insure the safe departure of the Americans still in Cuba, has caused them to accept the situation in good faith. Some of the most radical, after hearing the statements of those who saw the president, appeared satisfied. Those with whom the president talked came away with a very strong impression that the message would mean war unless Spain backed down squarely. One of them, who has been very active in antagonizing delay, says the message will be perfectly satisfactory to him and will fully meet the expectations of the country.

Pending the transmittal of the message, in view of the situation presented by the president, all plans looking to action in the house will be abandoned, but those who have been taking part in the radical movement, and who always admit the possibility that the time may come when they will have to part company with the president, are, according to the leaders of the movement, more determined than ever to ultimately obtain what they desire. They are at present satisfied with the assurances they have received as to the character of the message, but this has not prevented them from organizing for possible contingencies. The conference which was to have been held last night after the message was in was abandoned, but 50 of those who inaugurated the movement met immediately after the house adjourned to discuss the situation. All who were not heartily in sympathy with them were invited to leave. Those at the meeting unanimously agreed to wait upon the message, but the movement for a caucus started by the president's supporters, which was also abandoned during the afternoon, exposed to them a dinner upon which they had not reckoned, namely, that a caucus of Republicans might be called to bind them by the party action and place them in the position of bolters if the occasion arose for them to adopt an independent plan of action. A committee of eight was therefore appointed to count noses, to watch the situation and to devise ways and means to meet any tactics of the opposition.

Several rather vigorous speeches in denunciation of any policy of delay were made in the course of the meeting, one by Mr. Smith of Illinois. In order to emphasize this position a proposition was made to unite with the Democrats and block all legislation, adjourning from day to day until the message appeared and the house had acted on the Cuban resolution; but Mr. Hull of Iowa, who is pushing the army re-organization bill, made such an ardent plea to allow the bill to come to a vote that the proposition was temporarily abandoned.

Shortly before midnight a senator made this precise statement of the situation: "The president's message will be transmitted to congress next Monday. It is signed and finished. The president does not propose to alter a single letter, word or line except under one contingency. That contingency is the absolute withdrawal of the Spanish flag from Cuba and the granting of complete independence to the Cubans. Otherwise congress must act.

"Negotiations have ceased and cannot be reopened with Spain. There is nothing to negotiate. General Woodford has cabled the president the result of his conference with the queen regent and the ministers. The sovereign as well as the ministy has frankly told him that Spain stands between war at home and war abroad. To yield to the United States means war at home; not to yield means war with this country. Of the two evils, they prefer war with a foreign power."

The delay in the settlement of the Cuban question was treated in the senate with varying degrees of favor or disfavor, depending largely upon the predilections and personal political associations of senators. All united in admitting the necessity of protecting General Lee and the other American citizens in Cuba. Many, however, were inclined to criticise because our citizens had not been removed heretofore, while others declared protection for them should have been sent to Havana. "It is a humiliating spectacle," said Senator Quay of Pennsylvania, "that with our fleet within 90 miles of Havana we are unable to protect our people in that port."

The intense Cuban sympathizers were free in the opinion that there was some motive in the delay that did not appear on the surface. They did not question the good faith of the representations as to the danger of Americans in Cuba, but they argued that there must have been other causes for the administration's course. When the Madrid bulletin stating the probability of an armistice in Cuba was made known, they found in it a verification of their surmises. At one time during the afternoon the indication was strong that dissatisfaction would find voice in the open session of the senate, but those who felt disposed to discuss the question were restrained largely from a feeling of delicacy because not fully certain of their ground. The conservative element did not find encouragement in the situation. They were not displeased over the prospect of delay, but they expressed regret at the occasion for it. "The publication of the fact of danger to Americans in Cuba," said one of them, "will set the country aflame and the war spirit will be more rampant than ever." Senator Elkins was among the conservatives who expressed apprehension as to the effect of the reports from General Lee, but he found great encouragement in the outlook for a peaceful settlement of the difficulty.

The personal followers of the president declined to see any other reason for his action than that of conserving the safety of Americans in Cuba, and said that for him to have taken any other course under the circumstances would have been inconsiderate and inhuman. Altogether the day's proceedings had the effect of leaving the senate in an unsettled condition, but it also relieved the tension to a perceptible degree.

If Spain does not before Monday promise to make Cuba independent, the message will go in then, and, in the mean time, it will be strengthened in tone, and the president will have his preparations made for armed intervention, if upon notice to Spain to withdraw from the island, after action by congress, she does not immediately comply with a promise to withdraw.

A Needless Scare.

Havana, April 7.—After many days of foolish confidence that something would happen, a number of people here, Americans and others, have been plunged into foolish fear and turmoil. People who should know better insist that war has been declared; others are sure that the pope has secured peace with honor. Bankers with close American connections are packing their papers, collecting debts, arranging for guards for their vaults and sending their families away. Cuban women, with husbands, fathers, or brothers in the insurgent ranks, are in a state of terror. The few simon pure Americans who remain keep as cool as may be.

It is to the credit of the government here that although it was well known that yesterday was crucial with war probable and Spanish defeat certain, Havana up to 11 yesterday morning was generally quiet and orderly. The removal of the embargo consequent upon the quarantine laws gives relief to thousands, but the new trouble arises of lack of transportation. No doubt many will leave as the result of a needless scare, since probably they would be as safe here as anywhere, a possible bombardment being left out of the account. Some Spaniards still talk wildly about the United States fleet being blown out of the water by fire from the Havana batteries on the water front, but as careful practice two days ago showed the inability of the gunners to come within 100 yards of a target on smooth water at a range of two miles or thereabouts, naval men need not be apprehensive of the effect of the Havana guns.

An Important Point.

Washington, April 7.—At the meeting of the senate committee on foreign relations the question of Cuban bonds was raised. Mr. Foraker stated that there was a point to which he desired to invite the attention of the committee, and this was the possibility of the United States having to assume responsibility for the payment of the interest, if not the principal, of the Spanish bonds secured by the Cuban revenues in case of the intervention of this country in the Cuban war without first recognizing the independence of the Cubans. He would not assert positively that such would be the case, but he believed the proposition strong enough under international law to make ground for an international lawsuit. There is no less than $400,000,000 worth of these Spanish bonds.

Mr. Rubens In a Rage.

New York, April 7.—After quoting from the address to the people of the United States issued by Mr. Palma on March 17, Mr. Rubens of the Cuban junta says: "In the face of the present proposal of intervention without previous recognition, it is necessary for us to say that we must and will regard such intervention as nothing less than a declaration of war by the United States against the Cuban revolutionists. If intervention shall take place on that basis, and the United States shall land an armed force on Cuban soil, we shall treat that force as an enemy to be opposed, and, if possible, expel, so long as the recognition of a free Cuban republic is withheld.

"I do not mean to say that the Cuban army will assemble on the coast to resist the landing of federal troops, but that it will remain in the interior, refusing to co-operate, declining to acknowledge any American authority, ignoring and rejecting the intervention to every possible extent. Should the United States troops succeed in expelling the Spanish; should the United States then declare a protectorate over the island—however provisional or tentative—and seek to extend its authority over the government of Cuba and the army of liberation, we would resist with force of arms as bitterly and tenaciously as we have fought the armies of Spain."

Porter Not Responsible.

Washington, April 7.—In regard to an article in the Hartford Post criticising congress, Secretary Porter said yesterday:



JOHN ADDISON PORTER.

"I have not written a line for my paper, the Hartford Post, during my residence of over a year in Washington. I have not had time to manage the editorial page of the paper, even if I had the inclination to do so under present circumstances. So far as the article which has caused criticism is concerned, I did not write it, nor see it until two days after its publication, at which time I promptly sent a telegram to the managing editor of The Post expressing disavowal and regret at the exaggerated tone of the article and cautioning the editor to be more careful in the future. I am on the pleasantest terms of friendship or acquaintanceship with a large number of representatives and senators, and any unfair or discourteous criticism of congress would be directly opposite to my feelings and record. No one regrets more than myself any misapprehension which the publication of this article may have caused."

Weary and Disgusted Crowds.

Washington, April 7.—When the senate convened yesterday intense expectancy, amounting to excitement, prevailed both on the floor and in the galleries. The president's message had been positively promised, and its coming was awaited with genuine anxiety. Ten minutes after the senate convened consideration of the sundry civil bill was resumed and, with the exception of eight minutes consumed by an executive session in which Senator Davis announced that no message would be sent in, the entire session was consumed by the appropriation bill. It was practically completed when laid aside for the day.

After waiting patiently in the galleries and corridors of the house for hours, many of them from 8 o'clock in the morning until shortly before 3 o'clock, the thousands who had assembled to hear the president's Cuban message turned away weary and disgusted at the delay. Never before was there such disappointment at the capitol. The members felt it even more keenly than the spectators, and for two hours after-

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Tuesday	38	52	59
Wednesday	38	56	71
Thursday	49	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
Saturday	—	48	42

New Advertisements Today.

The New World—Historical pageant.
Cottage house and a farm to let.
Solicitor wanted.

Good Afternoon.

The city of Haverhill will give its firemen ten days' vacation annually.

An order is before the Malden aldermen for $5000 for brick sidewalks and edgestones, to be met by a loan.

While some of the Boston Savings banks have found it necessary to reduce their dividends, the Quincy Savings bank has just declared its usual semi-annual dividend at the rate of four per cent.

The Quincy correspondent of the Monumental News puts it about right. It says, "Speaking of the consolidation scheme some of the papers in reporting the Granite Manufacturers' banquet got the idea from a few of the speakers that Quincy, cannot compete with other granite centers in the price of work. Now this is certainly erroneous. Quincy can put in cheap work just the same as any manufacturer of staple articles. But Quincy doesn't want to be known as a cheap place.

It is understood that Morefield Storey, senior member of the firm of Storey and Thorndike of Boston and counsel for nearly all the large note and bond brokers of Boston, has been consulted and he has given an opinion sustaining City Solicitor McAnarney and advises that Quincy can not legally refund its debt maturing this year. In passing it may be of interest to note that $28,500 of the debt falling due this year is water debt, and according to the water act of 1895 must be paid at maturity, so long as a sinking fund was not established at the time the loan was contracted. The water debt however is apportioned all right as each loan has been divided into thirty equal annual payments. Not so however, with the municipal loans. We realize the latter must be paid within ten years but many which mature this year are one-year loans, two year loans, three year loans, etc. If all these were extended for three years they would still be paid within the ten years

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QUEEN OF FAME.

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All the Characters Were Good—A Great Success.

There was a full house Wednesday evening at Faxon hall at the production of the "Queen of Fame," under the auspices of the Unity Circle of King's Daughters. When the curtain rose the stage had an oriental effect. Seated upon a high throne was the goddess, who announced that she would present a crown to the most worthy character, which was proclaimed by the heralds. The Greek dancers showed their skill and then character after character was presented, being impersonated as follows:

Goddess,	Miss Lu Tupper.
Greek dancers,	Miss May Merrill, Miss Clara Merrill, Miss Lizzie Sheppard.
Heralds,	Miss Corrinne Hayward, Miss Beatrice Tisdale, Miss Edna Miller.
Hypatia,	Mrs. Percival Sears.
Queen Elizabeth,	Miss Hattie Burnie.
Josiah Allen's wife,	Mrs. Fred Drake.
Ruth,	Mrs. George L. Badger.
Sister of Mercy,	Miss Margaret Gow.
Martha Washington,	Mrs. Frank Merrill.
Xantippe,	Miss Alice Sampson.
Topsy,	Miss Olive Sargent.
Gypsy Queen,	Miss Beatrice Walker
Joan of Arc,	Mrs. Edward Miller
Sappho,	Miss Hattie Pierce
Pocahontas,	Miss Lillie Taber
Grace Darling,	Miss Alice Dunn
Miss Partington,	Miss Mabel Baxter
Ike,	Mr. George Follett
Mary, Queen of Scotts,	Miss Lillian Taylor
Attendant,	Miss Laura Tupper
Carmencita,	Miss Grace Pettengill
Nydia,	Miss May McPhail
Bridget O'Flanagan,	Mrs. Barber
Isabella of Spain,	Mrs. Walter Packard
Miriam,	Mrs. Ernest Fitts
Attendants,	Miss Helen Rhines, Miss Muriel Rogers, Miss Minnie Packard, Miss Ella Packard.
Barbara Freitchie,	Miss Hattie Sargent
Jenny Lind,	Mrs. Bert Drake
Columbia,	Miss Leila Miller

Each character made a speech setting forth why they should receive the crown. All were good, but Josiah Allen's wife let all the secrets in the neighborhood out of the bag and made great sport for all. Martha Washington said she counseled George Washington in all his great undertakings, Xantippe rather put the men through hot water. But Topsy, she was a full team all to herself. She was not selfish; she did not want the crown for herself but for her mistress. Her doll was a feature, but she danced well, and was encored. Mrs. Partington claimed the crown because she had "brought up" Ike, and Ike bawled as good as any calf. Carmecita was very proficient in her art and was recalled. But we could not tell all the good things there were so many, but the dance of Bridget, Ike and Topsy should not be overlooked.

At the close the Goddess made a speech from the throne and decided that the crown should go to Martha Washington, and Columbia placed it upon her head.

The ushers for the evening were Miss Alice Litchfield, Miss Sadie Jones Miss Pearl Elliot and Miss Addie Perry.

The production will be repeated this evening with new features.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The Managers of Public Burial Places meet at City Hall tonight.

The Committee on Streets meet at City Hall tonight. They have several orders before them.

Officer Barry who is now doing day duty in the centre thinks he has struck a snap,, and would like to have it continue for an indefinite period. Up to this month he has had to do his sleeping during the day time. He says that he has no difficulty now in sleeping nights other than it is hard for him to wake up in the morning. There is one thing to his credit, that no matter how well he sleeps when he tumbles into bed, he is ever wakeful when on duty and is as spry as a cat in his efforts to keep the peace.

Chief of Police Lichfield attends the monthly dinner of the Massachusetts Chief of Police club in Boston tonight. As he goes in company with Chief Pierce of Milton he is quite sure of receiving a good welcome and of getting home safely.

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DIED.

STETSON—In East Braintree April 6, Susanna, widow of Amos Warren Stetson, 89 years, 5 months.

Funeral from residence of daughter, Mrs. Annie W. Anderson, 27 Granite street, Quincy, Saturday, April 9, at 3 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

Unity Club Programme.

The meeting on Friday evening will be in charge of Rev. J. E. Bagley. The following short but excellent programme will be presented.

Mr. Arthur E. Linnell will make his first appearance before the club in an address on "Current Events."

Mrs. E. H. Brock will tell about Germany's Humorist, Jean Paul Richter.

The composer for the evening will be Weber, with an essay on his life by Miss A. S. Burrowes.

Weber's music will be illustrated by Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith, who will play his "Invitation to the Dance."

Mr. and Mrs. Moorhouse will play the "Euryanthe Overture."

A quartette from Boston (Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Perry, bass and contralto; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Hill, tenor and soprano) will render the following selections from the composer.

"The Spring Song."
"In the Forest."
"Te Deum."
Piece to be selected
"Lone a Traitor," tenor solo.
"When the Thorn is White with Blossoms," contralto solo.
"We never meet again," soprano solo.

Mr. Francis W. Perry at the piano.

All friends are welcome to this meeting of the club.

Books on Spain.

Spain is now prominent in the eyes of this country, and some may be interested to learn that there are several books of historical fiction relative to that country in the Thomas Crane Public Library. These with their shelf numbers are:

Aguilar, G.	Edict: tale of 1492. (Banishment of the Jews.)	*in* 212	4
	Vale of cedars. (Time of Ferdinand and Isabella. Persecution of the Jews.)	212	6
Ainsworth, W. H.	Spanish match; or, Charles Stuart at Madrid. [1623]	223	49
Blackmore, R. D.	Alice Lorraine: tale of the South Downs. (1811-14. Peninsular war.)	237	40
Cervantes-Saavedra, M. de.	Adventures of Don Quixote and his squire Sancho Panza. (16th century. Satire on chivalry.)	213	25
Cooper, J. F.	Mercedes of Castile. (1469-92. Ferdinand and Isabella; Columbus.)	216	14
Cornford, L. C.	Master-beggars. (Duke of Alva and Spanish tyranny in the Netherlands. 1568.)	250	33
Gunter, A. C.	First of the English. (Spanish tyranny in the Netherlands under Philip II.)	208	26
Henty, G. A.	Bravest of the brave: with Peterborough in Spain. (1705-7 War of the Spanish succession.)	j 289	39
	Held fast for England; siege of Gibralter, 1779-83.	j 289	50
Lever, C.	Charles O'Malley, the Irish dragoon. (Peninsular war, 1808-14.)	234	3
	Tom Burke of "Ours." (Peninsular war.)	234	21
Lytton, E. B., *lord.*	Calderon the courtier. (Reign of Philip III.)	*in* 213	11
	Leila; or, the siege of Granada. [1491-92.]	213	11
	Some passages in the life of the conquistador. [Cortez.]	*in* 240	9

TODAY'S COURT.

Henry Malaney, Joe O'Connor and John Maney were arraigned for malicious mischief, in breaking a catch on the window of a boat house hired by Charles H. Clare.

It seems that some weeks ago a club was formed among the young men in the vicinity of Sumner and Washington street. Clare was the only one who had wealth and he hired a boat house at the foot of Edison street for the club to meet in. The understanding was that the members of the club should pay their share of the expenses when they got to work. Their share of the money was not forthcoming, and it is alleged that Clare called the club off. Last Sunday night Maney invited O'Connor and Malaney to visit the club headquarters. The custom was, if the door was locked, to pull the staple, which they did. Later, Clare came along and the others left. Clare then took out a warrant for their arrest for breaking the window catch. The court saw no evidence to connect the three young men with breaking the catch, although it did not approve of this club business. The three defendants were discharged.

Owen Flaherty was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

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Good Friday tomorrow.

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The old town pump has been painted its war or fighting color.

William M. Marden goes to Jersey City tonight to pass Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Shaw have returned from their trip abroad.

Mr. Henry Kittredge has his window in the store decorated for Easter.

Officer Hunt of Atlantic is troubled with rheumatism in his right foot.

Master Adin Wilde of Billings street is spending a few days in Marshfield.

C. C. Mueller who has been sick for three weeks with grip is able to be about again.

Mrs. Isaac M. Holt is still in Sanford, Florida, and is expected home in about eight days.

The insolvency case of McGovern Bros. was further continued at Dedham Wednesday.

Loyal Granite lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U. have passed resolutions on the death of Alfonse Reinhalter.

Rev. Edwin N. Hardy preached on Tuesday evening in the Passion Week series in the Mystic church, Medford.

Walter H. Cobb has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to resume his duties as correspondent for the Boston Herald.

Easter programmes of the churches will be published in tomorrow's Ledger. Pastors and musical directors are kindly requested to forward programmes.

The contract for the pedestal of the Henry George monument, a description of which appeared in recent issue of the Ledger, has been awarded to A. Marnock & Co.

The Swedish Lutheran church are arranging for a three days' fair to be held at Faxon hall next month. The committee in charge are working hard for its success.

Some of the passengers who were on the car Saturday night, when the wire broke, did not reach their homes until 3 o'clock Sunday morning; but the walking was good.

Through car service betwen Quincy and Hingham has been resumed. It will be but a short time now before through car service between Neponset and Nantasket will be established.

It is not City Clerk Cleaves' little boy who has been causing him so much trouble of late, but little Tommy Luby, who has made his home with him. He promises not to run away again.

There is only one vacant store now in Quincy that we know of, and that is in Adams building, and as fast as buildings are erected they are immediately occupied by some kind of business.

A large amount of carpets are accumulating at the store of Henry L. Kincaide. They have a new carpet cleaning machine in the rear of the store and it will be put in order in a few days, and then the dust will fly.

We do not wish to censure the motormen or conductors, who stand in front of the car station in the Square, opposite the fountain, but it is a general complaint that when ladies pass by some remarks of a bad nature are overheard and that are not down in the directory.

The Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library contemplate using the income of the recent bequest from the heirs of Thomas Crane to replace the worn out concrete walks with asphalt tiles. These it is thought will be more in keeping with the buildings and grounds than granolithic or concrete. I. will be a good improvement.

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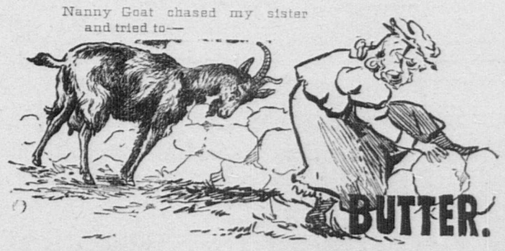
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MICHAEL F. O'BRIEN.
JOHN T. McNEIL.
March 31, 1898. 3t 31-7-14

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The funeral of Mrs. Nathaniel B. Peare was held at her late residence on Cedar street, East Weymouth this afternoon. Rev. W. I. Ward pastor of the M. E. church officiated.

The East Weymouth polo team were defeated by the Taunton team at Taunton Tuesday night.

A very quiet home marriage was held in Gardner's block Wednesday evening. Rev. W. I. Ward, pastor of the M. E. church, East Weymouth, officiating. The contracting parties were Mr. Dana F. Smith and Mrs. Abbie P. Bicknell. The happy couple will reside at Gardner's block, East Weymouth.

The Wompatuck Encampment I. O. O. F., will hold another of their pleasant parties at the Odd Fellows opera house, East Weymouth, Friday evening.

Orphan's Hope lodge, F. A. M., held a meeting at Masonic hall, East Weymouth, Wednesday evening.

The Mechanic's Temple of Honor, No. 25, of East Weymouth, will initiate Friday night.

The Wessagusset Colony, L. A. S., of East Weymouth met at G. A.R. hall, Wednesday night.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Mr. William Ripley were held Wednesday at the residence of Mr. Charles F. Ripley at Lovell's Corner. The interment was at Cohasset.

The last and second night of the fair given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Porter M. E. church at Lovells' Corner saw about 160 present to applaud the production of an operetta entitled "Market Day," by home talent of children. Miss Carrie Holbrook, a little blind girl, sang several selections and received great applause. The ladies will net a large sum to meet the current expenses of the church.

"Kokakola" will hold next rehearsal Friday evening at Hunts hall, East Weymouth.

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WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.

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April 1. 6t

CITY SOLICITOR

Interviewed as to Opinion on Refunding the City Debt.

Since the publication of the above in Wednesday's Ledger we have interviewed City Solicitor McAnarney and he fortifies his opinion as rendered to the City Council as follows:

Section 8 of Chapter 29 of the Public Statutes provided among other things that water debts shall be paid within thirty years of the date of their contraction—and that all other debts except sewer debts shall be paid within ten years.

Section 9 of the same chapter provides that when a debt is payable at a period exceeding ten years the city or town shall and when payable at a period not exceeding ten years may at the time of contracting the same establish a sinking fund; and when payable at a period not exceeding ten years the city or town shall raise by taxation annually not less than eight per cent. of the principal thereof and shall set a part the same for a sinking fund until an amount is raised sufficient with its accumulations to extinguish the debt at its maturity etc.

It will be noticed that in accordance with the requirements of section 9 every city or town was obliged to have a sinking fund to secure the payment of its debt. It was provided by section 14 of said chapter that a city or town could renew its debt in securities payable within the period required for the final payment of the same.

A city or town having a sinking fund could unquestionably renew its debt as provided by Section 14. But in 1882 the legislature enacted a law providing that any city or town may instead of establishing a sinking fund provide for the payment of its indebtedness in "such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the same within the time prescribed in said chapter (chap. 29 of Pub. Stat.) and when such vote has been heretofore or shall be hereafter passed the amount required thereby shall without further vote be assessed by the assessors in each year thereafter until the debt shall be extinguished" etc.

The city of Quincy has never established a sinking fund but has elected to proceed under the provisions of chapter 133 of 1882 and has been extinguishing its debt by annual proportionate payments.

The relief provided in section 14 of said chapter 29 in the opinion of the City Solicitor extends only to those cities and towns which have created a sinking fund to secure their maturing debt as provided by section 9 of said chapter and does not extend to cities or towns proceeding under chapter 133 of the acts of 1882 or similar acts.

Quincy having elected to pay its debts in the manner set forth in said chapter 133 must abide by the consequences. It is possible that North Adams may have a sinking fund, or the debt it is seeking to refund may be one it is permitted to refund by some special act of the legislature. It is hardly worth while speculating on, why only North Adams voted to refund its debt without knowing more about its financial methods.

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BOSTON OPINION.

False to Our Traditions to Checkmate the Insurgents.

Boston, April 7.—The Boston Post holds: "For the United States to take any step whatever to deprive the Cuban revolutionists of the fruits of their long and persistent struggles for liberty, for which so much Cuban blood has been shed and so many thousand Cuban lives sacrificed, would be a proceeding disgraceful beyond all conception. We do not believe it would be tolerated by the American people. For our part, we think it is the business of this country to promote the cause of human freedom; but to place any impediment in its way would be to be false to all our traditions. To intimate that President McKinley has any such idea is a gratuitous insult to him."

"Intervention, active, emphatic," The Journal insists, "is the policy to which the president's mind is made up. If Spain yields, it must be between today and Monday, for to all intents and purposes President McKinley has already delivered his ultimatum."

The Advertiser treats of Spain's case as argued by the minister in Washington as follows: "The American people agree with the Spanish minister that to appeal to war unnecessarily 'would be too wanton, too criminal, too offensive to all the dictates of civilization and christianity;' but if war comes it will only be because Spain shall have ignored 'all the dictates of civilization and christianity.' Not one step has the United States taken that has not been made absolutely necessary by the brutal indifference of the Spanish government in Cuba to all the appeals of civilization and christianity."

The Globe says: "'Stand by the president' may be good advice, but some people are having hard work to find out just where the president stands, preparatory to taking up their position by him."

How Two Concerns Were Robbed.

New Bedford, Mass., April 7.—The actual results of the expert examination of the books of the Bennett and Columbia mills at the time of the slump were never made public until yesterday. It is now known that the treasurer, the late Frank R. Hadley, made, or caused to be made, entries of sundry payments, purporting to be made to C. E. Riley & Co. for machinery, aggregating $450,000 which the firm never received. An attempt to conceal the misappropriation of the funds was made by using forged receipts written on printed forms of receipts and statements, which were close imitations of the forms used by Riley & Co.

In the case of the Bennett, dividends aggregating $260,500 were paid, but not earned. In January, 1892, it appears that $44,300 was loaned H. A. Holcomb and returned five months later, and the interest, $969.29, was allowed him as an offset against notes indorsed by him. From the figures at hand, the accountant estimated that had there been no irregularities, the gross earnings of the Bennett corporation would have been $442,000.

Large Number Willing.

Saco, Me., April 7.—The indications point to a speedy settlement of the three months' strike in the York mill. The backbone of the strike seems to be broken, and it is believed by the business men and the majority of the strikers that if Agent Page consents to open the gates next Monday the mill can be started in every department. Mr. Page is expected home the last of the week, and a committee will then wait upon him and show him a list of names of operatives who have pledged themselves to return under the cut-down. Up to this morning about 1000 out of 1500 had signed the petition, and the leaders of the movement believe that the managers will agree to make another attempt to start the factory when they learn that such a large number are in favor of returning.

Chairman Larabee, who has taken a prominent part in the strike since its inauguration, is opposed to returning under a cut-down.

Probate Court.

Probate court was held at Dedham on Wednesday and these wills allowed: Nancy Brackett, late of Quincy, W. H. Hockaday of Milton, Joseph Assmus of Dedham, Dr. J. P. Maynard of Dedham, Alice Gay of Walpole, S. G. Fuller of Walpole, Robert Williams of Cohasset, S. F. Whitmarsh of Braintree, Charlotte Briggs of Franklin.

Administrations were granted on the estates of Esrom Morse of Sharon, Abijah Tisdale of Sharon, Hattie Fuller of Franklin, Joel Pierce of Stoughton, Mary Fleming of Cohasset, Harriet Tisdale of Sharon, B. P. Johnson of Franklin, Sarah Elder of Medfield, A. J. Barton of Foxboro, L. S. Williams of Wrentham, Mary Cowell of Wrentham.

Commendable.

The board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association of our city have placed themselves on record for honorable athletics and herefter no events of any kind will be held unless within their control. The association holds an important place now in the athletic world, being a member of the Athletic League of North America on an equal footing as the Amateur Athletic Union and the League of American Wheelmen, and each organization agrees to abide by the others decisions. Records made in one hold good in another also suspensions etc. The resolution of the board is as follows:

That at no time shall athletic events be held in or about the association or its building by any individual or individuals, members or no, unless the same is under the auspices of the association, sanctioned by the board of directors and directly in control of the physical work committee and general secretary.

☞ The Boston Journal said of the Lutteman Quintette which will be at Music hall Saturday evening: The Quintette was a grand success, giving a variety of selections, the majority of which were Swedish melodies and folk songs. There were two other numbers an arrangement of "Annie Laurie" by Dudley Buck, and Barnby's "Sweet and Low." The rest was characteristically Swedish. The voices blend very beautifully, their sotto voice and sostenuto producing an effect which was irresistible to the audience. It might be called a little "catchy," but it is done so nicely, so clearly, with almost an organ effect on the sostenuto that the gentlemen can easily be pardoned. One of the best things of the evening was the "Peasant Wedding" of Soderman, introducing the familiar "Wedding March," and the Annie Laurie was very nicely rendered.

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Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
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HOURS AND TAXATION.

Both the Concern of Manufacturers of the Bay State.

The Legislature Memorialized For Relief.

Increase In Working Time and Restriction In Taxes Desired.

Boston, April 7.—T. J. Coolidge, A. G. Pierce, Charles L. Lovering, Eliot C. Clarke, C. A. Coleman, Eben S. Draper, Harcourt Amory, Thomas S. Brayton, Howard Stockton, Augustus Lowell, George F. Fabyan, A. S. Covel, A. M. Goodale, H. N. Slater, George S. Silsbee, C. P. Baker, Chaires H. Dalton and Albert C. Houghton have united in a memorial to the legislature relative to the state of the cotton industry. They say that the present conditions and prospects of the industry in this state are sufficiently grave to call for an exhaustive study of the premises. They continue: "Whether this industry, which for two generations has added largely to the wealth and population of the state, has reached the highest point of its expansion and is hereafter to decline, is today an open question. That its value to the state is shrinking is beyond doubt. Whether the shrinkage can be arrested and the process of expansion can be resumed is still in doubt. The evidence of shrinkage appears in lower earnings of the operatives, lower prices of the products, lower market values of the plants and lower profits.'

If cotton machinery in Massachusetts is to continue to be limited to a less product than similar machinery in other states, and the cost of operating it continues to be more and the taxes upon it higher, it is inevitable that manufacturers will withdraw their capital, sell their machinery or transfer it to other states where conditions are more favorable, and abandon their sites, sacrificing one-third of their property rather than, by continuing a losing business, invite bankruptcy.



ANDREW G. PIERCE.

The decay of this industry in Massachusetts means to the operatives vastly more than they seem to consider. They have been stronger in their ability to obtain concessions from employers and legislation from the state than their fellow-workers in other states, because the industry has been prosperous, profitable and increasing in magnitude. How will it be when the conditions are reversed? Some of them will be forced to seek homes in other states, where the situation of labor is less favorable than it is in this commonwealth; and those states will not be likely to repeat the mistakes in legislation which have proved disastrous here. The operatives who remain must either compete with each other for a diminishing amount of employment and make concessions to their employers, or else join in the competition for work in other occupations.

"Under the Dingley tariff labor in cotton mills is fairly well protected against undue foreign competition. The competition comes from other states, where machinery produces more by being run more hours, where wages are lower, and where the taxes and other burdens upon the industry are less.

"Unless this competition can be successfully met the outlook for the industry in Massachusetts is not encouraging.

"In recent years, successive legislatures have passed many acts intended for the better protection of operatives in mills from the possibly unwise or unfair policy of the manufacturers. Some of these laws have had the natural effect of checking investments in machinery, restricting the opportunities for employment, diverting capital to other states, and helping to build up so sharp a competition outside of Massachusetts that the unfortunate consequences are now too obvious to be any longer ignored. The diverted capital cannot be recalled. It is a permanent loss to the state. If Massachusetts is to continue its present restrictive policy it should do so with a full understanding of the sacrifices involved, both as to capital and labor, and be content to see her early supremacy as a cotton manufacturer continue to decline, while her competitors multiply, or she can face the situation and adapt her policies to meet the necessities of the times.

"If cotton manufacturing in the state becomes unprofitable, one of two things must happen—wages will be reduced, or the business will be abandoned, as has been the case in the iron and glass industries. Either of these consequences would be a great misfortune, which the legislature should, if possible, prevent in the only way in its power: First, by raising the hours of labor at least to the point where they are in every other New England state; and, secondly, by reducing the taxation on manufacturing plants, which is now much in excess of that in high taxed England and in the southern states. The effective way, in our judgment, would be to take off all taxes on machinery, without increasing those on the real estate used for manufacturing purposes.

"The present situation may present itself to some persons as having no deeper significance than a contest between capital and labor, the outcome of which is to be a triumph of one over the other. If this were the truth, there would be no occasion for this communication, and the legislature would have no call to intervene. It is because the difficulty is fundamental and limited to no class of industries in the state that upon the representatives of all the people."

BOSTON MATTERS.

Milk Producers at Variance With Contractors Over Prices.

Boston, April 7.—The summer price of milk should have been fixed to take effect April 1, but the producers and the contractors got into a quarrel and there was no agreement. The contractors wanted the producers to carry all of the surplus except 2 1-2 percent, whereas last summer the price of milk was so fixed that the producers should carry all but 5 percent of the surplus. The difference of 2 1-2 percent, it is said, means just as much less in the net price to the producer for his milk. Therefore, the latter would not agree, and as there seems to be no chance for a settlement, the producers offer to leave the matter to the board of arbitration.

The approaching crisis in our relations with Spain is responsible for the abandonment of the dinner of the Jeffersonian club in this city April 13. Congressmen Bailey of Texas, Lewis of Washington and McClellan of New York had accepted invitations, and applications for over 400 seats at the dinner had been received. Yesterday a telegram was received that it would be impossible for the speakers to leave Washington next week. It was decided at a meeting of the dinner committee to abandon the dinner entirely.

A peace mass meeting is to be held at Faneuil hall Friday evening. Governor Wolcott has been invited to preside and Mayor Quincy to represent the city.

Aldrich to Have a Walkover.

Providence, April 7.—The state election yesterday resulted in an overwhelming Republican victory. Neither party conducted a live campaign, the success of Governor Dyer and his associates being a foregone conclusion. Seven cities and towns voted on the license question, including Providence, where license was successful by a considerable margin. The socialist labor vote shows a large increase, while the Prohibitionists beat the Democrats in several towns as usual. Seventy-seven out of 105 districts in the state show for governor: Dyer (Rep.), 13,829; Church (Dem.), 7116; Reid (Soc.-Labor), 1688; Lewis (Pro.), 1211. This includes but four of the 22 Providence districts.

The legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican, ensuring the re-election of United States Senator Nelson W. Aldrich. The Democrats in the two houses will number only about a dozen, and as no Democratic candidate for the senatorial nomination has appeared Senator Aldrich may be unopposed.

The proposition to hire $800,000 addition to continue the work on the uncompleted state capitol at Providence is carried by a slight majority, Newport and the outlying country towns voting strongly against it. This makes $2,300,000 already authorized for the marble structure.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Charles A. Boynton has been appointed postmaster in East Montville, Me.

The American Fire Chiefs' association's date of next meeting has been fixed for St. Louis, Oct. 18.

Father Chidwick, chaplain of the Maine, has been advanced to the rank of lieutenant in the navy.

Benjamin Hill was hanged in San Quentin, Cal., for the murder of his wife. He made a confession and expressed penitence.

The opinion of the attorney general as to the legality of writing bombardment insurance has been asked by the insurance commissioner.

A Brussels paper declares that the Dreyfus trial will shortly be annulled by the French court of appeal on the same grounds as the Zola trial.

J. Stack, Angus McPhee and R. Costello, employed on a dredge, were drowned last night by the sinking of the vessel in the harbor at Buffalo.

Municipal elections were held in every city and town in Arkansas Wednesday. Only in three or four instances were the regular Democratic nominees opposed.

Three Italians lost their lives and a fourth one was seriously injured near Thomaston, Conn. The accident was caused by a box car in which the men were riding leaving the track.

The royalist party of Hawaii is hopelessly divided, and ill feeling between the two factions is becoming more and more intense. Friendships of long standing have been greatly strained.

At a joint conference of committees representing the coal operators and miners of the Massillon, O., district, an agreement was reached and most of the miners will resume work at the operators' terms.

The house in Hadley, Mass., where "Fighting Joe" Hooker was born in 1815 was burned yesterday afternoon. Two barns, besides the historic house, were also destroyed. The losses will amount to several thousand dollars.

A telegram from the commanding officer at the Mare island, Cal., navy yard states that the amount of damage suffered from the earthquake last week is $342,000. Secretary Long will ask for a special appropriation to make the necessary repairs.

The Mississippi river at Memphis has reached the stage of 30.3 feet, and it bids fair to almost attain the height of last year's flood. The St. Francis bottoms are reported badly overflowed. At Helena the river has passed the danger line to a stage of 44.4 feet, and continues to rise steadily.

W. F. Sager and E. Swanbrough of Denver have broken unpaced tandem records from 11 miles to 26 miles inclusive, and also the unpaced record for one hour. The distance for one hour was 26 miles, 1292 yards. The last quarter mile was made in 30 seconds, and the 11 miles in 58.23.

A proposition is under consideration that all makers of wall paper pool their profits. It is said that if this combination is made, it will yield about $6,000,000 profit next year, 55 percent of which is to go to the national organization and the remaining 45 percent to the outsiders who have formed what they call a "club."

DEADLOCK MAY BE BROKEN.

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ward they stood about the lobbies discussing the latest phase of the situation. The debate over the army reorganization bill attracted little or no attention. It was completely overshadowed by the more absorbing question. Considerable opposition to the bill developed on the ground that its provision for an extension of the regular army in time of war to 104,000 men would be inimical to the national guard and the volunteer forces upon which the country had heretofore relied in time of stress. There will be a strong effort to recommit the bill.

Protest In Advance.

Washington, April 7.—Members of the United States Brewers' association appeared before the ways and means committee of the house yesterday and protested against an increase in the tax on beer to meet war emergencies. They cited the newspaper reports that the committee would double the tax and urged that there was no reason why the brewers should be subjected to an additional tax while other lines remained exempt.

Chairman Dingley explained that the increase had not been considered either by the committee or the house, but that if they wanted to state their views on that understanding they might do so.

If it becomes necessary to increase taxes all along the line, the brewers would raise no objection; but it would necessitate in the case of retailers either raising the price per glass, or furnishing less of the product for a given sum. In the event of a war causing the tax to be raised from $1 to $2 per barrel, they asked that congress provide a satisfactory rebate, as 15 percent should be allowed for spoilage from whatever cause.

Believes In Independence.

New York, April 7.—At the regular monthly meeting of the merchants' and manufacturers' board of trade of New York yesterday, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "Your committee on national affairs believes that Spain is responsible for the loss of the Maine and that a substantial indemnity and an ample reparation should be demanded from Spain without further delay. Further, the committee believes the independence of Cuba should be recognized, and should be secured with peace if possible, but by force of arms if necessary."

An American Protectorate.

London, April 7.—The Vienna correspondent of The Times explains a plan of settlement which "offers an acceptable compromise, if not too late, and which has already come under the notice of one of the parties concerned." He says: "The scheme involves giving Cuba autonomy, but placing the island in a relation toward Spain similar to that which Egypt sustains toward Turkey. Under this plan Cuba would pay an annual tribute to Spain, while America would be entrusted with the control of the Cuban finances and have the same standing there as England has in Egypt. The United States would guarantee the Spanish loan, which, considering America's high credit, could easily be issued at 3 percent interest, being covered by the tribute. The proceeds of the loan could be divided, say, one-third to Cuba and two-thirds to Spain, and thus both be rescued from financial distress and an honorable peace secured advantageous to both America and Spain."

"If a Little Time."

London, April 7.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: "I am able to assert that, in the opinion of more than one European government, a peaceable settlement on the basis of Spanish concessions could easily be secured if a little time were allowed for reflection and discussion; but the rapidity of events at Washington is the most dangerous element of the situation. It is questionable whether the Cubans are ripe for independence, and whether such a measure could possibly be executed in a hurry."

How often you see a man deeply engrossed in his work, full of satisfaction at what he has accomplished in business, ready to go ahead and carry out boundless schemes of achievement, and using up all his strength and nervous force, never pausing to think what unseen danger may threaten him from behind. Mighty few hard-working men ever stop to realize that the headaches and dizzy sensations and feelings of weakness and sluggishness and incapacity that overcome them at times are the forerunners of serious disease.



More men would succeed in carrying out their life purposes if they would put their constitutions in strong, forceful, high condition, without waiting until disease has plunged its axe into their vital organs. If a man who is using up his working vitality faster than his nutritive powers supply it, will use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery as an adjunct to his daily meals, it will give the digestive organs power to take hold of the food and extract from it the elements which strengthen the vital organism and build up healthy blood.

It revitalizes every organ and tissue of the body; purges bilious poisons out of the circulation; invigorates the nerve centers and the muscular system and makes a man altogether a man—full of ambition, energy and pluck.

Mr. Jos. Henderson Dirblun, of 544 Josephine Street, New Orleans, La., writes to Dr. Pierce: "I was ailing for some years, suffering from dyspepsia, a tired feeling and loss of energy and appetite. I tried one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and found great relief. I took two more bottles, three in all, and one or two bottles of the 'Pellets,' when I found myself in good health again. I recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to do all that it is claimed to do."

In many cases where constipation is one of the aggravating causes of disease, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be used in conjunction with the "Discovery." They are the simplest and most perfectly natural laxative ever invented.

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Feb. 26. tf

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 7.—The act relating to fraternal beneficiary associations provoked a good deal of discussion in the house yesterday, but was finally passed with but minor amendments, while the adverse report on the petition to compel fire insurance companies to pay full damage if coveted by the policy, remains as unfinished business for today.

The committee on roads and bridges has reported an appropriation of $600,000 for state highways, $400,000 to be spent in 1898; but the whole amount may be contracted for.

A bill was reported by the labor committee to prohibit deductions in the wages of women and minors who are paid by the day or hour, employed in manufacturing or mechanical establishments, for time during which machinery stopped, provided that the women and minors are confined in the establishments. The penalty is from $20 to $50.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, APRIL 8.
Sun rises—5:15; sets, 6:18.
Moon rises—9:01 p. m.
High tide—12 noon; 12:15 night.

In New England it now seems certain to continue fair the remainder of the week, with rising tmperature and winds becoming southwesterly after today.

P. Webber, of Danvers, Mass., writes us Nov. 5, 1895: "For two years I suffered torments with an aggravated case of rheumatism in my knee. Neither regular physicians, specialists, nor advertised remedies did me any good. Finally

MuscleOil

was suggested to me by a friend; the result was marvellous; two bottles

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QUINCY.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James Shea to Arthur Coughlin, dated September 1, 1872, and recorded in Norfolk Deeds, Book 461, page 86, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on MONDAY, April 18, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the property described in said mortgage, namely:

All the right, title and interest which said Shea had in and to a certain lot of land lying on a private way in Quincy, Massachusetts, on lot of land leased to said Shea by the Town of Quincy, bounded on all sides by land of said Quincy; said private way running from School street, northerly by residence of Thomas Swithin through the Common, so called, together with the dwelling house thereon standing; being the same finished and built by Amos M. Litchfield, and occupied by said Shea on the date of said mortgage.

Said property will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments and amount due the City of Quincy for lease. One hundred dollars to be paid at the time of sale, balance within ten days upon the delivery of deed.

CATHERINE COUGHLIN,
Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

W. W. Jenness, Att'y,
87 Milk street, Boston.
Quincy, March 23, 1898. 24,31,7

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He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.

Oct. 30. tf

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

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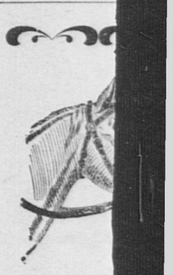
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WHILE THERE'S PEACE THERE'S HOPE

That the Guiding Principle of the President's Disposition.

Looks For Satisfactory Developments by Monday.

Spain's Obtuseness to Result In Immediate Action by the Fleet.

Return of General Lee From Havana—First Act of an Overt Nature Preceding Formal Opening of Hostilities—Powers of Europe Doing Their Utmost In Madrid to Preserve the Peace—Senators at Odds on Best Program—Exciting Disputation In the Lower Branch of the Congress.

Washington, April 8.—Today the diplomatic and financial screws are to be turned upon the Madrid government as never before in the hope that, now that the president has made it evident that the decision for peace or war rests with Spain, the queen regent, under the promised maintenance of her dynasty, may force the concession of a promise of Cuban freedom, which is the only thing our government will accept.

The hope that Spain will yield grows fainter since the expected announcement of such a concession did not come Thursday. On the principle that while there is life there is hope, President McKinley, hoping against hope, still trusts that Easter Sunday will bring peace. If not, Easter Monday will bring the beginning of war, for the president's message will go into congress then. If Spain does not yield, he hopes to have the fleets in motion for Cuba and Porto Rico by the end of next week.

All this was communicated in an unofficial conversation to the ambassadors, following the formal exchange, after the ambassadors had explained that they were not attempting mediation, much less coercion, the British ambassador being especially emphatic on this point, and it has been cabled to their respective foreign offices, so that they realize, as perhaps they have not done before, the determination of our government, and can make it real to the Spanish government.

Probably the most significant, actual step, showing the finality reached by the United States, was the authoritative statement that Consul General Lee would leave Havana tomorrow. This step, it is known, will be regarded by Spain as akin to an overt act preceding war, as it will terminate the medium of official intercourse between the United States and the island. Almost equally important was the ominous tone of press advices from Madrid, where the war fever seemed to have dominated, instead of the concessions, the opening of prison doors, and the other manifestations of peace and good will which Holy Thursday was expected to bring forth, and the more definite announcement of action that would bring peace to Cuba. The heavy guard about Minister Woodford's house, the imperative character of his last note, the war utterances of Minister Correo and the turbulence at the Spanish capital left little hope that peace counsels would prevail. No negotiations are proceeding at Madrid on the part of this government, but the powers of Europe, it is understood, are doing their utmost to persuade the Spanish government to yield and avert war. On the highest authority it can be stated that no instructions have been given as yet to Minister Woodford contemplating his withdrawal, the only step in that direction being the determination that General Lee shall leave Havana on Saturday.

The note of the European powers, in the opinion of members of the administration, has not changed the situation in the slightest degree. What pressure was brought to bear to secure even this mildly expressed hope that further negotiations would result in the maintenance of peace is not known, but it is confidently believed that it is the result of persistent appeals on the part of Spain for some expression in favor of peace between the two countries. The note is not regarded in any sense as a protest against the course this government has pursued thus far, or is likely to adopt to secure a stable government in Cuba. Some of the governments represented in the note are known to be in full accord with this government in its purposes with respect to the Cuban question, and therefore any theory that the note was intended as a remonstrance is not regarded as tenable. The reply of this government, which had previously been read and approved by members of the cabinet, is not considered as indicating any change in the fixed purpose of the president to intervene at once in Cuba, nor is it believed that it was the expectation of a majority of the foreign representatives present that the United States should change its policy, or treat the joint note as other than an expression in behalf of peace and without special significance. So far as known in administration circles no further representations on this subject are expected. No offer of mediation on the part of any European power has been received, and there is high authority for the statement that none would be accepted if proffered. This has been the fixed policy of the government from the first, and there is no prospect of a change in this regard.

At the embassies and legations the presentation of the joint note of the powers was viewed as the event of the day. An ambassador from one of the great powers of continental Europe state that it was without a parallel in history; that it was the first and the only time that the six great nations of Europe, representing in the aggregate the power of civilization, had united in this solemn manner to secure the peace of the world. It was, this high authority stated, a movement historical in character and one fitting to occur on the advent of the 20th century. The response of the president created a most favorable impression in foreign quarters. It was looked upon, to some extent, as a counter-appeal to the great powers for their co-operation in the cause of humanity against the intolerable condition of affairs in Cuba. In some quarters there was a disposition to read between the lines, and to give the answer a suggestive character beyond the mild phrases adopted. This was not the generally accepted view, however. The favorable manner of its reception was looked upon as a wise move at this critical juncture, for, without rejecting as an intrusion these foreign suggestions, they were so received as to give the greatest promise of sympathy rather than opposition from the most powerful joint influences in the world.

The opinion in the senate and house is that war must come. Even the most optimistic of the conservative senators have given up hope of a peaceful settlement. A great deal of consideration is given by senators and representatives to the form of action. On this point there is a wide divergence of opinion, but it has assumed two distinct propositions. One is the recognition of independence of the island, coupled with intervention; the other a declaration that Cuba should be free, the desire on the part of those favoring the latter plan being to avoid recognizing the insurgents and their government or any government until after the United States has control of the island. The latter plan is said to be that of the president, and efforts are being made to have it adopted so that there may be no division between the executive and legislative branches of the government. Fear is expressed that there may be a long debate in the senate if some compromise is not agreed upon before the committee on foreign relations makes its report.

Conservative senators are devoting themselves especially to formulating a resolution upon which a general agreement can be secured. All appear willing to concede the necessity for intervention, but there is a persistent opposition to the recognition of the Cubans. Some who take this position have manifested a willingness to yield the one point of expressing the opinion that the people of Cuba should be free, but they have taken a decided stand against the recognition of the government by the insurgents, which is, they contend, a decidedly mythical and unsubstantial institution so far as the people of the United States are informed. Their opposition has settled upon the second of the declarations of Mr. Foraker, "that the government of the United States hereby recognizes the republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that island."

Most of the conservatives announce themselves willing to accept a sa compromise, "that the people of the island of Cuba are, and of right ought to be, free and independent." They claim that to recognize the present government would be establishing a bad precedent, and that it is far preferable to declare for the right of freedom and leave to the president the duty of recognizing whatsoever government he shall see proper after the Spaniards shall have been driven from the island.

The advocates of the recognition of independence will oppose the change proposed in the Foraker resolution, and the plan to decide the question behind closed doors. They claim to have a majority of at least 12 for recognition.

THE LION AROUSED.

House Spokesman of the Administration Resented Gross Insinuations.

Washington, April 8.—While the committee of the whole of the house was discussing the bill to reorganize the army, Mr. Sulzer of New York declared that the majority in congress and the president little understood the intense feeling of indignation among the people over the Maine affair and the delay in calling Spain to account. "Oh, for one day of Andrew Jackson in the White House," he concluded. "He would say: 'Onward the fleet, forward the whole line and let the battle cry be: "Cuba must be free.'"

Mr. Lentz, a Democratic representative from Ohio, amazed his colleagues and the galleries by the boldness of his insinuations. "Wednesday," he said,

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MISS MATHER DEAD.

Collapsed During a Performance and Died In Convulsions.

Charleston, W. Va., April 8.—Margaret Mather, the actress, died here yesterday. While playing the cave scene in the fourth act of "Cymbeline" in this city Wednesday night she collapsed and was carried off the stage in an unconscious condition.

She never regained consciousness, and died Thursday in convulsions caused by acute bright's disease. Miss Mather's parents live in Detroit.



MRS. PABST (NEE MARGARET MATHER).

Margaret Mather was christened Margaret Finlayson. She was born in 1862, and her father, John Finlayson, is still living in Detroit. Margaret passed her childhood among squalid surroundings not in any way tending to divert her attention toward the stage. After she left home a half-grown girl, she engaged as dish-washer in the Russell House. Having a chance some time later to join a barn-storming troupe, she availed herself of it, with the result that in 1880, while in New York, she attracted the attention of Manager James Hill, who persuaded her to take a course in a training school. After two years of study of the part of Juliet she made her debut in that character at McVickar's theater, Chicago, in 1882. Miss Mather had been twice married, her first husband being Emil Haberkorn, an orchestra leader. She was divorced from him and shortly afterwards she married a son of Pabst, the Milwaukee brewer, from whom she was also divorced.

BOOTH IN BOSTON.

Head of the Salvation Army Welcomed by the Mayor.

Boston, April 8.—General Booth was royally welcomed upon his arrival from Rochester, N. Y. There were over 600 members of the army in uniform at the Boston and Albany station when the train rolled in, while not a few of those present were from different parts of New England. General Booth was personally welcomed by Mayor Quincy in behalf of the city, and in the speeches which followed the general spoke of the threatened war between the United States and Spain. He pleaded for a humane settlement of the present difficulties, and desired that all officers and soldiers of the army should unite in special prayer that God in his infinite mercy may cause the awful sufferings of the Cubans to cease without recourse to the terrible arbitration of war.

Arthur W. Robinson, chairman of the Massachusetts division racing board, in order that the racing interests of the state may be properly looked after, has divided the state into districts and assigned certain counties to each member of the board. The assignments are as follows: Arthur O. Knight of Worcester, Franklin and Worcester counties; John C. Kerrison of Revere, Suffolk, Essex, Middlesex and Norfolk; Horace A. Keith of Brockton, Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes, Nantucket and Plymouth; F. L. Henkley of Chicopee Falls, Berkshire, Hampden and Hampshire.

An idea has become prevalent that in the event of hostilities the Massachusetts nautical training school would suspend its operations, in consequence of the United States naval officers being withdrawn from the Enterprise for active service. But this is not the case, as arrangements will be made by the commissioners for the continuance of the school in any contingency.

Several days have passed since the Russell murder, and still the affair is as much a mystery as ever. More than one clue has been chased down, but all the efforts of the police do not throw any light upon the affair.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 8.—The house had a debate on the adverse report of the insurance committee on the bill for the repeal of the co-insurance law. Mr. Dalton argued against substitution, contending that the repeal of the law meant a considerable increase in the fire loss of the state and the prevention of low rates by the companies. The report was not concurred in.

The committee on the judiciary reported a bill to give the presiding justices of courts discretion to exclude therefrom all persons not directly interested, except jurors and officers, when the evidence is of such a character that its publication would be indecent; also a bill defining the crime of larceny and providing hereby that larceny shall include the crimes now known as larceny, embezzlement and theft.

Senator Putnam of Middlesex, in discussing the annual appropriation for the dipsomaniac hospital at Foxboro, confessed that after last Friday's debate he went to Foxboro. He admitted that after looking the place over, under the guidance of the assistant superintendent, who seemed a capable and faithful man, he concluded that he would like to stay there a few weeks, but he thought the work too expensive. It cost $20,000 for attendance, and only $24,000 at Bridgewater, where there were 1100 inmates. The amendment to reduce the sum to the original appropriation, $20,000, was rejected, 23 to 12, and the bill was engrossed.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	36	44	40
Monday	45	51	57
Tuesday	38	52	59
Wednesday	38	56	71
Thursday	49	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
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New Advertisements Today.

Geo. W. Jones—Gents' furnishings, etc.
Quincy Music Hall—Lecture.
Quincy Clothing Co.
L. M. Pratt & Co.—Provisions.
Thomas Crane Public Library—Catalogues.
R. D. Chase—Houses for sale.
Breastpin lost.

Features of the Saturday Eight-Page Ledger

Easter programmes of Quincy churches continued from today.
An Easter song in verse.
Easter bonnets, illustrated.
The Easter hare myth, or the mythology of the nations respecting the rabbit and the moon. (illustrated)
A fashion plate from the current issue of Harper's bazar.
An interesting story complete.
A bicycle column.
Illustrated humor.
An Athletic column.
Social Realm.
Christian Endeavor Column.
Sunday Services.
Latest Telegraphic News.
All the Local News.

Getting Under Way.

The regular monthly meeting of the House Committee of the Quincy Yacht club was held at the Adams building, on Thursday evening.

Commodore Rice and Vice-Commodore Davis were authorized to hire the club janitor for the ensuing season.

Mr. Charles W. Hall, the secretary of the Committee, was authorized to purchase the supplies for the ensuing season.

The committee issued an order instructing the janitor to fire the morning and sunset gun during the time the clubhouse is in commission.

The committee have fixed these dates for the club hops—June 29, July 11 and 29, and August 26.

Mr. T. Howland Jones, the architect of the new portico on the Quincy Yacht club's house, is now a ork on plans for the proposed new lockers for the club.

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QUINCY MUSIC HALL

A. G. DURGIN, - - Manager.

Friday Ev'ng, Apr. 15

Doors open 7.15. Lecture begins at 8.

COL. ROBERT G. INGERSOLL.

SUBJECT:

"WHY I AM AN AGNOSTIC."

Tickets now on sale, Durgin's Drug Store, 35c., 50c., 75c., $1.00.

Tickets ordered by mail will be reserved in the order received.

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QUINCY MUSIC HALL,

Saturday Evening, Apr. 9

Return Engagement of

THE OLLIE TORBETT CONCERT CO.

The grand Swedish Musical organization which gave a very fine concert in this city last year.

MISS OLLIE TORBETT, Violinist,
MISS LUCIE E. MAWSON, Pianist,
LUTTEMAN QUINTETTE.

Tickets for sale by C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot, and at door.

Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8.

April 2. 6t

GEO. L. GILL LODGE.

Instituted Under Very Auspicious Circumstances.

Memory of Ancient Odd Fellow Perpetuated.

Many Visitors Witness the Work of Initiation.

Odd Fellowship strengthened its foothold in Quincy on Thursday when George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, No. 146, was instituted by the grand officers under very flourishing circumstances. There is now in the city an encampment, two lodges and now two Rebekah lodges.

The name of the new lodge is a most appropriate one. Brother Gill was a most respected citizen of Quincy during his life, being for many years the treasurer of the Savings Bank and Town Clerk. He was an Odd Fellow fifty years ago and always exemplified the tenets of the noble order during his life. He was a charter member of Mt. Wollaston lodge, No. 80, when it was reinstituted in 1884, and in many ways endeared himself to the brothers.

The institution was at 4 P. M. and the initiation of candidates at 7.45. The ceremonies of organizations were by the following grand officers of Massachusetts:

John Corkhill, Grand Master.
Charles Q. Tirrell Deputy Grand Master.
N. J. W. Fish, Grand Junior Warden.
John U. Perkins Grand Secretary.
Geo. H. Fuller, Assistant Grand Secretary.
Julius L. Clark. Grand Treasurer.
Austin S. Esty, Grand Representative.
Chas. L. Young, Grand Marshall.
Joseph York, Grand Inpector
C. N. Bucknell, Grand Herald.

The new officers:
Noble Grand,—Lizzie A. Monk.
Vice Grand,—Mary Westland.
Secretary,—Adeline Young
Financial Secretary,—M. Jennie Davis.
Treasurer,—M. Lizzie Furnald.
Chaplain,—Idella I. Savage.
Warden,—Hattie A. Rand.
Conductor,—Annie L. Craig.
Outside Guardian,—Susie L. Gragg.
Inside Guardian,—Kate Hayden.
R. S. N. G.,—A. W. Stetson,
L. S. N. G,—Mary F. Dexter.
R S. V. G.,—Dora E. Good.
L. S. V. G.,—Ellen R. Prout.
Trustees,—N. B. Furnald, A. W. Stetson, Annie L. Craig.

The grand officers were tendered a banquet at The Greenleaf after the ceremonies of institution, while the lodge and visitors enjoyed a collation at the lodge rooms.

In the evening fully 350 members of the Rebekah degree were present at the initiation of the 89 candidates, the lodges of Wollaston, Milton, Neponset, Boston, Braintree, Weymouth, Brockand others from a greater distance being present. All were pleased with the work of Grand Instructor York and his assistants.

The following are the charter members of the lodge:

Napoleon B. Furnald
Edward B. Souther
Frank W. Folsom
Edward B. Brown
Edward L. Goodridge
Walter H. Cobb
Arthur W. Stetson
Horace W. Totman
John E. Manhire
Benjamin F. Linton
Ernest C. Marshall
John G. Thomas
M. Lizzie Furnald
Elizabeth F. Furnald
M. Jennie Davis
Anna J. Blaisdell
Mary F. Dexter
Susie L. Gragg
Katie A. Prout
Lydia A. Totman
Beatrice M. Porterfield
Ellen R. Prout
Annie P. Walters
Mary Manhire
Elizabeth L. De Forest
Adeline E. Young
Mary Westland
Idella I. Savage
Hattie A. Rand
Lizzie A. Monk.

The candidates admitted by card and initiated were:

George Ames, Alice S Ames, Emma Lark, Costilla Hawes, Mabel Ellis, C Melissa McCormick, Emily A Pierce, Mary J Field, Avilda M. Nutting, Elizabeth Laury, Susie A Furnald, Carrie L Bliss, Mary A Mitten, Hanna Sandberg, C J Sommers, Charles H Hayden, Grace L Spear, Margaret N Gillis.

Fred S Crowell, Jennie S Crowell, Griffith P Roberts, Archie F McLeod, Henry P Kittredge, Charles H Brooks, Flory B Gould, John W Nash, Henry A Willey Lydia C Willey, John Richards, Florence A Richards, William Westland, Edward C Hayden, Kate A Hayden, E Frank Mitchell, Sadie J Mitchell, George H Cameron, L Laura Cameron, Richard Prout, Newman A Savage, William Patterson.

Everett F Pollard, John W Hall, Alfred A Dell, Lizzie J Dell, Arthur W Woodward, Mary J Woodward, John H Gillis, Jane A L Gillis, Henry L Kincaide, Thomas Swithin, T Walter Good, Charles A Grindell, Julia A Grindell, John R Walters, James W Young, Wilson E Dewhurst, Addie T Dewhurst.

James McConnell, Carrie E McConnell, Aubrey R Keith, Charles M Jenness, William Bassett, James Cragg, Annie L Cragg, Laurie A Houghton, Lillian E Burke, Mary A Manhire, Lena A Manhire, Inez I Nutting, Rebecca A Burke, Agnes R Dunston, Ellen T Gragg, Sarah Spargo, Eliza J Pausey, Maggie Robinson, Hattie J Kelley, Sophie E Carlson, Emma J French, Sarah J Brown, Charles E Brown, Joseph W Hayden, Lavina H Hayden, A Theresa Jones, Maggie Booth, Grace E Batson, Mary A Barnes, Phena M Berry, Adah L A Bartlett.

The banner used was kindly loaned by Amana lodge of Wollaston.

Much of the success of the flourishing condition of the new lodge is due to the untiring efforts of Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, who has been ably assisted by Miss Savage, Mr. N. B. Furnald and others, all the work having been done since the first of January.

The new lodge will meet on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month.

Musicale.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Fryer celebrated their first anniversary by a musicale to their friends at their home, 16 Edison street, Thursday evening. About forty attended including well known lovers of music from Boston, Dorchester, Braintree, Weymouth and Quincy.

The first number was a piano solo, "Brahm's Rapsody" by Mr. Morley of Boston. It was rapturously received and his accompaniments were valuable additions to the solos which followed.

Miss Hayes, soprano, of Wollaston, sang a group of songs, the Flower song from Faust, being the opening number.

Miss Helen Allen Hunt, contralto, of Weymouth, responded to three encores and sang the "Bird and the Rose" by special request.

Miss Hastings, soprano, of Quincy, was down for two numbers and for an encore sang the soprano solo "For This" from "The Highwayman."

Miss Redman of Boston, favorite soubrette in amateur opera, gave several character sketches and songs.

There were also solos by Miss Horne of Boston, netzo soprano; Mr. Bates, tenor, of Dorchester; Miss Isaacs of Quincy, soprano.

Cake and ices were served. Miss Wilkins poured the coffee.

B. E. H. Benefit.

The annual benefit extended the Boston Emergency Hospital by many of the representative gentlemen of the Commonwealth is slated for the afternoon of Thursday April 14th at the Boston Theatre. An assurance is already at hand that the entertainment will be one of a superior order of merit.

The Boston Emergency Hospital has become in nearly seven years time one of the State's most popular institutions extending at all times a free and untrammelled medical and surgical service within access to all and without distinction as to race, creed, color, character or condition. There are few persons of Quincy who have not had some special knowledge of the wide scope and aptitude of the hospital's work in the relief and prevention of suffering. It is claimed by its friends that no institution in Massachusetts has accomplished one tithe of the actual service for the working people of Quincy as has the Emergency. Here is truly an opportunity to make return for those who have had occasion to accept the kind offices of the hospital and its surgeons.

An especial feature of the entertainment will be the presentation of a miniature melodrama "The Princess Matilda" written by Mr. Edward H. Clement, Editor of the Boston Transcript. The many friends of Mr. Clement will be pleased to learn that a company of professionals of unusual excellence has been secured for the production of his play and an asurance is already at hand that a rare dramatic treat is in store for all those who are fortunate enough to attend the Benefit.

Christian Endeavor.

The Christian Endeavor society of the First United Presbyterian church held its annual meeting Thursday evening. Six members were received and the following officers were chosen:

President,—Miss Maggie Gilles.
Vice President,—Malcolm McKenzie.
Recording Secretary,—John R. Kerr.
Corresponding Secretary,—Mary Harper
Treasurer,—Katie Blue.

This society has fifty members at the present time and is doing good work in this city.

Are you a regular reader of the Ledger?

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The Sewer Commissioners met Thursday evening. There was no special business to be acted upon, the evening being spent in a general talk on matters pertaining to the sewer.

The Managers of Public Burial Places met Thursday evening. The principal matter of business acted upon was the adoption of a form of deed for perpetual care of lots at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

John T. Larkin the newly appointed permanent patrolman, will commence his duties Saturday night.

The Assessors held their weekly meeting this morning without Principal Assessor Perkins who had been summoned to the Superior court in Boston as a witness.

Men's Meeting.

Mr. B. F. Pierce, the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Brockton, will address the men's meeting of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Mr. Pierce, it will be remembered recently headed the campaign for a 1000 members to the organization and is now actively engaged in raising funds for that magnificent building to be erected in Brockton for the work of the Association. Mr. Lester Gardner of Boston will sing. All men are very cordially invited to attend this service.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at civil session of the District court next Tuesday:

42—Thorpe vs. Phillips tr.
60—Piravano vs. Ferrari et. al.
71—Anderson vs. Grant.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

New Catalogues for a Dime.

A new Catalogue of all prose fiction in the Library on Jan. 1, 1898, has just been issued by the Trustees. It is a book of 136 pages, with books indexed by authors and by titles. There is also an index of short stories, and an annotated list of historical fiction arranged alphabetically, and under the larger countries, chronologically. French fiction takes two full pages. The Catalogues will be sold at 10 and 20 cents, according to the binding, and may be obtained of the Librarian.

Per order of the Trustees.

Quincy, April 8, 1898. 6t 9-3w

WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

ON and after this date all applicants for service connections must deposit the sum of $10.00 with the City Treasurer before work is commenced. Any amount due the Water Department in addition to this amount must be paid before the water will be turned on.

Per order of the Water Commissioners.

H. O. FAIRBANKS,
CHAS. T. BAKER,
LUTHER S. ANDERSON.

April 1. 6t

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

There are still some good seats left for the pageant.

More Easter programmes will be given tomorrow.

Miss Julie M. Page is visiting at West Somerville.

Harry Sherburn has returned from his visit in Maine.

R. D. Chase advertises attractive new houses for sale.

Will there be a new jewelry store in town some day? Some day.

A new baker shop is to be opened in Quincy near the court room.

The office of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company is being painted.

St. Mary's C. T. A. are arranging for a grand coffee party to be held at St. Mary's hall.

Mr. Harry Blanchard of Edison stret has been confined to his home since Monday with a bad cold.

Some of those who took part in the Queen of Fame are to take part in the pageant next week at Music hall.

Rev. E. W. Preble has been confined to the house most of the week but hopes to be in his pulpit on Sunday.

Mr. Bert Sheppard of River street, Quincy Point, has accepted a position with the Quincy & Boston street railway as motorman.

Mrs. V. Mayer of Beach street Wollaston Park, is visiting Mr. Mayer's mother in Cincinnati, Ohio. She intends to remain about three months.

Alfred Martell who received a compound fracture of the leg in the runaway accident Monday, is reported as doing as well as could be expected.

Last Sunday at the Methodist church, Atlantic, the pastor presented a statement of the finances to the congregation and in a few minutes raised one hundred and twelve dollars, which enables the society to close their year with bills all paid.

Burto comique juggler is playing an engagement at the Howard theatre Boston this week. Mr. Burto whose Quincy name is Burton Halbert has signed with J. W. Gorman for his N. E. Park circuit and opens about the first of June for 20 weeks.

Mr. Davies B. Mason, who some twenty years ago was connected with the grocery business in Atlantic, died quite suddenly this week at his home in Whitman.. At the time of his residence in Atlantic he was one of the most popular and best known men in the place.

Wednesday evening the ladies of the Methodist society of Atlantic, held their monthly supper and social. After the supper Mr. Wright was presented with an elegant bouquet and cake, as a slight appreciation of what he has accomplished. The cake was an elaborate gift from Mrs. John Ramsdell.

Mr. Samuel M. King, the well known tenor singer of Wollason, has accepted an engagement to sing at a church in Nahant during the summer months. Nahant is the famous summer resort for millionaires and music is a special feature at the church at which they worship, and the selection of Mr. King as one of the choir is further evidence of his ability as a vocalist.

THE RELIABLE, SELF RAISING Prepared Flour,

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We are ready with the best assortment of Spring Clothing Quincy has ever seen. History tells us that clothing was worn as far back as the middle ages. Some of those middle aged suits are still worn, and some stores have them on sale yet, and that's no joke, either.

We are selling goods at less profit than any store in this city. You can buy this year's suits (1898 suits) of us for less money than the slaughter people will ask you for 1894 chestnuts. We never mark goods down. We mark them so they will sell when they ought to.

Come and give us a call. Look around and make yourself at home. We don't jump a-straddle of a fellow as soon as he gets well in the store and importune him to buy. If you want to look, of course we'll be glad to show you, and nine times out of ten we'll sell you. But we won't swell up and look ugly if you do not buy. Oh, no, we never lose our politeness because we miss a sale. We can't expect to sell all. But we have some bargains in clothing and hats that won't miss many.

We have a working pant for $1.48 that cannot be beat for $2.00. We have neat, all worsted dress pants for $2.98. Nobby suits, in Scotches, serges and worsteds from $6.50 upwards.

Young men's tailored spring coats for $4.48, $7.50, $9.98, $12.00 and upwards to $16.50. If we sell you once we will always sell you, and your friends will follow you. Your money back if you want it.

Quincy Clothing Co.,

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We like it, the more there is, the more buyers there are looking around our city.

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If you are after SHOES,
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Or in want of a HAT,

COMPARE OUR STYLES,
COMPARE THE QUALITY,
COMPARE OUR PRICES,

And we feel sure you will not go away empty handed.

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Adams Building, Quincy.

Isn't He a Fool

To go out with his shovel and hoe, with the ground all covered with snow,

To Plant Peas?

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Quincy, April 6. tf

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April 4. lp tf

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Try us for your stove repairs and linings.

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Dec. 22. aug.25ly

THE EASTER SEASON

Special Programmes in Most of the Churches.

Music Will be the Prominent Feature.

Easter Sermons by Pastors and Concerts by Children.

It will be seen by the following programme that elaborate preparations have been made for Easter. For want of room several are laid over until tomorrow. Pastors, musical directors and superintendents who have not forwarded their programmes will please do so.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

At Bethany Congregational church the following usual programme will be rendered by the regular choir assisted by Mr. Lester Gardner of Boston Easter morning:

Organ Prelude, "Hymn to St. Cecelia" Gounod
Anthem, "Break forth into Joy" Barnby
Chorus.
Bass Solo, "Resurection morn" Rodney
Mr. Hayden.
Duet for two sopranos, "I waited for the Lord." Mendelssohn
Anthem, "Easter Dawn" Dressler
Chorus.
Tenor Solo, "The Lord is risen" Sullivan
Mr. Gardner.
Anthem "Te Deumin E flat" Buck
Chorus.
Soprano Solo, "Angels roll the rock away." Hawley
Postlude, "Triumphal march" Lenimens.

FIRST CHURCH.

The musical programme for vespers Easter Sunday at the Unitarian church is as follows:

"Awake up my Glory," Barnby
"Awake Thou that sleepest," Maker
"The world itself keeps Easter day," Buffinton
"Easter Day," Rowley
"When the evening shadows," Coombs
Solo, "Light of the world" Watson

The subject of the pastor's sermon in the morning will be "The endless life." An Easter vesper at 4 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

At the Universalist church the regular morning service and the children's service will be combined to take place at 10. 30, with the following Easter music:

Anthem, "Christ our Passover" F. Schilling
Choir
Anthem, "The Easter Bells are chiming" Loud
Choir
Solo, "The Glad Easter" Lynnes
Mr. G. H. Sampson
Solo, "White Robes" Miss Belle Littlehale
Concert piece, "Easter Joy" George Hugg
Sunday School and Choir
Director, Herbert Fay Nye
Organist, Miss Clara E. Beals

SWEDISH LUTHERANS.

Easter Sunday will be observed at the Swedish Lutheran church with special music by the choir and a special sermon bearing on the day by the pastor. There will be two services, one at 10.30 A. M., and the other at 7.30 P. M. The church will be elaborately decorated for the occasion.

PRESBYTERIAN.

At the First Presbyterian church, Water street, there will be Easter anthems and hymns by choir and congregation. The pastor's morning sermon will be on "The Women at the Tomb." Evening "Three years in The Life; or The Carpenter of Nazareth and the Risen Redemer."

QUINCY POINT.

Rev. George Howard Studley will preach at the Washington Street Congregational church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and a good Easter sermon may be expected. In the evening at 7.15 there will be an Easter concert by the Sunday School.

PARK AND DOWNS.

The park and Downs Union Congregational society of which Rev. F. J. Knight is pastor, has arranged special Easter music for the morning service at 10.45, including:

St. Gertrude, Arthur S. Sullivan
Response,
Hymn, H. Smart
Easter Hymn, "Christ the Lord is risen today"
Quartette, "He is Risen" Caleb Simper
C. Jeffereys
Quartette,—Easter Anthem, "Christ the Lord is risen today" Paul Ambrose.

The Sunday school will meet at 12 M. At six o'clock in the evening the Sunday School will give an Easter concert entitled, "The Birthday of Hope," with appropriate Easter music.

METHODIST, ATLANTIC.

The quartette of the Atlantic Methodist church will render special Easter music at the Sunday morning service, including, "As it began to dawn" by Vincent, and "Oh clap your hands together, all ye people" by Hayden. Rev. H. C. Wright, the pastor will preach an Easter sermon.

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Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tt

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

There will be an Easter Sunday School concert at the Wollaston Congregational church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Edward Norton, Superintendent Nickerson and others.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM, WOLLASTON.

Services will be held on Easter day at 7 and 10. 45 A. M. and 4 P. M. The musical programme for the holy communion at 7 A. M. will be:

Processional, Hymn 109
"Welcome Happy Morning" Sullivan
"Christ Our Passover," Ouseley
"Te Deum," Barnby in D
"Jubilate" Deo," Oxford Chant
Introit, Hymn 110,
Come ye faithful raise the strain, Sullivan
"Kyrie Eleison," Mendelssohn
"Gloria Tibi," Monk
Hymn 180,
"Who are these in bright array," Haydn
Offertory Anthem, Cook
"Why seek ye the living among the dead,"
"Sursum Corda and Sanctus," J. Camidge
Hymn 225
"Bread of the world," Hodges
"Agnus Dei," Gounod
"Gloria in Excelsis," Zeuner
Recessional, Hymn 115,
"The day of Resurection" Tours

At the 10.40 prayer there will be a sermon and holy communion. At the evening service, 4 o'clock, choral evensong and carols, also Infant Baptism.

BAPTIST CHURCH, WOLLASTON.

The music for the Easter service at at the Wollaston Baptist church on Sunday morning at 10.45 will include:

Organ Prelude,
Anthem, "As it began to dawn" Coombs
Quartette, "Tombs, thou shalt not hold Him longer" Vogrich
Solo, "I will extol thee" Casta
Mrs. F. A. Page.
Quartette, "The Choir Angelic" Hanscom

A vesper service and Sunday School Easter concert will be held at 4 o'clock, with the following music:

"The Day of Resurrection," } Smart
"Christ the Lord is risen today," }
Carols by Sunday School.
"Now all the bells are ringing," Nevin
"Now when Jesus was risen early," Lynes
"Easter Day," Hansen
Violin obligarto by Mr. Moorhouse, and harp obligarto on piano by Miss Olney.
Chorus selections.
Duet, "Lift your glad voices" Schnecker
Mrs. Page and Mr. Bullock.

CONGREGATIONAL, WOLLASTON.

The Easter musical programme on morning service will be:

"God hath appointed a day," Tours
"Christ our Passover," Schnecker
"Ye bells of Easter Day," Dressler
"I will mention the loving kindnesses," Sullivan
"The Magdalene," Warren

At the evening service the music will include:
"Love divine all love excelling," by Nicolai; and carols by Sunday School children.
Organist, Miss Ada Hinkley
Soprano, Miss Mary V. Hastings
Contralto, Miss Eva Dickey
Base, Robert B. Witham
Tenor and director, Samuel M. King

Other programmes tomorrow.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
mar23-tf G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Supposing that the 20,000,000 women of England shed tears twice a year, the product of the combined weeps would about equal the displacement of a 100-ton yacht.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Ladies, only one day more, and then your Easter bonnet and pretty flowers on it, may be displayed.

It is a rumor that Nathan Ames the plumber is to remove his business from the basement of the Bank building to the vacant store in Adams building.

A team with a white horse strolled away from the owner this morning. It was found after a diligent search in the rear of the plumber shop on Temple street.

Mr. G. W. Jackson of Wollaston Park, on going to his barn Thursday morning found two black and white calves, twins. The mother cow seemed twice glad and Mr. Jackson has no complaint to offer.

The attendance at Thursday night's presentation of the "Queen of Fame" at Faxon hall, under the auspices of the Unity Circle of King's Daughters, was not quite as large as on the previous evening. The presentation was the same as on Wednesday evening with the addition of Mrs. Lillian Stoddard of North Scituate who sang a pleasing solo. The page to the Goddess, little May Murray, and the page to Queen Isabella, little Marion Flowers were accidentally omitted from the list of characters published.

NEW CATALOGUE.

One Issued by Public Library to Sell for a Dime.

A new catalogue of the Thomas Crane Public Library has been needed for several years especially of the fiction which with the periodicals forms the bulk of the business. The trustees announce a dime edition of the fiction in the Library with a more durable binding for twenty cents. At these prices every household can afford to have a catalogue. The English fiction has four indexes—authors titles, short stories and historical. There is also an index of the French fiction which comprises over 150 volumes. The annotated list of historical fiction should be a great help to the student as it is arranged alphabetically, and, under large countries chronologically.

The best of juvenile fiction has been added to the library during the last few years, so that the total list includes the works of Jacob Abbott, H. C. Adams, Walter Aimwell, Louisa M. Alcot, Horatio Alger, Jr., H. C. Anderson, R. M. Ballantyne, Frances H. Burnett, Harry Castlemon, Susan Coolidge, James DeMille, Amanda M. Douglas, E. S. Ellis, Juliana H. Ewing, Martha Finley, Glance Gaylord, G. A. Henty Mary Howitt, Jean Ingelow, Helen Jackson, Elijah Kellogg, W. H. G. Kingston, T. W. Knox, Martha J. Lamb, Maria J. McIntosh, May Mannering, Joanna H. Matthews, Sophie May, Mary L. Molesworth, Kirk Munroe, Dinah Mulock, Oliver Optic, James Otis, Pansy, Rosa A. Parker, Mayne Reid, Laura E. Richards, Adelaide F. Samuels, Susan B. C. Samuels, H. E. Scudder, Margaret Sidney, Mary P. W. Smith, Gordon Stables, C. A. Stephens, W. O. Stoddard, E. T. Tomlinson, J. T. Trowbridge, Louisa C. Tuthill, Anna Warner, Susan Warner, Caroline S. Whitmarsh, Kate D. Wiggin, and a great many others.

There are no nearly 5000 volumes of English fiction in the library. The total circulation of the library for 1897 was 82,574, of which 27,490 was fiction, 19,003 periodicals, 18,264 juvenile fiction, 3,893 arts and sciences, 3,596 general literature, 3,403 history, 2,122 biography, 2,413 travels, 1,528 poetry, 515 religion, and 347 education. It will be noticed that fiction and juvenile fiction constituted over 55 per cent.

Was Appreciated.

Mr. M. T. Sullivan was pleasantly remembered lately by members of Quincy Council No. 96, Knights of Columbus. Mr. Sullivan for the past two years, up to January of this year, has been the grand knight of the council, and during his administration the body grew in numbers and influence. His associates did not forget his many good deeds and decided to present him with some substantial evidence of their esteem. The matter was placed in the hands of Mr. James F. Burke and a few days since the latter gentleman, in his usual pleasant an facetious manner, presented Mr. Sullivan with a solid gold diamond set past grand knight's charm. Brother Sullivan was completely surprised but managed to express his thanks for the magnificent testimonial.

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WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Mr. Merritt Jenkins of North Weymouth, Tufts '01, visited the Harvard Medical school Thursday with Mr. R. E. Bicknell, Harvard Medical, '00.

The Lovell Cycle club will meet at their club rooms in Commercial Square, East Weymouth tonight.

"Kokakkola" rehearsal at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth, tonight.

The fourth private party given by the Wompatrick Encampment, I. O. O. F., will be held at Odd Fellows opera home, East Weymouth, tonight; music, Boyden's singing orchestra of Boston

Fuller will play guard for the East Weymouth polo team, vice Mullen resigned.

The annual meeting for election of officers of the Grand Lodge, Pilgrim Fathers, was held in Boston, Thursday.

The Abigail Smith Chapter, Daughter of the Revolution, held an important meeting at the residence of the regent, Miss Georgia Robbins at North Weymouth, Thursday evening. Several new members were admitted to the chapter.

Some of Weymouth's citizens had a deal of excitement Wednesday over the appearance of a young man, behaving as a tramp, yet whose description tallied almost exactly with that of the escaped murderer of Drug Clerk Russell at the United States Hotel, Boston. Boston officers were notified but the inspectors working the case did not give the Weymouth story much of any weight.

Mrs. Henry B. Raymond is reported as improving from a recent attack of the grip.

Mr. Michael W. White, Harvard Medical school '98, will sing in "Kokakola."

The South Braintree polo team visited East Weymouth Thursday night and played the East Weymouth Substitutes at the rink. Both teams put up a fast and fierce aggressive game all through the three 15 minute periods. The rushing of Carroll for the East Weymouths and Thayer for the South Braintrees was very spirited and scrappy throughout. The Substitutes were defeated by a score of 7-2, in favor of the visitors. The summary:

SOUTH BRAINTREE.		SUBSTITUTES.
Thayer,	Rusher	Dillon,
Simmons,	"	Carroll,
Churchill,	Centre	Cowing,
Waitte, Gage,	Half-Back	White,
Chase,	Guard	Gallant,

Score—South Braintree, 7; East Weymouth Substitutes, 2. Timer—Hollis. Referee—J. Henry Moran.

Great preparations are being made for the Easter services at Trinity church, Weymouth. Special music will be rendered by the choir. The church will be decorated with potted plants and flowers, and the Holy Communion will be administered at the morning service. The children's Easter festival will be held at 7.30 P. M., for which the Sunday School is preparing Easter carols. Rev. William Hyde will preach in the morning on "Christ's Easter greeting," and in the evening the subject will be "The Spirit of Easter." The services will be at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Good Friday service in Trinity church, Weymouth at 7.30 this evening.

Many Societies Represented.

The funeral of Alfonse Reinhalter who was killed in an accident at his quarry at West Quincy Tuesday morning, was held Thursday afternoon from St. Mary's church. The services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Cuff and were largely attended. Previous to the services at the church the following orders of which the deceased was a member, formed in front of his late residence on Willard street and escorted the remains to the church: St. Francis Court of Foresters, Granite lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., and the Knights of Columbus. There was also in line delegates from the Royal Arcanum and the Quincy Granite Manufacturers' Association. After the services at the church the remains were taken to St. Mary's cemetery for burial. There were a number of floral tributes from the several orders.

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LOST—April 3d, from English church to 94 Water street, two gold dollars, made into a breast pin. Valued as a keepsake. Return to 94 Water street. Quincy, April 8—1t

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WANTED—By a lady and gentleman, three unfurnished sunny rooms, a sitting room, two bed rooms, together with the use of bath; also good board. The location must be central. Address W., Ledger office. Quincy, April 6. tf

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Quincy, April 7. 12t

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Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
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WHILE THERE'S PEACE THERE'S HOPE.

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"we had this house filled; the galleries overflowed and the capitol grounds were covered with people, all expecting the president's message, which might lead to war. Finally in the afternoon came word that a telegram had been received from Consul Lee in Havana indicating that he wanted time, and the message was delayed on that account. Now, I don't believe anybody had authority for the statement from the administration or any official that justified the rumor that prevailed here. A telegram by the Associated Press said that all was quiet in Havana, and that General Lee told a correspondent that he had not been requested to leave. The other newspapers, notably the New York Journal, have similar dispatches. If these statements are true, there was nothing to justify the statement sent to the capitol Wednesday. I say there will be no war."

Continuing, he charged that congress was being overwhelmed by the telegrams "dictated by commercial greed," all of which he declared emanated principally from Wall street and Lombard street. "It is the old question of the almighty dollar," said he. "It is the fall of stocks these gentlemen who control the administration fear more than war. They care nothing for 266 assassinated Americans who went down in Havana harbor, but they care everything for 99 cents plus one cent. I say, my friends, that we owe an apology to Judas Iscariot. I say he ought to be brought back and deified. If Judas lived in this age he would not have gone to the potter's field and hanged himself. He would have been sent to the United States senate in due time, such a speculator as he was."

Mr. Lentz read from the New York Journal statements to the effect that the delay in the message helped stock jobbers and that they had advance information. He read from the various stock reports to show that stocks went up all along the line when the news was received that the message would not go to congress.

Mr. Lenz's remarks brought Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, generally regarded as the administration's spokesman, to his feet with an indignant reply, in course of which he made statements which caused a great sensation. "The gentleman from Ohio," said he, "has predicated a long speech here upon a statement of facts made by himself. He declares that no message came from General Lee; that it was a fake report, given out for a corrupt purpose by the president to influence the stock market. Every particle of this statement is without question absolutely false. I call upon the distinguished gentleman from Kentucky (Mr. Berry), a member of the foreign affairs committee, to say whether I tell the truth or not when I say that such a dispatch was received from General Lee and was read by him. There is the answer. That is the character of the sort of assaults that are being made on American honor and the integrity of the president. Not only did the dispatch come Wednesday, but it came in the day before and appealed to the president of the United States. I read the telegram, and there are 20 men on this floor now that read the telegram, both Democrats and Republicans. It was read to the members of the foreign relations committee of the senate, and everyone of them without qualification coincided with the policy of the president not to send the message in here at that time. I say again that on Wednesday a most earnest and urgent protest came from General Lee. Is General Lee at one end of the ticker? How men ever became educated to the idea that all men are corrupt, I leave to your imagination."

Mr. Lentz—"If you knew this Tuesday, why did you let the house and galleries fill up with people and sit here and say nothing about it while Wall street was speculating upon it?"

Mr. Grosvenor—"Wall street was not speculating on it. That story is as false as the other. The president intended to disregard Lee's telegram of Tuesday and had his message signed and sealed and ready to be transmitted to both houses; and Wednesday morning when the final protest in the name of humanity came, it was read before the committees of the two houses and without a dissenting vote they advised the president against sending his message here.

"The gentleman is arraigning the president of the United States; he is sending a message to the enemy showing them that here in this house is a man who will charge the president of the United States with a corrupt purpose, with a corrupt intention, with attempting to stop the progress of the great march of patriotism. There is no word of delay in all the language which has been used in this connection.

"I call the attention of the gentleman and of the house," General Grosvenor continued, "to the statement he made that this was another stock jobbing performance, and that here was another purpose of delay in this declaration from the ambassadors of the great powers so that Wall street would run upward. I hold in my hand the statement that immediately upon the publication of this statement in the city of New York the market became very weak and ran clear down upon every one of the leading articles in the market. It is very easy to charge a senator. The senator (meaning Mr. Hanna) has made a statement, which I challenge any man to deny—that never in his life did he buy a dollar of stock in Wall street or anywhere else."

Mr. McMillan—"Can he say the same thing about votes?"

Mr. Grosvenor went on: "A charge no more serious than the gentleman has preferred has brought the head of many a man to the block. A charge more infamous than that could not be borne by any man in this country. He seeks to make it appear that the president has used the power that congress has given to him to operate upon the stock markets of this country. Prove that, and you would have a vacancy in the presidency as quick as you can establish it. The charges have no truth."

Mr. Lentz—"I have already said to you that I deny that I said anything of the kind."

Mr. Grosvenor—"The administration set the story afloat in the interest of stock speculation.' Those are your exact words. You made a charge that ought to condemn the president to impeachment and imprisonment. I have felt that it was a terrible assault upon the honor and integrity of Spain, what we did on Wednesday, but there was put up in the one hand the choice of insult to Spain, solemnly delivered by the president, an intimation to the whole world that there was danger of murder to American representatives in Cuba, or there was put on the other side the danger itself. Suppose the message had gone to congress and suppose that Wednesday night the blood of that distinguished and chivalrous gentleman from Virginia had soaked the soil of Cuba. What would have been the verdict of the American people against the administration? If there is a man in the house so far forgetful of his dignity as an American citizen as to intimate that the president has been guilty of juggling a thing like that, I will not answer it. I have no more doubt that we shall go to war," Mr. Grosvenor said, "than that I will live until next week. I may be mistaken, I pray God I am, but I believe we shall go to war practically upon the declaration of congress. If it is averted it must be by Spain."

Sharp talk on war was indulged in by the senate yesterday. When consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill was resumed, the question pending was the amendment of Mr. Pettus providing for such improvement of the harbor at Mobile as would enable war vessels to obtain coal and other supplies there. Mr. Allison, in charge of the bill, made a point of order against the amendment. This called out a bitter speech by Mr. Morgan, who charged the appropriations committee with discriminating against proper measures and threatened to assist in dissolving the committee. He followed with an argument showing the necessity of the improvement proposed, holding that it would open to the government in time of war the coal fields of the south and enable it successfully to fight the treasonable monopoly that had been formed to control the coal supply of the country in the event of war. The amendment was lost.

May Sign War Decrees.

London, April 8.—The Mail correspondent in Madrid cables: "Despite the postponement of President McKinley's message to congress the hopes of peace have sunk; and the opening of the national subscription is considered a bad sign. It is announced in official circles that the queen regent will sign at once important decrees in relation to war. Navy department officials, who are generally well informed, declare their strong suspicion that there is something very important behind the curtain, and that this something might be an 11th hour solution. I may point as a very curious and striking fact that the news that President McKinley would at the last moment, if not before, postpone until next Monday sending his message to congress was known here since last Monday.

"During the last three days news, which, however, was received with some scepticism, has been circulated here stating that President McKinley had finally decided to make a stand against the jingoes and to follow President Cleveland's policy with the support of Mr. Cleveland, the latter's friends and the peace loving elements of the United States. Another important point has been as to what concessions Mr. McKinley would ask from Spain in order to calm American opinion."

A Complication Likely.

Washington, April 8.—Germany is apparently about to interfere directly in Cuba by trying to punish the insurgents for the outrage on Germans and German property at Cannamaba, and, if she does, it will complicate matters for the United States.

Given New Assignments.

Washington, April 8.—Two of the officers of the ill-fated battleship Maine have been given new assignments. Chaplain Chidwick, who was untiring in his devotion to the men of the vessel, has been assigned to the Cincinnati, which is



JOHN P. CHIDWICK.

now with Captain Sampson's North Atlantic squadron. Lieutenant G. P. Blow, who had been ordered to the Mayflower, has been detached from that vessel and has been given a promotion, being assigned to the command of a tug recently acquired by the government by purchase.

Navy and Army.

Washington, April 8.—Maine, New Hampshire, Alabama and Texas are taking preliminary steps for the formation of a naval militia.

An order has been issued establishing the rating of chief electricians and electricians of the first and second classes, the pay being $50, $40 and $35 per month, respectively.

In the war department, matters have assumed a normal condition, everything being in readiness for any conditions which may arise. Reports received show that up to this time there have been recruited 900 men of the 1600 needed to fill the two regiments of artillery.

Had Reached the Limit.

London, April 8.—The ambassadors of France, Germany, Russia and Italy waited last evening upon Mr. Gullon, the foreign minister, and presented a joint note in the interests of peace. Mr. Cullon declared that the members of the Spanish cabinet were unanimous in considering that Spain had reached "the limit of international policy in the direction of conceding the demands and allowing the pretensions of the United States."

Draft Order Issued.

Havana, April 8.—Spain is calling out every fighting man in Cuba for war with the United States. The order for the long-expected military draft was issued Wednesday morning by Captain General Blanco, after a council of war at the palace with the generals of divisions.

A copy of the order has been sent to every town in Cuba. It commands every male Spanish subject between the ages of 19 and 40 to register for immediate military duty at the office of the commandant of the district. The place of registration in Havana is at the military palace, the residence of General Parrado and Dr. Congosto. The utmost secrecy has been maintained in everything connected with the order. It is not mentioned in The Gazette, the official receptacle of everything that emanates from the palace.

Cuban sympathizers in Havana are jubilant over the draft. They say it only shows to what straits Spain has been reduced. The great majority of the men who will be compelled to serve under the Spanish flag are Cubans, whose sympathies are with the insurgents.

Junta's "Don Quixotes."

Washington, April 8.—The course of Mr. Quesada and Mr. Rubens in declaring the unalterable opposition of the junta to the policy of intervention without preliminary recognition of their own peculiar faction has had a precisely contrary effect to what was intended. The threat to antagonize by force the effort of the United States to obtain Cuban freedom has tended to destroy sympathy for their cause, and leads to the conviction that they are actuated by a desire for personal aggrandizement.

They will not be permitted to stand in the way of the determination of the United States to settle this question as it sees fit. The lesson will be taught them that in intervening the American government is more concerned in putting an end to a condition which constantly imperils its own interests and its own peace, as in settling the question of political supremacy.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Banks in Oswego, Kansas, have been victimized out of sums aggregating $1400 by someone styling himself Charles H. Brinn or Charles Bentley, with drafts on Goldsmith & Kalb of Lima, O.

Edward A. Duff, who murdered his wife and mother-in-law in New Haven, was sentenced to life imprisonment. He was held to be mentally unsound and was allowed to plead guilty to second degree murder.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, APRIL 8.
Sun rises—5:15; sets, 6:19.
Moon rises—10:16 p. m.
High water—12:30 a. m.; 1 p. m.

The pleasant weather now seems certain to continue through Saturday and probably Sunday, with gradually rising temperature and west to southwest winds.

NEW MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

A Positive Cure for Dyspepsia.

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong because it is generaly thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable, or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable nor is it such a difficult matter as it first appears.

The trouble with Dyspeptics is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to opposite extremes or else deluging the already over burdened stomach with "bitters," "aftedinner pills," etc., which invariably increase the difficulty even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is a rest. Now how can the stomach becomes rested, recuperated and at the same time the body nourished and sustained.

This is the great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dypepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy, but its success and popularity leaves no doubt as to its merits.

The tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach.

The sufferer from dyspepsia according to directions is to eat an abundance of good wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your dyspepsia may be, because as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees and put with it one of Stuart's dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished aud at the same time a radical, lasting cure of dyspepsia, will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some exent a much needed rest.

Your druggist will tell you that of the many remedies advertised to cure dyspepsia none of them has given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

A little book on cause and cure of stomach trouble sent free by addressing Stuart Co.,, Marshall Mich. 3t-4-6-8

☞ Wall Papers; artistic New York designs, at New York wonderfully low prices; save money, save worry save time in buying your wall papers here. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

A principal feature of the Paris exhibition of 1900 will be the largest telescope in the world. It is to be 200 feet long and to have an objective lens of four feet diameter.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

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The Cleanest, Fastest Dye for Soiled or Faded Shirt Waists, Blouses, Ribbons, Curtains, Underlinen, etc., whether Silk, Satin, Cotton or Wool.

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BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.

A Complete Department Store.

BARGAIN DAY THURSDAY, APRIL 7th.

Every department loaded down with Spring Goods.

SHEET and PILLOW CASE AFFAIR. An uncommon chance, this, to "stock up" on these needfuls. There's a mystery about it somewhere, for we're going to sell you sheets and pillow slips, all ready to use, at the bare retail cost of material. The making you get for nothing.

Pillow Slips, 36x42 . . . . . 8c. and 10c.
Torn Sheets, ... 37 1-2 and 40c. Ea.

WATCH THE WASH GOODS OFFERINGS. You'll be surprised at all this summer daintiness, you'll be more surprised at the prices. Makers have again glutted the market; they often do, but their misjudgment comes expensive to them sometimes, and this is one of the times. It's a rare buying chance for you, though. Figured Lawns, 4c., 5c., 6c., up to 25c Fancy plaids for Shirt waists, all prices.

The largest line of PRINT WRAPPERS to be found in Quincy, 39c., 59c., 69c., 79c. and 89c. to $1.50.

Kitchen furnishings in basement. Prices Way Down.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.
Music Hall Building, Quincy.

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MAGAZINE EXPLODED!

That is what a man said as he handed us his watch the other day.

An Investigation

showed that the Main(es) spring was broken.

DIVERS

were not required. We removed the

Revolving Turret

and mounted a new

100-CENT MAIN-

spring, and warranted it for two years in either

American or Spanish Territory.

All ordinary American or Swiss Watches cleaned or main-spring for ONE DOLLAR.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

SUSAN DUNPHY,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas J. Dunphy of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1898, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
April 1. 3t 1-8-11

ALBERT J. **BOWERS**
OPTICIAN,
8 FAXON BLOCK, OPP. CITY HALL, **QUINCY.**
Feb. 14. 1y

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
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SUNDAYS.

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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill, r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt. A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOSIAH RANDLETT,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by William E. Badger and Nellie B. Badger, of Quincy, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

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For Correct Styles
— IN —
New Spring Millinery,
GO TO
MISS B. J. PATTERSON'S,
where you will find a COMPLETE NEW STOCK of all the most desirable shapes in large and small Hats and Bonnets. Also the best colors in Ribbons, Chiffons and Flowers.
Orders done promptly. Hats trimmed while you wait. Prices to suit all.
Millinery Parlors Boston Bargain Store,
MUSIC HALL BUILDING, Quincy.
April 4. 1p tf

EASTER OPENING
— OF —
Spring Hats and Bonnets,
April 6th and 7th.
C. L. BLISS,
186 Hancock Street, - Quincy.
All cordially invited. NO CARDS.
March 29. 3m lp

Easter Novelties.
Call and see our
Easter Cards.
NEW GLOVES IN GREENS, TANS, ETC.
NEW
Laces,
Veilings,
Handkerchiefs,
Belts,
Fancy Ribbons.
All Shades in Chiffons.
MISS C. S. HUBBARD,
CITY SQUARE,
QUINCY.

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OPTICIAN,
8 FAXON BLOCK, OPP. CITY HALL, QUINCY.
Feb. 14. 1y

CLARA A. PENLEY,
Public Stenography and Type-Writing.
HOURS, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Room 12, Durgin & Merrill's Block
Thorough instruction in Shorthand and Type-writing, individually or in classes.
Quincy, April 4. 6t*

Isn't He a Fool
To go out with his shovel and hoe, with the ground all covered with snow,
To Plant Peas?
Why not wait until tomorrow or next day, and then put in Peas, Onion and other hardy seeds. You can go today to
ROGERS BROS.
and find a nice variety of Garden and Flower Seeds, fresh and bright, and warranted to come up if it does snow.
Quincy, April 6. tf

Do Not Fail to
-- SECURE YOUR TICKETS --
FOR THE HISTORICAL PAGEANT,
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— AT —
MUSIC HALL, . . QUINCY,
APRIL 13,
For the benefit of the
JOHN ADAMS BIRTHPLACE.
Tickets on Sale at JOHN O. HOLDEN'S.

SOUTH SHORE BICYCLE CO.,
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North Street, - Hingham.
One Minute's Walk from R. R. Station.
BICYCLES FOR SALE.
REPAIRING and SUNDRIES.
Prompt attention given to the sale and repairing of bicycles. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices the lowest.
March 30—ws 8t apr9-4w p

GRAND EASTER
MILLINERY OPENING!
Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2.
You are cordially invited to an inspection of our assortment of Easter Hats and Imported French Novelties in Toques and Bonnets; also, of our own attractive styles in Hats, Bonnets and Turbans, of Straw, Lace and Jet.
E. B. COLLINS,
4 FAXON BLOCK, - - QUINCY.
March 26. 2w

Are You Ready? We Are.
We are ready with the best assortment of Spring Clothing Quincy has ever seen. History tells us that clothing was worn as far back as the middle ages. Some of those middle aged suits are still worn, and some stores have them on sale yet, and that's no joke, either.
We are selling goods at less profit than any store in this city. You can buy this year's suits (1898 suits) of us for less money than the slaughter people will ask you for 1894 chestnuts. We never mark goods down. We mark them so they will sell when they ought to.
Come and give us a call. Look around and make yourself at home. We don't jump a-straddle of a fellow as soon as he gets well in the store and importune him to buy. If you want to look, of course we'll be glad to show you, and nine times out of ten we'll sell you. But we won't swell up and look ugly if you do not buy. Oh, no, we never lose our politeness because we miss a sale. We can't expect to sell all. But we have some bargains in clothing and hats that won't miss many.
We have a working pant for $1.48 that cannot be beat for $2.00. We have neat, all worsted dress pants for $2.98. Nobby suits, in Scotches, serges and worsteds from $6.50 upwards.
Young men's tailored spring coats for $4.48, $7.50, $9.98, $12.00 and upwards to $16.50. If we sell you once we will always sell you, and your friends will follow you. Your money back if you want it.
Quincy Clothing Co.,
QUINCY'S CLOTHIERS,
MUSIC HALL BLOCK.

The Social Realm.

"What means this glory round our feet,"
The Magi mused, "more bright than morn?"
And voices chanted clear and sweet,
"Today the Prince of Peace is born."

"What means that star," the shepherds said,
"That brightens through the rocky glen?"
And angels answering overhead
Sang "Peace on earth, good will to men."

And they who do their souls no wrong,
But keep at eve the faith of morn,
Shall daily hear the angels' song,
"Today the Prince of Peace is born."
—James Russell Lowell.

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The meeting of the Fortnightly Whist club has been postponed from next Tuesday afternoon until the 26th, when it will meet with Miss Wild of Granite street.

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Dr. Hallowell and Mr. John Curtis took the whist prizes at the Granite City club on Wednesday evening.

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Mr. Arthur Craig entertained a few of his many friends last evening at his residence on Copeland street. The gathering took the form of a musical some pleasing vocal and instrumental selections being rendered by those present. Ices were served.

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The engagement was announced last week of Miss Ethel Remick of Marlborough street, Boston, to Mr. Herbert E. Yerxa of Cambridge.

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Miss Emily C. Wild is spending two weeks in New Bedford visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Slocum.

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Mrs. John Thayer of Boston recently of Philadelphia attended the matinee whist at Colonial hall on Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Litchfield are visiting Mrs. Litchfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bicknell, at Hingham.

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Mr. Charles Schirmer besides dancing the Intermezzo Pizzicato in the court scene which follows after La Dauza Espagnola by fourteen popular young society ladies, is to dance the minuet with Miss Marion Hall in the George and Martha Washington reception scene at the Historical pageant.

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The event in High school circles is the annual prize speaking contest which takes place next Friday evening at the school hall.

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Miss Ruth Randall is home from Bryn Mawr for a few weeks.

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The Queen of Fame given at Faxon hall on Wednesday and Thursday evening by Unity Circle of King's Daughters was a great successand an enjoyable entertainment in every way.

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Miss Fannie Lord once a popular teacher at the Quincy High school but now of Bangor, Maine, has been in town this week visiting friends. The meeting of the Pickwick club of which she is a member was held on Wednesday evening instead of on the usual date so that Miss Lord had the pleasure of meeting many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Fryer received their friends at their home on Edison street on Thursday evening the first anniversary of their wedding. About fifty were present who enjoyed a fine musicale. Miss Pauline Wilkins poured chocolate.

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The second matinee whist in aid of the Fragment society was a great success. Twenty tables filled Colonial hall comfortably and it was a very jolly party. Among the prize winners were Mrs. John Shaw, Mrs. George W. Morton, Mrs. Charles Richardson, Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mrs. Joel F. Sheppard, Mrs. James Thompson and Mrs. Harry Blanchard.

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Mr. T. A. Whicher and Miss Sara Whicher are in New York.

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Easter Monday night will be a memorable one to Quincy Council, Knigts of Columbus for on that night they are to give their first grand ball. It will be held at Quincy Music hall, the grand march to begin at nine o'clock.

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There are fifty children in the international ballet and march in the historical pageant to be given at Music hall next Wednesday evening. They dance the Scotch, Swedish, Dutch, Polish and Italian dances in the costumes of the different nations and it is a pretty sight.

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The Wollaston Bowling and Whist club bowled on the Duck's Nest alleys on Monday evening.

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Miss Edith Marion Ames, daughter of Mr. Nathan Ames, observed her second birthday Thursday afternoon, by entertaining a number of her young friends at her parents' home of Cross street from 3 to 5 o'clock. The afternoon was passed in a pleasant manner, refreshments being served at its close. Miss Edith received a number of birthday remembrances.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Shaw, formerly of Atlantic, were among the saloon passengers on the beautiful S. S. Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, after their two months' sojourn through Europe which came across the briny deep in 5 days 20 hours from Southampton to Sandy Hook.

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The Cecelia Ladies' orchestra of Boston, five pieces has been engaged for the Historical pageant.

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Mrs. Theodore Blanchard has returned to her home at Weymouth.

Hawthorn Night.

The Braintree Literary club met Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Norris of Elm street; fifteen members were present.

Quotations were from Hawthorn. A biographical sketch of Hawthorn was given by Mrs. C. E. French. "The Charm of Mysticism" was the subject of a paper by Mr. Geo. A. Arnold, with sketches by Miss S. W. Lane.

In the second hour Mrs. A. B. Keith spoke upon "Historical Trees," and was followed by a general discussion upon trees until the time of adjournment.

§ —The ringing of bells at sunrise may not be exactly "a relic of barbarism," as Mayor Quincy of Boston contends but undoubtedly it is a very unpleasant performance for honest citizens who want to get a morning nap, but a little patriotism once a year won't hurt them.

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THE EASTER SEASON

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CHRIST CHURCH.

At Christ church, Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector, there will be holy communion at 7.30 A. M. At 10.30 A. M. morning prayer and second celebration of the holy communion, with the following order of music:

Processional, "The strife is o'er,"	Wirtumberg
Anthem, "Christ our passover,"	Gadsby
Proper Psalms 2, 57, III.	
Gtoria Patri,	Gadsby
Te Deum in C,	Martin
Benedictus in A,	Monk
Introit—Baritone Solo—	
"Angels roll the rock away,"	Hawley
Mr. Walter Hersey.	
Kyrie eleison, Gloria Tibi,	Eyre in E flat
Nicene creed,	W. T. Best
Hymn, "Christ the Lord is risen again,"	Hopkins
Offertory—Anthem, "Sing, O Heavens,"	Sullivan
Soprano Solo by Master Wendell H. Luce.	
Presentation, "Old Hundred.,"	
Sursum Corda, Sanctus,	Field in A.
Communion Hymn 225.	
Hymn, "At the Lamb's high feast we sing,"	Elvey
Recessional, "Come ye faithful,"	Sullivan

At 4 P. M. there will be a Children's Festival and at 7.30 P. M., Choral Evensong. This church has a vested choir of 20 boys and 12 men.

QUINCY POINT.

Rev. George Howard Studley will preach at the Washington Street Congregational church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and a good Easter sermon may be expected. In the evening at 7.15 there will be an Easter concert by the Sunday School.

There will be special Easter music including an anthem, "This is the day," S. C. Cooke; and an Easter anthem by W. F. Sudds.

METHODIST, WOLLASTON.

On account of the conference, there will be no morning service at the Wollaston M. E. Church on Sunday. Sunday school will be held at 11.30 o'clock. An interesting programme has been prepared for the evening at 6.30, in the following order:

Organ Voluntary.	
Singing by School.	
Opening Address,	Roscoe Saunders
Responsive Reading and Prayer,	
Response,	Quartette
Recitation, "The First Robin,"	Lola West
Singing by School.	
Recitation, "Glad Easter,"	Fannie Keith
Solo, "Gethsemane,"	Miss T. M. Baker
Exercises by Primary Department.	
Solo by Edith Nesbitt, Chorus by School.	
Reading, "The Beyond,"	Miss Durgin
Exercise,	Five boys
Singing by School.	
Duet,	Misses Campbell and Miller
Recitation, "The Dear Old Strain,"	Lois Metherall
Singing by School.	
Address by Superintendent.	
Easter Offering.	
Singing by School.	
Benediction.	

UNITARIAN, WOLLASTON.

Easter Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor Rev. J. E. Bagley will preach; Subject, "Excelsior, the motto of Creation." The choir, assisted by Miss Eugenia O'Conner from Boston, will sing:

"If we believe that Jesus Died."	Simper
"Break forth into Joy.	Simper
Soprano Solo, "The Resurrection."	Shelley
Miss O'Connor.	

Sunday School at 12. Sunday School Easter Service at 5.30 P. M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

The programme for the Easter concert at 5.30 P. M. on Sunday will be:

Music—Chorus, "Easter Bells."	
Service—Sentences and Responses.	
Prayer and Response.	
Music—Chorus, "Bluebird's Story."	
Selection,	Marion Hatch
Selection,	Marion Bagley
Music—Song,	
Miss Sherman's and Mrs Lull's classes	
Selection—Infant class.	
Music—Chorus, "Ye happy Easter Bells."	
Selection,	Ned Hall
Selection,	Mildred Huston
Orchestra—Five Violins—Harold Baker, Emerson Bates, Ray Weston, Wallace Bennett, Ernest Merrill.	
Selection,	Marjory Fay

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A DEFERRED AFFAIR.

John Stanhope, ranger, on his shaggy broncho, cantered lazily down the dust carpeted trail with drooped head and thoughtful brow. His short carbine seesawed across his left leg, which hung slouchily over the horn of his big Mexican saddle. His whole attitude was one of relaxation. His eyes were half closed and his thoughts were wandering dreamily back to the days before a spirit of deviltry had induced him to leave his old home in the blue grass region of Tennessee to seek excitement and adventure on the Texas prairies. The sun blazed down in vertical rays and tremulous heat waves rose from the bowlders scattered here and there.

Suddenly Stanhope came to his senses and jerked at his bridle so violently that his horse reared on his hind legs and snorted. Stanhope didn't know what caused him to stop. He felt vaguely that something was wrong, but he had no idea what. He looked about.

"Wonder where them fellows are?" he muttered. "Reckon they stopped back up the trail a bit." Stanhope turned his broncho's head and rode back to where a clump of scrub oak and chaparral hid the winding trail from view. Rising in his stirrups, he looked about. There was not a living thing in sight. The undulating prairie, brown and hot, dotted with an occasional bit of timber, stretched away in every direction.

"Well, I'll be d——d," exclaimed Stanhope half aloud, "ef this don't beat me. Where kin them fellers be?"

He rode to the top of the highest knoll in the vicinity and, shading his eyes with his hands, again looked carefully about. He had taken unnecessary trouble. No one was in sight.

"You'd 'a' thought Bill Childress would 'a' had more sense!" Stanhope said, addressing his pony. The pony was accustomed to being talked to by Stanhope when they were alone together. He may not have understood what his master said, but he knew that he was being talked to, and he worked his intelligent ears energetically by way of reply.

"As for that young cub that come down from San Antone," Stanhope went on, "I never did think he was top heavy with sense. Maybe they stopped at that 'royo we crossed two mile back to look for some water."

The broncho's ears worked again, so Stanhope rode back down to the trail, unsaddled and tethered his horse and lay down under the shade of a scrub oak with a saddle for a pillow to wait for his companions to catch up.

It did not occur to him that anything might have happened to Childress and the cub, who was a young man recently come from the States impelled by the same thirst for adventure that had brought Stanhope to Texas. There were no Mexican cattle lifter that he knew of in 100 miles, and Colonel Tipton's road agents had, he thought, been wiped out by some of Captain Hays' rangers a fortnight before.

At least a report to that effect had reached San Antonio a few days before. The Matamoras stage driver told him about it that morning when the stage passed him and his two companions, 20 miles or more back up the trail. He and Childress and the tenderfoot—Wallace was the tenderfoot's name—were on their way to join Hays' camp at the Redbank ranch.

Stanhope, as he lay under the oak, watched his pony nosing about for a green tuft of grass until his eyelids gradually drooped, and he sank into a pleasant sleep. He had scarcely closed his eyes, he thought, when he suddenly sat up. The sun was sinking red behind feathery, crimson clouds over the western hills, and the purple tinge of evening was gradually creeping across the sky. A cool wind swept up from the gulf, 200 miles away.

Opposite Stanhope sat a swarthy, muscular man, with shaggy hair and a shaggier beard, looking quizzically at him. A rifle rested across his knees. A blood stained piece of cloth was bound tightly about his left hand.

"Tipton, by the Lord!" yelled Stanhope, instinctively reaching for his rifle.

The shaggy man grinned. "Needn't trouble to look fer your gun," he drawled. "I've moved it."

Stanhope boiled with rage and chagrin. He tried to say something, but his tongue refused to perform its functions. Tipton saw the effort and smiled again.

"You're a fool, Stanhope," he observed briefly.

"You're right there," snapped the other. "I'm the biggest fool out of hell, or the buzzards would 'a' had your mangy carcass picked clean before this."

"Yaas, I know," replied the shaggy man, with exasperating deliberation. "You did overlook a bit when you forgot to scrag me that night on the Nueces. You know I'm a purty slippery cuss. Better be prompt the next time—that is, if there's goin to be any next time."

Stanhope had cooled down considerably. He looked steadily at the shaggy man and then grinned. There was something infectious in Tipton's good nature.

"Well, you've got me, haven't you?" he said.

"You allers was a young man of powerful discernment," replied Tipton, "but this time it ain't a question of what I'm goin to do to you. I'm not the doer in this here game. There's others that holds better cards nor men or you in it."

"What d'you mean?"

"Oh, nothin, only that greaser cuss, Gonzales, he's got 'crost the Grande and is raisin hell all through these parts. He surprised Hays at the Redbank ranch and come pretty nigh killin off all his men."

Stanhope rubbed his eyes in amazement. The shaggy man went on:

"He run 'crost what Captain Hays in his wisdom and generosity left of my command last night, and I'm the result.

"See this," and Tipton held up his bandaged hand. "There's a slug o' lead as big as the end of your thumb went through it."

The sun had disappeared behind the hills, and in the dim twilight Tipton's shaggy outline looked shadowy and indistinct to Stanhope, so astonished was he. He whistled softly, and the pony pricked up his ears.

"I b'lieve you are as close to the truth as you ever get," he said to Tipton.

The shaggy man flared up, and Stanhope could see a dangerous glitter in his gray eyes.

"None of that," he growled. "This is a matter 'tween Greaser and white man. I'm with the white man. Savvy? After it's over you and me'll have it out.

"In any way you like," said Stanhope stiffly. "You know me, Tipton." And he returned the shaggy man's glare through the gloom.

"I s'pose them two fellers I run acrost with their throats cut back up the trail was your friends?" Tipton described the men.

"Yes."

"Well, then, the Greasers is only waitin fer night to rub us out."

"I suppose so."

"Well, then, we'll fool 'em," and to Stanhope's astonishment the shaggy man collected a lot of mesquite roots and lighted a fire.

"What the devil are you up to, man?" he demanded roughly. "D'you want to fix 'em a light to kill us by?"

"My son, I've been at this game longer'n you have," replied Tipton. Stanhope held his peace. After Tipton got the fire started he made two piles, one on each side of the fire, out of Stanhope's saddle and what was left of the mesquite roots he had collected. He covered one with Stanhope's blanket and threw his own buckskin jacket over the other. When he finished, he looked up.

"Now, Stanhope, we'll hide in that patch o' chaparral yonder and wait till they turns up."

"Why not clear out of this altogether?" asked Stanhope.

"Ain't one chance in 1,000,000 that we could get away," said Tipton, "and we can entertain 'em better here."

Stanhope saw the wisdom of Tipton's scheme, and, picking up his rifle, followed him to the chaparral thicket. The grass was heavy with dew, and they were soon wet to the skin. The cool, steady breeze did not tend to make them more comfortable. They lay shivering in the chaparral until Tipton's fire was nothing but a pile of red embers. The moon pushed its silver rim over the eastern hills and shed a ghastly light over the prairie, metamorphosing the chumps of chaparral and isolated scrub oaks into fantastic shapes.

Not a sound disturbed the stillness except the chirp of insects, the wail of the coyotes and the occasional rustling of the chaparral as a breath of wind stirred it. Stanhope was just dozing off when he felt Tipton's toe scraping against his shin. He was wide awake in an instant.

"Look," said Tipton. "I thought there was too d——d many insects 'bout."

Stanhope looked toward the fire, which consisted now of one or two dim red coals. A dark form was stealthily worming its way toward the pile of mesquite roots that his blanket covered.

"Good job you ain't under that blanket," whispered Tipton. Stanhope thought it was.

The wriggling figure approached nearer and nearer to the pile. Suddenly a hand was raised and a gleaming knife sank into the blanket. At the same instant Tipton's rifle went off. The dark form rose, gave a piercing yell and fell with outstretched arms. Four other figures rose from the prairie, and Stanhope's rifle exploded. There was another yell—another dark form dropped. Three figures dodging backward and forward, vanished in the uncertain moonlight. Tipton laughed—a wild, terrible laugh, that sounded like the howl of a whole pack of coyotes.

Answering yells came from every live oak about them.

"Them's Kiowas," said Tipton, ramming a charge home. "Guess old Gonzales 'lowed he'd lift all the cattle in this part of Texas."

Stanhope didn't have time to say he thought so too. Fifty rifles flashed about them and as many bullets tore through the chaparral overhead. Two rifles spit back their streaks of fire from the thicket, and two robust voices yelled out their defiance. The cracks of the rifles continued for two hours, the circles of flashes without the chaparral drawing closer and closer and the yells of defiance within it becoming feebler and feebler. By and by the fire from the chaparral stopped and the fire from without it slackened. Then all was still.

Half a dozen of Hays' rangers galloping toward San Antonio at daybreak the next morning disturbed a pack of snarling coyotes rending the flesh of a dead broncho, three Kiowas and two Mexicans near the ashes of a campfire. Another pack was circling warily about a clump of chaparral 100 yards away. Breaking into the thicket, the rangers found two bodies full of bullet holes.

"That's Tipton," said one ranger, looking down into the face of one.

"Yes, and here's Stanhope," said another.

"Well, this beats me," they all said together.

They scooped a deep hole in the chaparral with their bowie knives, laid the two bodies in it, filled the hole up with bowlders and dirt to keep the jackals out, fired a salute, mounted their horses and galloped up the trail.

As the beat of their horses' hoofs died away in the distance the coyotes slunk back to the broncho, the three Kiowas and the two Mexicans.

The affair of honor between John Stanhope, ranger, and Colonel Edward Tipton, road agent, was not settled on the prairies that morning.—New York Sun.

EASTER BONNETS.

As ever, the Easter bonnet for the year is a thing of beauty. There are brighter colors on it than for some years past, and altogether it is a dainty piece of millinery, fit for the brows of a queen of fashion.

The attempt to force the Salvation Army style of bonnet as a mode, though pushed by diplomatic means for the past 18 months, has proved a complete fail-



ure. It suits the type of sweet Madonnalike face, light or dark, but it has a significance so remote from worldliness that swelldom frowns upon it, and the Fifth avenue and Broadway milliners have given up the struggle. They cannot afford to run counter to the expressed desires of those whose word is law in certain well defined circles of society, for be it known the social leaders are not dominated by the mechanics of art or trade, as has generally been supposed. The mandates come principally from the buyers and not from those craving patronage. The suggestion or praise of the popular Mrs. —— of Forty-sixth street or the recommendation of the exclusive Miss —— of Lexington avenue has more effect upon determining the prevailing style than all the cajoleries of the insinuating little Frenchwoman who confidentially tells her customer that a selection of her own—upon which possibly there is a larger profit—is "so becoming."

Thus it follows that many will recall the popular minstrel air and the refrain of 20 years ago, "She had a darling bonnet with a flower garden on it," when they see these new creations of headgear surmounting the brows of those who dress according to prescribed and scientific regulations.

The English walking hat with larger crown, lengthened in the back and rolled closer at the sides, will be worn to a great extent, and the light hats of spring, to be in vogue, will be a relief



to those who have been troubled with the burdensome weights of the past winter. The modified gainsborough with the victorian side flare will pass from view, to be resurrected in another two or three "seasons," for it will always remain a desired style and is moreover suited to almost every variation of facial contour. "Short back" sailors will also be placed before the feminine public.

The new hats and bonnets will be in varying shades of gray, the former with a brim of chenille and silk braid woven together. Toques, turbans and berrettas will still retain a slight hold upon those who do not care to follow the latest exact modes. Of the first named a successful model is a flat, oval shaped toque covered with deep, china blue shot taffeta glace, run with a series of innumerable fine tucks drawn up closely to form tiny upstanding ruffles. A full rouleau of velvet, much uplifted at the left side, has this flat, caplike crown set into it. In the division between the silk and velvet three ostrich plumes are placed, one falling to the front, two drooping low to the back, their stems concealed with a large velvet rosette having a steel ornament in the center.

America was honored last year by the French union syndicate of flowers and feathers, and the leading group, the American, which is a charming combination of the tones of the exquisite violet color, three in number, and shaded from a delicate light to a rich and dark violet, will still be a popular fancy in the spring trade. The bluets, the lighter shade of which is called pervenche, also the constan blues known as ciel and matelot, still retain their well won favor. The glacier is a beautiful mingling of light shades embracing ivory white, silver (called argent, the lighter tint nickel) and a medium shade of drab bearing the name chinchilla.

Then many of the green shades of last fall, Russian the darkest, nile the lightest and the intermediate ones of palmyra, siberia, emeranda, muguet and perclogant will again be used in the making up of that which is, in conjunction with well fitting gloves and a fashionable shoe, the pride of every thoroughly dressed woman and devotee of fashion, "a love of a bonnet."

ALBERT P. SOUTHWICK.

EASTER SONG.

When the sun a broader arc
  Marks across the April sky;
When the days, so cold and dark,
  At the thought of summer fly,

Crocus buds above the green
  Of the dooryard croft appear,
And birds in copse and tree are seen,
  And resurrection days are near.

See! The spicewood's yellow bloom
  On the gleaming knoll is set,
And tasseled buds and flowers have room
  To fringe the jocund rivulet.

What was that? The bluebird's note,
  Caroling so rich and free,
Fits no other song bird's throat.
  'Tis his marvelous minstrelsy.

The south wind's soft and balmy breath
  Wafts its chrism from southern seas.
It comes to lift from wintry death
  The earth and whisper hope and peace.

The pathos of the robin's song
  Now is never far away,
While in the fields and woods a throng
  Of birds repeat their roundelay.

Who shall doubt that life, not death,
  Crowns the swift circuit of the year;
That not a soul of mortal breath
  Shall miss at last its heavenly sphere?

Then let the bells of Easter ring,
  Tuned from Bethlehem's faroff sky,
For summer's new processions bring
  The proof that only Death shall die!

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Hoolahan—Yez dasn't.

Holloran (closing the window)—Yez coward! Oi'll not hear another woord out av yez.—New York Journal.

The Forgetful Professor.



Learned Professor (who has gone up to test his new parachute)—There! Hang it all, I've forgotten my umbrella as usual!—Fliegende Blatter.

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Holders of a Triplet Record to Meet Three Champions.

St. Louis, April 9.—Jacob Schaefer has challenged Frank Ives to play a game of billiards in this city within 30 days, and has placed $250 in the hands of Captain Schaefer. The game will be 18-inch balk line for 600 points. Jake thinks that as soon as Ives, who is now in Grand Rapids, Mich., learns of the challenge he will accept. Ives is matched to play George Slosson in New York next week. After that he will be at liberty to take on Schaefer.

Knockout Was Fatal.

Columbus, O., April 9.—Two affidavits were filed against Oscar Gardiner, one charging him with prizefighting and the other manslaughter in causing Stout's death. The autopsy on the body of Stout shows that a blood vessel in the brain was ruptured, a clot forming. There was a fracture of the skull. There was no padding on the ring floor, and the theory was advanced that concussion of the brain was caused by Stout's head striking the floor. The autopsy does not bear out this theory, but indicates that the knockout blow on the jaw did all the damage.

In addition to Gardiner and his seconds, Michael Connelly and P. H. Sullivan, who were arrested Thursday night, William and Joe Bierholter and James Marshall, promoters of the fight, were taken into custody. All of these men were released except Gardiner, it being found that they could not be held on any charge since the mayor had given a permit for the fight. Gardiner was released on a $700 bond pending a preliminary hearing. He is very much distressed over Stout's death and says that he will never fight again. His attorney is confident that he cannot be convicted since a permit was given for the fight. Mayor Black says no more fights will be permitted in Columbus.

Interesting Match Promised.

New York, April 9.—The challenge issued some time since by Arthur Gardiner, Karl Kaser and Charles W. Miller, the American hour triplet record holders, to ride against any team in America has been accepted by A. C. Mertens, the five-mile national champion; Nat Butler, the handicap king, and Karl Kiser, the five-mile champion, the race to be for a side bet of $200.

Sager and Sanbrough of Denver, who made a new American record for one hour on the tandem a few days ago, will be in New York in a day or two, and an effort will be made to match them, together with another man, with the winners of this match race for $500 a side.

Weavers Not Going In.

New Bedford, Mass., April 9.—The mass meeting of weavers Friday afternoon was attended by about 1200, both unionists and non-unionists. A great deal of interest was felt in the meeting since it furnished an indication of what the weavers, who constitute about half the strikers, propose to do about going in on Monday. It was first proposed to take a secret ballot on going to work, but this was voted down. Then the meeting, by a practically unanimous vote, decided not to go to work Monday.

The spinners voted to help the carders out of a temporary difficulty by loaning them a few hundred dollars. The loom-fixers will meet this afternoon to vote on the question of going to work.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SUNDAY, APRIL 10.
Sun rises—5:11; sets, 6:20.
Moon rises—11:24 p. m.
High tide—1:15 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.

Clear and pleasant weather prevailed in all sections yesterday, and as yet there is little promise of rain in any quarter. It now seems certain to be clear and pleasant Sunday, with higher temperatures and southwesterly winds, and the fair weather may continue well into the week.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Joshua W. Baker, an old resident of Shrewsbury, Mass., committed suicide by cutting his throat.

Eliza Dexter, a widow, aged 87, was almost instantly killed by being struck by a switcher in Willimantic, Conn.

A brakeman named Merchant fell between cars at the Atlantic, Mass., station last night and was instantly killed.

Charles L. Bartlett, mayor of Marlboro, Mass., in 1896-97, died yesterday after a short illness. He was born in Norwich, Vt., in 1851.

Governor Pingree's bill for increasing the taxes upon railroads in Michigan was defeated in the senate by 15 yeas and 16 nays. The bill passed the house by an almost unanimous vote.

The military affairs committee of the house has unanimously reported the Odell bill, granting permission for the building of a Catholic chapel on the government reservation at West Point. The bill has been before the committee in various forms for two years.

A call has been issued in Manchester, N. H., for a meeting for the formation of an Irish regiment. It is expected that 1000 from all over New Hampshire will attach themselves to the body, which will then offer itself to the national government to be officered by army officers.

If Commander Tucker of the Salvation army sends nurses to Cuba, they will not affiliate with the Red Cross society, nor be offered the protection of its flag. The sending of a corps of nurses to that country will probably be a feature of General Booth's visit to New York.

Those liable to draft in the regular army are joining the volunteer column of Havana, which has swelled within the last few days from 1500 to 20,000. This they prefer to regular service, which would call them into the field and take them away from the protecting walls and inviting cafes. The volunteers are verging upon revolt against the Americans and ultra-Spanish.

IN BOSTON FRIDAY.

Chorus of Salvation "Amens" Greets the Governor and Mayor.

Boston, April 9.—General Booth, in the presence of the governor of the commonwealth, the mayor of Boston, the postmaster of Boston and clergymen, beside a multitude of other citizens, was the chief figure in a mass meeting of the Salvation army in Tremont temple last night. Commander Booth-Tucker opened the meeting by calling for the army salutation, a chorus of "amens," for the governor and another for the general after the party had taken seats. The general said that the organization was far from being perfect, but it was not a wornout or effete body. The flag is flying in 45 different countries or colonies. There are 5000 or 6000 societies, selfsupporting and selfmanaged, with 13,000 men and women officers, and the same number of bandsmen. Mayor Quincy followed the general, and extended the greeting and welcome of the city of Boston.

Chief Inspector Watts of the Boston office and Private Detective Woods had a consultation yesterday over the arrest of George B. White in Philadelphia Friday. In October, 1893, White and John K. White, under the firm title of William K. White & Co. in Maryland and Pennsylvania, and under the firm title of J. K. & G. B. White in this city, obtained more than $250,000 from various banks in this city, including the Manufacturers, Shoe and Leather, Commercial and Continental, and absconded. G. B. White was arrested in Pennsylvania, but he defaulted has bail while extradition papers were being made out. He was heard from in South America, and the Boston banks placed the matter in the hands of Woods, who has spent thousands of dollars in following him, finally coming up with the fugitive in Philadelphia.

Little Robert Burns of Charlestown was fatally injured by being run over by several cars of a train on the Boston and Maine railroad.

The Roxbury Carpet company will shut down its mills in Roxbury for an indefinite period. About 700 hands will be thrown out of employment. An employe of the mills said that the cause was the inability of the company to get hemp from the West Indies owing to the impending crisis.

A peculiar accident happened yesterday. A ladder with two men on it broke on the fifth floor of a new building, and the men fell on to the staging below, on the third floor, where three other men were at work. All five then fell to the ground, being more or less seriously injured.

Application to the building commissioners for a permit to repair fire damages at 116 to 126 Merrimac street, where six Boston firemen met their death, has been refused. The property is owned by the Tremont temple corporation.

Work on the fortifications in the harbor has been rapidly pushed the last two or three days, and that part of them that could by any chance be used in case of war within a short time is being put in as good shape as possible.

COUNTRY'S GREAT STAPLES.

Less Activity Noted the Past Week In Some Branches.

New York, April 9.—A sensible quieting of demand for staple goods is perceptible in the spring trade reports on this week's issue of Bradstreet's. At the east the drift of matters affecting our foreign relations has been such as to discourage new business, but this tendency has been considerably accentuated by unseasonably cold weather, which has checked the usual Easter demand to a considerable extent. Reports from the west are that the heavy rush of spring business is about over, and that orders coming in now are of a filling-in character.

As a result of the depressing influences the general level of values appears to be, if anything, slightly below the level set at the beginning of the year. During March only 27 out of 107 staple articles advanced in price, while 43 declined and 37 were unchanged. It may be recalled that during February the number of increases shown was double that for March. Uncertainty as to the outlook for a continued good export trade in food products is probably responsible for a large number of the decreases. Textile and metal prices moved irregularly, but on the whole were not as weak as those of food products. Building materials naturally enough showed very general advances for the month, while coal has materially weakened.

As compared with one year ago the prices showing is a much better one. Sixty leading staples are higher now than they were on April 1, 1897, 14 are unchanged and only 33 are lower, making three-fourths of all staples exhibiting as good or a better showing than a year ago. Here it is found that food products are very generally higher than they were at this time last year, but more irregularity is shown in the prices of textiles, building materials and drugs.

Rather less activity is noted in most of the country's great staples. Cotton goods have moved fairly well, ginghams especially being in excellent demand, and except for low grade cottons, notably print cloths, which have made a new record of 2 cents per yard this week, the situation is as favorable as could be expected. Wool is dull, reflecting uncertainty as to future business and unsatisfactory margins of profit.

Business failures in the United States this week number 220, against 225 last week, 232 in the corresponding week of 1897, 231 in 1896 and 225 in 1895. Railroad earnings for March promise a very good showing. The total earnings of 75 roads for the month aggregate $35,560,873, a gain over March last year of 18 percent.

Friday on the Diamond.

In Indianapolis—The Pittsburgs won a close exhibition game of cold weather ball by the score of 9 to 8.

In Washington—The Montreals were an easy mark for Washington, and it was a practice for the young pitchers. Score: Washingtons, 16; Montreals, 6.

In Baltimore—The orioles defeated the Syracuse ball team as they pleased. Both Kitson and Hoffer were effective against the visitors. Hannivan and Stenzel made sensational catches. Score: Baltimores, 8; Syracuses, 3.

In Hartford—A crowd of 2000 saw the Hartfords defeat the Springfields, 11 to 6. Johnson was invincible, but Hemming was hard hit.

In Richmond—The Boston baseball team beat the Richmond team in a close game, 1 to 0.

HAD DREAD OF BANKS.

Massachusetts Man Robbed In a Peculiar Way.

Kept His Savings In a Box at His Home.

His Young Sons Induced by an Acquaintance to Supply Him With Cash.

Worcester, Mass., April 8.—William H. Oldenburgh of North Grafton was locked up in the central station yesterday, charged with the larceny of $1350 belonging to Thomas Monahan.

The story is a most pathetic one. Mr. Monahan lost the savings of 11 years. He has been employed in the finishing room of the Finlaysen & Bosfield thread mill and was very thrifty and saving. He came to the town about 17 years ago, and then began to save his earnings, with the hope some day of buying a farm.

It was his custom to put his money in a tin box, which he kept in the attic near his bed. He never took a cent from this box after it was placed there, and frequently during the good times he added various amounts, binding them together in rolls of $250 each, until he had $1350 on hand.

He had a distrust of savings banks, and could not be persuaded to entrust his money to one of them. No one knew of the treasure of his tin box so far as he was aware, except his oldest son, who is 15 years old. The father told him of the tin box under the bed and of its contents, and told him to take the box and keep it safe if anything should happen in his absence. The boy told his younger brother, 13 years old, and they were the only custodians of their father's secret.

Last fall the sons became acquainted with William H. Oldenburgh, 22 years old, who lives about a mile away down the road. Oldenburgh drove one day to Monahan's house with a load of cider and gave the boys about four quarts. He asked them if they had any money, and they told him no. They told him, however, of the money hid in the tin box in the garret, and he wanted to borrow $20 of it. The boys went to the box and took $100. They gave Oldenburgh $20 and kept the rest.

Later he returned for $25 and got it, and then he asked for $300, which the simple-minded boys also gave him. All these loans were made last fall, and Oldenburgh represented that he was buying horses and was making money. He called again and suggested to the boys that they should give him all that was in the box, and they brought down the remaining $1000 and passed it over.

Monahan has a fear of banks and kept his money in a tin box at his home. Oldenburgh learned of this fact and formed an acquaintanceship with the boys, with the result, it is alleged, that he induced them to give him the money.

When arrested the prisoner had 16 cents in his possession and is unable to account for the loss of the money further than he says he bought horses and carriages. The money was taken last September, but the loss was not discovered till March 7. The case was reported to the Worcester police last Sunday.

BOSTON OPINION.

Natural Impatience of the Masses Will Be Allayed.

Boston, April 8.—In treating of the ambassadors' call yesterday The Globe says: "No one of the nations represented in it dreams of going any farther. All of them know the difference between Washington and Constantinople, and the opportunity to inform them, as in effect they were informed yesterday, that we will not permit Cuba to become another Armenia, where the horrors of the infernal regions have been fostered and perpetuated by their intercession, was a most welcome one. Equally welcome is the renewal by the president of his pledge that he is moving toward the 'ending' of 'a situation the indefinite prolongation of which has become insufferable.' Thus assured, the natural impatience of the masses of the people will be allayed while they confidently rely upon him to see that no backward or doubtful step is taken. No Armenia at our doors! No more submarine mines!"

"The intercession of the foreign powers has been gently suggested and has failed. It has now passed into history; but does this mean that war is certain to come?" asks The Journal. "No; there is still a hope of averting it. It lies in this one thing—in Spanish surrender. This is not yet impossible. Besides the moral pressure of Europe, a new, material pressure is now beginning to operate at Madrid. It is the overwhelming superiority of the United States in the preparedness of its naval armament."

"Even if Spain does remain stubborn until Monday," in the judgment of The Advertiser, "the last hope of peace with honor will not necessarily have departed. As we have so often said," it continues, "diplomacy alone, without a show of force, can accomplish nothing with the arrogant, cruel and mediaeval power with which President McKinley has to deal. But it is by no means certain that Spain will not at the last moment, when she realizes that it is really the last moment, yield to fear what she has refused to justice."

The Post says: "The impending war is on so high a plane that it cannot fail to command not only the sympathies but the conscience of the American people. It is not a war waged for selfish ends. Much as we deplore the loss of our valuable trade with Cuba, it is not on that account that we incur the dangers of hostilities. The American nation is actuated by no desire of land-grabbing. We do not want Cuba as a possession of this country. The sordid reasons, which underlie and lead to the conflicts of the great powers of the old world, have no place here."

Sarah Stewart, 30 years of age, and her son, William, who is barely 4 years, were terribly burned at their home in Charlestown. The life of the little fellow is despaired of, and Mrs. Stewart is in a serious condition. The victims were alone in the house, and how the accident happened cannot be ascertained.

LONG DISTANCE DRIVING.

Two Connecticut Physicians Race From Norwich to New London.

Much public interest in this vicinity was aroused recently over a 16 mile road race from Norwich to New London between trotters owned respectively by Surgeon General Cassidy and Dr. Witter K. Tingley. Both physicians drove a pair of horses and were each accompanied by another physician. A big crowd saw the start at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and along the entire route crowds encouraged the two drivers.

The road to New London is very hilly. The best previous time made over it is 55 minutes. Dr. Cassidy arrived at the Crocker House, in New London, 47 minutes after leaving Norwich, and Dr. Tingley was only one minute behind, both teams breaking the record. The horses were in very bad shape at the finish. According to the agreement, Dr. Tingley must now give a dinner to all the local physicians. Dr. Cassidy had a pneumatic tired carriage, which Dr. Tingley said was worth more than a minute on the time.—New York Herald.

ANOTHER MARATHON RACE.

Boston Athletic Association May Make an Annual Feature of the Grecian Game.

The Boston Athletic association has decided to hold a "Marathon race" again this year. The success of last year's contest was so big that there is no doubt the great Grecian race will become a fixture. The race will be held this year on Patriots' day, April 19. It will be 25 miles, over the same course as last year. The course is an ideal one, being always in good condition, the entire distance being quite level.

J. J. McDermott of the Pastime A. C. of this city, the winner of last year's race, covered the distance in 2 hours, 55 minutes and 10 seconds. A prize will be given this year to the first eight men and a special prize to the contestant who beats McDermott's record.—New York Journal.

ON THE GOLF LINKS.

J. D. Winsor, Jr., Pennsylvania's high jumper, has developed into a fine golfer.

The number of golf clubs now in the United States Golf association is 101, an increase of nearly 40 within a year.

The Tuxedo Golf club is enlarging its clubhouse and expects to have double its present capacity by the first of the season. Dr. E. C. Rushmore is engaged in superintending the work.

There seems to be a growing sentiment among golfers that St. Andrews will be willing to have the open tournament if the executive committee of the United States Golf association requests that club to take it.

A new golf club is shortly to be organized among the residents of White Plains, and a nine hole course is to be built as soon as a suitable site can be selected. Both Beudelow and Dunn have been asked to lay it out.

The Midlothian Country club of Chicago has recently completed the work of laying out a nine hole course. The playing distance is said to measure about 3,000 yards. H. J. Tweedie, the professional, superintended its construction.

A plan on hand at the St. Andrew's Golf club is to inaugurate in August a schoolboys' golf championship, to be played annually on its links at Mount Hope. The details have not been arranged, but the intention is to have the event open to schoolboys in all parts of the country.

BITS ABOUT THE BOXERS.

Casper Leon has sent a challenge to England, through his manager, Charlie White, to meet any 105 or 108 pound boxer there for $1,000 a side.

Joe Choynski, the pugilist, will probably never fight again. The Californian is now suffering from blood poisoning, and the doctors have found it necessary to use the knife.

Jack Ward, the Baltimore bantam, is exceedingly anxious to fight Jimmy Barry again. Ward has personally challenged Barry and is willing to wager a good sum on his chances.

Charlie Johnson offers to box Jack Everhardt at 140 pounds or any higher weight that may suit the southerner. If Everhardt does not accept the offer, it is open to any other man in the world.

Spike Sullivan writes to a friend from London that it is likely he will make his home permanently in England. According to the letter, Spike may open a public house, a syndicate of sports being willing to back him in the venture.

Harvard's Promising Oarsman.

According to James A. Ten Eyck, father of Edward H. Ten Eyck, there is an oarsman at Harvard university who, with proper training, can come near winning the Diamond Sculls at Henley in 1899. While at Cambridge the other day looking over the crew candidates Ten Eyck picked out Lockett Gwin Coleman of the junior class as the prospective Henley winner. Coleman was born at Macon in 1877 and prepared for college at Harvard academy, St. Louis. He has always been prominent in football and in cycle racing, having won 11 first and 2 second prizes in 20 mile road events. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall, weighs 180 pounds and is powerfully developed. Coleman never rowed before entering Harvard, but last year he was a member of the Weld crew, which won the eight oared race at Philadelphia, beating a field that included the University of Pennsylvania eight. He is rowing in the Weld crew now and has greatly improved in his style. Coleman and his friends are greatly pleased with Ten Eyck's favorable opinion, and Harvard men generally hope that the young oarsman will visit England next year to have a try at the celebrated aquatic emblem.—New York Sun.



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Monday	45	51	57
Tuesday	38	52	59
Wednesday	38	56	71
Thursday	49	48	59
Friday	—	48	49
Saturday	63	48	42

New Advertisements Today.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Rogers Bros. sell fresh flower and garden seeds.

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The spring over-coats at the store of the Quincy Clothing Co. are in demand.

George W. Jones does not fear competition, but invites comparison before purchasing.

Rev. E. C. Butler will hold services on Sunday at 2.30 at the National Sailors Home.

If you wish good luck for the balance of the year wear something new on Easter Sunday.

Already there is a brisk demand for the new catalogue of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

The changeable weather is probably responsible for a larger part of the sickness in town at present.

The watering carts were about the Centre this morning laying the dust which yesterday blew in clouds.

The material forces and workmanship of Mackedon, the tailor, is the cause of bringing him many orders.

The Gleaners will meet at the home of Mrs. George A. Litchfield, Warren avenue, Monday, April 11, at 2.30 P. M.

Fergerson's bread, cake and pastry can now be found fresh and nice at the Star tea and coffee store, opposite the Granite fountain.

A bill to provide for the appointment of a Quincy Justice of the Peace to issue warrants and take bail was engrossed in the Senate yesterday.

Mrs. Mahala P. Veazie, widow of the late George Veazie, 2d, died at her home on Mechanics street yesterday of pneumonia after a brief illness aged 78 years.

Cars commenced running on the Houghs Neck line this afternoon, and on Sunday hourly trips will be made, leaving Quincy at 10 minutes of the hour and returning leaving Houghs Neck at 25 minutes past the hour.

In response to many inquiries regarding the Easter Monday ball, the Knights of Columbus take pleasure in announcing that ladies tickets admitting to the gallery will be on sale at the box office on the evening of the ball.

The time for the pageant at Music hall is drawing near and interest in the affair is on the increase. One hundred and fifty people are in the cast and there will be presented some of the finest tableaux and prettiest dances ever seen in Quincy. Do not fail to secure a ticket and aid in the restoration of the birthplace of John Adams.

The unseasonable cold has now passed off and the conditions are favorable for warmer weather in all sections. The temperature will probably rise above 50 degrees Sunday, and continue seasonably warm for several days, at least. It also promises to be fair well into the week, with generally clear skies and light south westerly winds Sunday.

THE UNITY CLUB.

Brilliant Papers and Choice Music.

Mr. Arthur E. Linnell Had the Current Events.

Committees Appointed on Nominations and Banquet.

The regular meeting of the Unity club attracted another large audience to the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church last evening. The programme was in charge of the Rev. James E. Bagley.

Mr. Arthur E. Linnell made his first appearance before the club as an essayist. He had a very readable paper on "Current Events." Among other things Mr. Linnell said:

"Tuesday, week after next, the 19th of April, in the anniversary of the battles of Concord and Lexington. On that day these historic towns will be visited by thousands of peope and the day will be patriotically observed. A feature of April 19th, is the crowd of bicycles strewn along the road between Boston and Concord.

"It is interesting to look back to that morning in 1775 when Paul Revere mounted his wheel and started away through Charlestown toward Lexington. At Medford he was detained by a puncture for a few minutes, but history tells us how he patched the tire with a Continental four dollar note, and went on. At Arlington Heights he stopped just long enough to drink a glass of ginger ale and then rode on to Lexington where he spread the news that the Briish were coming and turned out the local fire company. The most interesting point about this is, that the same fire apparatus is being used today as was employed in 1775. The only change of note that has taken place in the town since that time, has been in the board of selectmen."

Mr. Linnell's paper also dwelt upon the Rev. B. Fay Mills' lectures upon socialism; the Cuban question; the Emperor William II and the lunacy of monarchs in general; the Board of Aldermen and Common Council reorganization bill which is now before the legislature; and some of Mayor Quincy's hobbies.

Mrs. Elbert H. Brock gave an exceedingly deep as well as interesting address upon Jean Paul Richter, the German humorist, whose writings abound in a bewildering variety playful, witty, pathetic, childlike, and sublime thoughts, so incongruously expressed that Reinhold published a work to unravel the meaning.

The composer whose works were studied last evening was Weber, who took rank at the head of the so called romantic school. A paper upon his life was prepared by Mrs. A. S. Burrowes and read by Rev. Mr. Bagley. Brilliant exemplifications of his works were given by Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith, who played his "Invitation to the Dance;" by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Moorehouse, who gave the "Enryanthe Overture" for piano and violin; then a quartette from Boston, composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Hill, rendered with great effect selections from the composer's works.

At the conclusion of the programme upon a motion being made from the floor a committee of five, consisting of Mrs. F. A. Page, Mrs. George H. Collier, Rev. James E. Bagley, Dr. Charles S. Adams and Mr. Arthur E. Linnell, was selected to bring in a list of candidates for the various offices to serve for the ensuing year.

The present officers were authorized to serve as a banquet committee. The banquet occurs on May 13.

Fall River Line.

The Priscilla and Puritan will be placed in commission on the Fall River line on April 9, taking places of the Plymouth and Pilgrim, which boats will be withdrawn on that date.

Sunday trips of the Fall River line will be resumed on May 1. Music remains a feature on this line, a fine orchestra being attached to each steam boat when in commission.

The annex boat service of the Fall River line has been resumed for the season. Boat leaves pier 19, North river at 7.00 A. M., and returning, leaves Jersey City station of the Pennsylvania railroad at 4.30 P. M.

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THE EASTER SEASON.

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Selection, Mollie Brown
Music—Duet, Misses Lull and Sprague
Remarks, Rev. James E. Bagley
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Music—All—Hymn.

MEMORIAL, ATLANTIC.

At the Atlantic Memorial Congregational church, Sunday morning at 10.45 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. J. H. Whitaker, will preach on the theme, Death is swallowed up in victory. The musical programme for this service will be:

Organ prelude—Hesse.
Mrs. Charles L. Coe, organist and director
Anthem, "Jesus Christ is risen today," Scott
Solo, Miss Miriam Heidenreich.
Carol, "Eastertide," Loud
Solo, "There is a green hill far away," De Faye
Miss Susie Hall.
Anthem, "Thanks be to God," Smallwood
Solo, Miss Miriam Heidenreich.

In the evening there will be a Sunday School concert under the direction of Miss Annie P. Hall and Miss Helen Bemis. The evening quartette will assist.

FRIGHTFUL DEATH.

Brakeman on Night Express Cut in Half at Atlantic.

Lewis Merchant, a brakeman on the outward double-iron freight was instantly killed last night at 10.26 near the Atlantic depot. Just how the accident happened is not known, but it is supposed that he was struck by the Atlantic street bridge and knocked senseless onto the top of the car, from which place he fell down between two cars, the wheels of which passed over the body cutting it in half. The body was found some two-hundred feet north of the Atlantic depot. Undertaker Hall was notified and the body was removed to his rooms.

From papers in the pockets it was learned that his name was Lewis Merchant, and that his home was in Concord, N. H. Friends in Boston came out this morning and took charge of the body. The unfortunate man was 29 years of age.

Real Estate Sales.

The conveyances recorded for the week were as follows:

City of Quincy to Odessa E. Darling, $15.
Henry H. Savage, et al, trs, to Western Underwood, $1.
George E. Norris to John E. Parry, $1.
Michael F. O'Brien to John T. McNeil, $1.
Emeretta L. McKay to Charles H. Penniman, $1.
Thomas A. Whicher to Eben C. Stanwood, $1.
Walter F. Babcock to Archd. F. McLeod, $1.
Arthur D. McClellan to Chester L. Crafts, $1.
Marion G. Holden to Weston W. Osborne, $1.
Henry W. Hunt to Town of Milton, $2,000.

TODAY'S COURT.

Thomas F. Heaney was fined $8 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Michael Daley, an inmate of the Weymouth almshouse was arraigned for refusing to perform the labor required of him by the superintendent of that institution. The case was dismissed for informality. No new complaint will be issued as Daley promised to leave the almshouse.

The case of Michael Devine of Randolph was continued for another month.

THE POPULATION OF QUINCY

Is about 25,000, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 25 and 50c. *Trial size free.* Sold by all druggists.

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Quincy Savings Bank.

THE Annual meeting of the members of the Quincy Savings Bank Corporation for the election of Trustees, and any other business that may legally come before them, will be held on TUESDAY, April 12, 1898, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., at the Banking Rooms, 143 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Clerk.
Quincy, Mass., April 6, 1898. 3t-6-9-11

Thomas Crane Public Library.

CITY OF QUINCY.

New Catalogues for a Dime.

A new Catalogue of all prose fiction in the Library on Jan. 1, 1898, has just been issued by the Trustees. It is a book of 136 pages, with books indexed by authors and by titles. There is also an index of short stories, and an annotated list of historical fiction arranged alphabetically, and under the larger countries, chronologically. French fiction takes two full pages. The Catalogues will be sold at 10 and 20 cents, according to the binding, and may be obtained of the Librarian.

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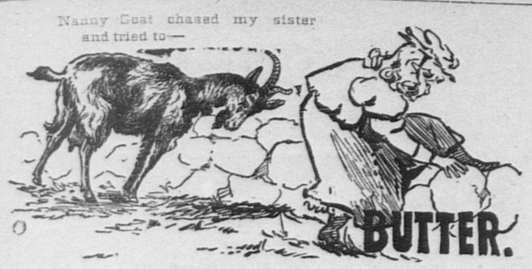
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Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

Stoughton, Canton and Boston Street Railway Co.

WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be the Stoughton, Canton and Boston Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at Morton square in the town of Stoughton and County of Norfolk and to extend through said Morton square to Summer street, thence through Summer street to Canton street, thence through Canton street to Central street, thence through Central street to the division line of the the town of Sharon, in said County; thence through Bay street, in said town of Sharon to the division line of the town of Canton, in said County; thence through Washington street in said town of Canton to the division line of the town of Milton, in said County, thence to and through Blue Hill avenue, in said town of Milton, to the division line between said town of Milton and the City of Boston, County of Suffolk, its terminus. Also from a point on said Blue Hill avenue, thence in a westerly direction to the division line of the town of Hyde Park, in said County of Norfolk; thence into and through said town of Hyde Park to a point near the present terminus of the Norfolk Suburban Street Railway Company and the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. depot at Readville, and is a terminus.

Its length will be about fifteen miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The capital stock of said Company shall be one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000)

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Stoughton, Canton, Sharon, Milton or Hyde Park, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

Hosea C. Witt of Stoughton,
Bartholomew R. Doody of Canton,
Arthur Merritt of Milton
Edward F. Draper of Walpole,
Fred E. Rollins of Hyde Park,
John C. Lane of Norwood,
A. R. Sanderson of Boston.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands this twenty-first day of March, 1898.

SUBSCRIBERS.	RESIDENCE.	P. O. ADDRESS.	NO. OF SHARES.
Edward F. Draper,	Walpole,	53 State St., Boston.	Five.
John C. Lane,	Norwood,	28 State St., Boston,	Five.
Samuel Billings,	Canton,	Canton,	Ten.
Cornelius Cohan,	Canton.	Canton,	Five.
Samuel R. Mosley,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
Henry E. Briggs,	Canton,	Canton,	One
William W. Brooks,	Canton,	Canton,	Three.
William P. Reynolds,	Canton,	Canton,	Three.
Chas. P. Grimes,	Canton,	Canton,	One.
Fred E. Rollins,	Hyde Park,	50 Gordon avenue,	Five.
Charles F. Paine,	Hyde Park,	Readville Station,	Two.
William O'Connell,	Canton,	Canton,	Two.
H. C. Witt,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
D. J. Chisholm,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One,
George W. Dutton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
Thomas Stratton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
John Stratton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
William Curtis,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
Edward A. Perrin,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.
George E. Belcher,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.
E. Perley Johnson,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.
A. F. Walker,	Winthrop,	166 High St., Boston,	One.
Aaron R. Sanderson.	Boston,	53 State St.,	Five.
Alden L. Wilkes,	Boston,	160 Tremont St.,	Two.
Geo. Monk,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.
A. M. Bridgman,	Stoughton	Stoughton,	One.
B. R. Doody,	Canton,	Canton,	Five.
W. A. Mosman,	Boston,	85 Water St.,	One.
W. G. Norris,	Boston,	34 Oliver St.,	Twenty-five.
E. Van Vleet,	Boston,	34 Oliver St.,	Fifteen.
George W. Chapman,	Hyde Park,	48 Maple St ,	Two.
G. A. Billings,	Canton,	Canton,	Five.
John A. Spencer,	Canton,	Canton,	One.
O. P. Wolfe,	Canton,	Canton,	One.
John Curry,	Canton,	Canton,	One.
John A. Lowell,	Boston,	147 Franklin St.,	Five.
George F. Williams,	Foxboro,	Foxboro,	One.
H. S. Byam,	Canton	Canton	Two
C. W. Seavey,	Canton	Canton	One
R. S. Byam,	Canton	Canton	Three
Elijah A. Morse,	Canton	Canton	Ten
W. T. Davis, Trustee,	Canton	Canton	Five
Fred P. Bacon,	Boston,	Castle Square Theatre,	Two.
Arthur Merritt,	Milton,	30 Custom House St., Boston,	One.
Fred E. Rollins, Trustee,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	Fifty.
Edward F. Draper, Trustee,	Walpole,	53 State St., Boston,	1,278.

Articles of Association for the Formation of a

STREET RAILWAY CORPORATION.

WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a street railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be NORWOOD, CANTON AND STOUGHTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the Post Office in the town of Norwood and County of Norfolk, and to extend through said Norwood and the Towns of Canton and Stoughton, both in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the Post Office in said Town of Stoughton, its terminus.

Its length will be about ten miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Twenty-five Thousand dollars. ($25,000.)

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Towns, shall act as a Board of Directors, until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

J. E. Hartshorn, Director, of Norwood, Mass.
Samuel H. Capen, Director, of Canton, Mass.
Edward L. Underwood, Director of Canton, Mass.
A. M. Bridgman, Director, of Stoughton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Geo. J. Morse, Director, of Hyde Park, Mass.
A. H. Crossman, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Clerk and Treasurer.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

WITNESS our hands, this Sixth day of April, 1898.

SUBSCRIBERS.	RESIDENCE.	P. O. ADDRESS.	NO. OF SHARES.
Geo. J. Morse,	Hyde Park, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.	One hundred twenty.
Bradford Hamilton,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Fifty.
T. B. L. Bartlett,	Mattapan, Mass.	Mattapan, Mass.	One.
A. J. Fairbank, Jr.,	Milton, Mass.	Blue Hill, Mass.	One.
Dudley Talbot,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	One.
A. M. Bridgman,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Edward L. Underwood,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Wm. Cunningham,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.	Fifty-seven.
A. H. Crossman,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Ten.
J. H. Packard,	Mattapan, Mass.	Mattapan, Mass.	One.
A. Perry Curtis,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
F. K. Kingman,	17 Gleason St.	Dorchester, Mass.	One.
J. E. Hartshorn,	Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	One.
Dan F. Gay,	Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	One.
Samuel H. Capen,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.

9-11-18

BRAINTREE.

Ernie Lord will race at Dedham Patriots' day.

Joseph Porter is employed as conductor on the Quincy & Boston street railway.

The Jonas Perkins School Association will observe its anniversary on Tuesday evening.

The Thayer base ball team will play a practice game this afternoon with the Randolph boys.

The good will society of the South church met with Mrs. B. F. Dyer on Friday afternoon.

Work was resumed at Drinkwater's tannery on Tuesday and the works are running on full time.

Puritan lodge, No. 179, I. O. O. F., will give a reception in honor of its twenty-first anniversary next Tuesday evening.

At the First church tomorrow morning the choras will sing "Christ Our Passover," by Chapple, and "He is Risen," by Caleb Simper. Other special music is also expected and in the evening there will be a grand Easter concert.

The Jonas Perkins School Association held a regular meeting last Tuesday evening at Mr. B. J. Loring's. Miss Bowles read from a set of papers showing what the children read. A very instructive and entertaining evening was passed. Rehearsals for a drama to be presented by members of the Association will begin next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer of Brockton have moved into the house owned by Thomas Huston on Central avenue.

Hyde Park has voted to employ a superintendent of schools.

On Tuesday evening the Braintree Y. P. S. C. U. celebrated its third anniversay by a public installation of officers and social. Rev. A. W. Grose, Massachusetts State President was installing officers. Some forty members of the Braintree Union were present, also guests from Hingham, Weymoth and Quincy.

Thayer Academy opened again on Wednesday.

The Quincy avenue line of electrics is expected to be completed about May 15.

Dr. William Gallagher returned Tuesday night from a short visit in Maine.

The Braintree and Weymouth street railway company is constructing a coal shed to hold 750 tons of coal.

The wood work on the Quincy avenue bridge is being entirely rebuilt, and will appear like a new bridge when completed, ready for the cars to pass over it.

The triple engine, just completed at the Fore River Engine works, has been drawn to City Point by Mr. Fogg. The engine is to be put into the 100-foot yacht that is being built for Mr. George A. McQuestion.

The Jonas Perkins School Association will hold their first anniversary on Tuesday evening at 7.45, in the school hall. A musical and literary entertainment will be given, to which the parents of the school children and all friends of education are cordially invited.

Mr. E. A. Belcher has been very low with pneumonia but at time of writing he seems to have passed the critical point and is on the road to recovery. Mrs. Belcher, who has also been quite ill, is improving. Later, at time of going to press, Mr. Belcher is failing rapidly and it is feared he cannot survive the day.

Miss Emma M. Kane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kane, and one of the popular teachers in our public schools, died at her home on Washington street at 2 o'clock, Wednesday morning, after a lingering illness.

A very excellent dramatic entertainment was given last evening at Pthiyan hall, under the direction of the ladies of the Universalist society. "Snowdrop," was the drama and six scenes were presented by the following cast of characters:

Queen, Edith Brett.
Prince Faithful, Everett Cain.
A hunter, John E. Arnold.

And eight dwarfs: Arthur Minchin, George Holmes, Eldridge Dam, Lewis Hathaway, Arthur Holmes, Henry Dam, Loring Haseltine, Clifford Woodsum.

Between the scenes there were duets by Miss Brigham and Miss Penniman; and zither solos by Miss Burnham, which were greatly enjoyed.

The reunion of the Braintree High school graduates was held in the Town Hall last night and it is regretted that so few availed themselves of the opportunity to renew old acquaintances and enjoy the entertainment provided by the committee in charge. The music was delightful in the extreme and we doubt if a Braintree audience ever listened to anything better. Every number was greeted with hearty applause and the skill which was shown by the violinist in handling his instrument was heartily appreciated.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Mr. Charles Whelan, Dartmouth '00, is spending the spring recess with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Whelan of Weymouth Centre.

A number of East Weymouth people attended the hurdy gurdy party at Hingham last night.

Master Walter Howley of East Weymouth is ill at his parents home with appendicitis.

The Quincy and Boston street railway company will begin the Bridge street extension on Monday next at North Weymouth.

Mrs. Warren Stetson, who lives just over the line in East Braintree, is dead. Some of this generation do not know her on account of her long years of illness. She reached the age of 89 years and 6 months.

The Norfolk Association of Congregational ministers meets on Tuesday, April 12th at 9.30 A. M. in the Congregational church at Quincy. The Rev. Mr. Butler is to explain some difficult passages of scripture. The Rev. Mr. Snyder has an essay on "What can be done for the Unworthy Poor, or the Tramp Question."

The Rev. Mr. Hudson of Brockton preaches the sermon, and the Rev. Mr. Alvord has the book review.

The observance of Passion week by the Union church has been heartily accepted and endorsed by the people. Mrs. Vaughn opened her cheerful rooms for those who attended. The meetings are so social and informal that there is a desire to continue them.

There were eleven ladies at the Benevolent society in East Braintree last Wednesday. They met at Mrs. S. F. Wentworth's. Some of the families in town are rejoicing over their benefactions.

Rev. W. H. Alexander, former pastor of the Union Congregational church of Weymouth and Braintree, has returned to this place after a year abroad.

The Literary society connected with the North High school, has published the second edition of the North High Record. Miss Elise Foster, '98, is editor-in-chief, and Mr. John Sheehy, '99, and Charles H. Willoby, '99, associate editor. The paper was very successful, the chief feature being a poem by Fred V. Garey, '99. There was an excellent article in memoriam of Mr. J. C. Johnson, the late teacher, written by Miss Nellie Hollis, '98.

Mrs. Charles Kaler of Front street is entertaining her sisters, the Misses Florence and Maud Hopkim of Salem.

Rev. H. S. Synder of the Union Congregational society of Weymouth and Braintree will preach upon the subject, "The Resurrection in the Light of Today." There will be an Easter concert by the members of the Sunday school at 7.30 P M.

Rev. I. W. Cate, formerly connected with the Japan Mission, will preach at the Universalist church tomorrow.

Contractor Frank Richards is building an addition to the house of Walter Gutterson.

E. P. White and family are visiting relatives in East Weymouth.

Mrs. A. W. Blanchard and son have gone to Beloit, Wisconsin, on a visit to Mr. Blanchard's mother.

Miss Maud Tinkham, an assistant at the Thomas N. Hart school, Boston is enjoying a week's vacation.

Mrs. H. F. Perry entertained the members of the Puritan a Whist club, last Monday evening. Miss Louise Rand won the first prize. Mrs. Frank Pray second and Miss Antoinnette Pray the visitor's prize.

EASTER PROGRAMMES.

The Easter programme of special singing at the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth, will be as follows: Murray's "Christ Our Passover," and Simper's "King of Kings." "The Resurrection" will be sung by the leading soprano Mrs. Harry C. Thomas.

At the Third Universalist church, North Weymouth, several excellent numbers have been prepared for the choir by Mr. T. H. Emerson, chorister. Rev. Mr. Cate will preach. An Easter concert will be given in the evening.

There will be special Easter singing at the Church of Immaculate Conception, East Weymouth, Rev. Fr. Begley pastor.

There will be an excellent programme rendered by the choir of the M. E. church at East Weymouth tomorrow morning at 10.30.

The following Easter observance will be rendered by the choir of the Congregational church, East Weymouth, tomorrow morning at 10.30.

Organ Voluntary, "Introduction and Fugue, Riglisi, Mr. Howard M. Dow.
Doxology, Choir and Congregation.
Invocation, Rev. D. Evans, Pastor.
Quartette, "The Lord's Prayer," (by Mason) Mrs. B. S. Lovell, Mrs. J. Frank Drew, Mr. La Forest Lincoln, Mr. C. W. Bailey.
Responsive Reading, Pastor and Congregation.
Anthem, ', Christ our Passover" (Buck) Mrs. Lovell, Mr. Lincoln, and Mrs. Bailey
Offertory, "Tranmeri," (Shumann).
Solo, "The Resurrection," (Schelley), Mrs. Drew.
Scripture Reading.
Prayer.
Quartette, "The Magdalene," (Warren). Miss Annie F. Powers, Miss Susie Raymond, Mr. Lincohn and Mr. Bailey.
Hymn, Choir and Congregation.
Sermon by the Pastor.
Anthem, "Now is Christ Risen," (Danks),
Organ Postlude "Lift up your heads, O ye gates, (Handel).

The Easter concert of the Union church is to be held at Pythian hall at 7.30 on Sunday evening.

At the Baptist church tomorrow, Rev. F. B. Cressey, will preach upon the subject "Jesus and men who rule." Special music will be rendered.

WAMPATUCK PARTY.

The fourth private party was held at Odd Fellows Opera house, East Weymouth, last evening by the Wompatuck Encampment, I. O. O. F. About 160 couples were present. The music by Boyden's Singing Orchestra was especially fine and was fully up to their usual standard.

Among those present were noted:

From Quincy,—Fred Tirrell and wife, John Hall Jr., and wife, J. W. Denning and wife, Miss Sadie Cash, Mr. D. E. Wardsworth, Mr. H. C. Weeden, Miss Bertha Hayden and Miss Tena Gardner.

Mrs. O. T. Miller of Brockton, Mr. Irving French of Randolph, Mr. Theodore Hayden of South Braintree, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Picancio of Hingham, Miss Millie Picancio.

From East Weymouth—E. Q. S. Litchfield and wife, Samuel Burrell and wife, H. K. Cushing and wife, A. L. Flint and wife, W. P. Denbroden and wife, H. A. Taber and wife, W. Lincoln Pratt and wife, B. W. Cushing and wife.

Miss Lena M. Beals, Miss Mabelle Stuart, Miss Abbie Stuart, Miss Maud Townsend, Miss Annie Powers, Miss Addie Brooks, Miss Monoilla A. Beals, Miss Bertha Foss, Miss Fannie Staples, Miss Laura Woods, Miss Cora Burrell, Lillian Burrill, Miss Mary Kelsey, Miss Daisy Pratt, Miss Eva Sherman.

George E. Burne, Russell Pratt, Herbert E. Curtis, I. Loring, Harry Vinton, Sumner Vinton, Ma. Gould, H. W. Sylvester, Frank Overton, Alvah Bicknell, S. Grossman, H. A. Bass, S. F. Pratt, James E. Falvey, Harry Bates, Horton Hayward, Herbert Kelsey, Edwin Loud.

During the intermission the management served ice cream and at 12 closed one of their most enjoyable social events of the season. All hoping that it will soon be repeated.

Unnecessary Blockade.

Considerable complaint is made at the manner in which the contractor of the Wollaston section of the sewer is blocking the street as far as street car travel is concerned. It was supposed that when the contractor got on to Hancock street that it would be so that cars could be run without change but instead of that he has so blocked the street that cars can not pass and it is necessary for passengers to get out and walk quite a distance. Engineer Branch is doing all he can but the contractor on the sewer does not seem to care whether he blocks the street or not.

It seems unnecessary to block the street as it is now, for it is just as easy to dump the dirt on one side of the trench as another, it is also easy to clean up the street as they go along but the desire seems to be not to clean up as the sewer advances but to wait until it is all finished.

MARRIED.

ALLEN—LOWELL—In Braintree, March 31, by Rev. W. H. Allen, Mr. Harry S. Allen of Braintree to Miss Florence Lowell of Weymouth.

DIED.

VEAZIE—In Quincy, April 8, Mrs. Mahala P. widow of Mr. George Veazie 2d, aged 78 years and 4 months.
Funeral from late residence 11 Mechanic street, Monday, April 11, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.
MERCHANT—In Quincy, April 8, Mr. Lewis Merchant, aged 29 years, 10 months and 3 days.
WARBURTON—In Randolph, March 27, Warren Mason, son of Mr. Frederick W., and Henrietta Warburton of Braintree, aged 4 months and 3 days.

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BARE POSSIBILITY OF AN ARMISTICE.

Decree by the Queen Regent May Appear Today.

Papal Influence With Cubans to Secure Acceptance.

War Hanging on a Filament as Slender as Gossamer.

Conservative Senators Claim to Have Influenced the Decision of the Committee on Foreign Relations So That the Declaration Will Not Include Matter of Independence—Over a Hundred Representatives Agree to Take Control In Their Branch If the Speaker Attempts to Interfere With Program.

Washington, April 9.—It is reported that Spain has indicated her desire not to engage in a war with the United States by agreeing to the armistice suggested by the pope and advocated by France, Italy and Austria. This information was officially received. It is the expectation that the queen regent will issue a decree today, formally proclaiming that an armistice has been granted. It will then be necessary for the representatives of Spain to confer with General Gomez, the commander-in-chief of the Cuban insurgents, to learn if he is willing to accept the armistice. It is understood that the pope will extend his influence to the Cubans with a view to getting them to accept the armistice offered by Spain.

There may, perhaps, be efforts in Madrid to prevent war, but if those efforts are going on, or are yet to be made, the United States will be in the attitude of a passive spectator. It will neither fear nor invite them. Spain knows how to avoid war. It is the Spanish habit to ment. Knowing this, men familiar with put off everything until the very last mothe peculiar ways of Spanish diplomacy declare that they would not be surprised if late Sunday or even early Monday a definite offer of compromise should come fro mSpain—an offer of an armistice to the Cubans and the pledge of independence to them.

If such a thing is contemplated Spain may find that for once, at least, delay has been dangerous. Men close to the president say that any offer from Spain would not now be considered by him, but that if such an offer were made he would simply include it in his message to congress and let it be acted upon there. If congress believed that the tender was made in good faith it would undoubtedly accept it, but it would scan any proposition with the closest attention and be apt to regard it with the greatest suspicion. Mere promises from Spain will not now suffice. Action above all things is necessary. There are no indications to warrant that war can be avoided. If the Spanish government contemplates a coup at the eleventh hour it is veiling its plans most successfully.

As the hours drag on and nothing comes from Madrid, at least nothing to show positively that there is any yielding on the part of the Spanish government, but, on the contrary, that the ministers have made up their minds to fight it out to the bitter end, it is conceded to be almost useless to hope for Madrid making those concessions which alone will prevent the necessity of war. Members of the peace party are still at work, but they meet with no encouragement. Even if the president were to tear up his message and write another one and send it to congress next Monday telling that body that the United States had not a just cause for intervention in Cuba, and that he would not interfere in Spanish affairs, it is extremely doubtful whether it would affect the determination of congress to bring on a conflict.

Having come to the point of proposing armed intervention to remove the Spanish from Cuba, his chief concern now is that the work may be done quickly, and therefore that the necessary action in congress will be promptly and unitedly taken, in order that he may move at once, as he will be ready to do. If his wish is gratified, congress will give him the authority to act by Wednesday, and by Thursday he will start his naval demonstration, with the Key West squadron directed against Havana, with notice to the Spanish to leave immediately, while the flying squadron goes to Porto Rico, to capture or to destroy the Vizcaya and Oquendo if Spain does not yield.

Yesterday there was the possibility that something might yet come out of it, that the tottering throne of Spain might be propped up and war be averted. If the ministers of Spain have foresight enough and courage enough to avail themselves of the one chance of escape they can make this surrender and prevent war; if the desperation of obstinacy drives them on they will go to their doom. Peace or war hangs on a filament as fine as a gossamer. Spain, with ruthless hand, has it in her power to destroy the filmy web or leave it undisturbed. Which?

At the Capitol the senators who are devoting themselves to the task of securing a resolution on the Cuban question on which practical unanimity of the senate can be obtained were guite active, and when the day closed they felt that they had made appreciable progress. There was a joint meeting of the members of the leading members of the steering committees of the various parties during the day in the rooms of the committee on appropriations in which the whole situation was canvessed and the reasons for prompt action in the senate after the matter is once taken up were gone over much as they had been in preceding meetings. The managers of this movement are endeavoring to secure a reversal of the decision of the committee on foreign relations to report for both independence and intervention, and the claim is put forth that they have succeeded, the senators comprising the majority contenting themselves with a general declaration for the freedom and independence of the island, coupled with a proposition for intervention in the present war between Spain and Cuba.

Among the senators opposed to any modification of the resolution are Messrs. Thurston, Pettigrew, Allen and Mason. "We cannot," said Senator Mason, "agree to any change that would rob the present Cuban government of the victory which they have so nearly won."

"In my opinion, a set of men who have maintained themselves as the Cuban insurgents in opposition to the entire Spanish arms deserve our fullest endorsement," Senator Allen said, adding that he would oppose any effort to curtail their rights.

Senator Thurston said: "If we should intervene without recognizing the present government of Cuba we should place the United States in a position of responsibility to all other powers and to the citizens of all other countries for any damage done them in case of war. This is my interpretation of the international law bearing upon the case, and I do not believe it can be successfully controverted. Furthermore, I think in that event we would be liable for the payment of interest on the Spanish bond which is secured by the Cuban revenues. A greater weight with me than all these considerations is the conviction that if we interfere in the conflict between Spain and the Cubans without recognizing the present government in the island we shall witness the spectacle of the Cubans being compelled to make terms with the bondholders for their recognition after all the sacrifice they shall have made and we shall have made for them. This is the thing that is most repulsive to me in the proposition to deny the present Cuban government its just dues. I do not want to see the Cubans enter a dicker to secure their rights after the Spaniards shall have been driven out."

The movement to consider the whole Cuban question in executive session is gaining ground. Two senators who have looked up the precedents find that the only parallel case to the present was when war was declared against Great Britain in 1812, when the declaration was considered in secret session.

The steering committee appointed at the conference of the house Republicans to canvass the situation to see how many Republicans would stand by them if the occasion arose for independent action held another meeting yesterday afternoon. From the reports presented it was claimed that more than 100 Republicans will act with them. The main question before the committee was as to whether it should stand for independence and intervention, or for intervention without independence. The feeling in the committee has been strong in favor of the recognition of the Cuban republic, but the members do not desire to break with the administration except at the last resort. Meantime some of them are much exercised over the legal phases of the effect of intervention without independence. A fear was expressed that intervention might bind the United States for the $400,000,000 of Spanish-Cuban bonds issued against the revenues of the island. Mr. Tawney of Minnesota stated that some writers on international law maintained in case of acquirement of territory by conquest all the obligations of that particular territory are assumed, and it was argued that if the United States intervened with the ultimate intention of turning over the island to the Cubans this nation would practically have acquired the island by conquest and then made a gift of it to the Cubans. In this view of the case the country might be held liable for the bonds. The sentiment of the committee is against the United States assuming such liability. The international authorities will be looked up and an attempt made to ascertain exactly in what way the bonds are alien on the Cuban revenues.

The cabinet held its usual Friday session, but its meeting brought no change in the matter of the Spanish situation. Indeed it was chiefly significant in establishing the fact that no change had occurred, that none was expected and that the program of action on the part of the United States government was already made up. The president's message remains unaltered, and this being the last cabinet day before the message will go to congress, alterations are unlikely between now and Monday, barring unexpected developments from Madrid. The calmness of the cabinet meeting, which was one of the most eventful held in recent days, was another evidence of the feeling entertained by the administration that the case is made up and that nothing remains to be done but to present the subject to congress and await the final outcome there.

The feeling that an end had come to diplomatic talk and that action alone remained was shared in all quarters, including the foreign embassies and legations, where the ambassadors and ministers expressed the feeling that all had been done in Washington that could or would be done in the cause of peace. What is going on at Madrid gives slight hope of such concessions there as will alter the present situation. There are no negotiations, in the sense of exchanges, on pending propositions. Both parties have apparently said their last word concerning the respective propositions. Certainly this is true as to the United States, and there was no evidence yesterday that the Spanish government would recede. It is even doubtful whether a concession of an armistice by Spain would be sufficient at this late moment to turn the situation into peaceful channels.

What the Spanish Believe.

Madrid, April 9.—To understand the present temper of the Spanish people it must be borne in mind that their press and government have encouraged them to believe that their navy, with a little vigor in preparation, could compete easily on the first brush with the American navy. Then again they had been led to suppose that their military organization in colonies like Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines could undertake to punish severely any aggression on land from the very small regular forces and poorly organized militia of America. At home they are persuaded that their coasts and forts have nothing to fear, as the reserves can be called out and the coast guarded without difficulty. They put much confidence in the idea of sending privateers to raid upon the American merchant and coasting fleets. These optimistic views are not shared in high political and professional circles, where grave apprehension exists regarding trade and communication with the colonies and the dispatch of reliefs and provisions, especially for the Spanish forces in Cuba, that used to get most of their supplies from the United States.

Threatened to Resign.

Madrid, April 9.—The main opposition to the armistice in Cuba, which was suggested by the queen regent and minister for the colonies, came from the ministers of war and marine, General Correa and Admiral Bermejo. If the premier had not yielded they would have resigned, and at the present critical juncture, Spain would have been deprived of the heads of the two principal departments, and, it was feared, it would have been impossible to replace these ministers, in view of the present temper of the army and navy.

"Spain must not be alarmed if war is declared at the sinking of a Spanish warship," said Correa in an interview. "What we must at all costs avoid is a Spanish warship striking her colors to the American flag. She should rather explode her magazines. I wish to God Spain had not a warship from Cuba to the peninsula. We could then say to America: 'We are here; meet us when you please.'"

The Madrid Correspondents.

London, April 9.—The Madrid correspondent of The Mail says: "The note of the powers has caused general satisfaction. The government understands that this is a means of honorably solving Cuban affairs. Although dispatches from Washington continue pessimistic, it is believed here without any sort of doubt that some time has been gained which will enable both governments to prepare solutions of the crisis. As yet the powers have communicated nothing in an official manner to Spain; and the ministers do not know what course will be taken. They imagine the powers will help the pope's action."

The Madrid correspondent of The Times says: "Nothing indicates a change in the situation. The ministry is believed to stand firm to its previous resolutions; and the attitude of the powers is watched with curiosity rather than hope."

The Madrid correspondent of The Standard, telegraphing Friday night, says: "Surprise and perplexity have been caused in Madrid by the news of the steps of the European powers in Washington, which tends to confirm the prevalent idea that the same influences are I then determined to do everything in my power to aid the insurgents to gain their independence. I have urged that in my judgment it was the duty of this government to recognize the independence of the struggling Cubans. This, of course, I hoped to see accomplished without involving the government of the United States in war. With that object in view several months ago I suggested that at some stage of the proceedings the controversy between Spain and Cuba might be adjusted by Cuba paying an indemnity in the bonds of the Cuban republic to Spain for the surrender of her sovereignty. So far as I know this suggestion has never taken any official form or been acted upon in any way. This suggestion is the only relation I have ever had to the bonds of the Cuban republic."

Christina's Return Looked For.

London, April 9.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: "How seriously the situation is understood here is shown by the fact that court circles already believe that Queen Regent Christiana may soon return to her native land. Suitable preparations are already making at the palace of her brother, Archduke Lugen."

Very Faint Glimmer.

Boston, April 9.—The Globe's Washington correspondent telegraphs: "A faint, a very faint glimmer of peace was discerned on the international horizon very late last evening. It may blaze up into a beacon light, to illumine the path of peace; it may flicker and die before it is fairly seen. The information comes to me through one of the foreign embassies. It is not intended to be in any sense official; it is merely the reflection of what is going on in Madrid.

"Spain, as the result of what may almost be termed the coercion of the great powers, may evacuate Cuba, not at the dictation of the hated Yankees, but because she elects to give up Cuba to the Cubans, who are as much Spaniards as they are anything else. That is the subterfuge to be employed; the device which is to 'save Spain's face' and preserve her reputation among the powers of Europe. To permit the Spaniards of Cuba to govern themselves as they see fit is one thing; to give up Cuba because the Yankees demand it is another."

George Gould's Offer.

Kansas City, Mo., April 9.—"My yacht Atlanta and everything I have will be at the disposal of the government in case of war," said George Gould to a reporter.

"And what can the government expect from the moneyed men of New York in the event of war?" he was asked.

"Whatever help and as much as it needs," replied Mr. Gould.

BOSTON OPINION.

An Article That Was "Writ Sarkastic" In The Advertiser.

Boston, April 9.—"Is it worth while," asks The Advertiser, "to answer those people who, in their wisdom so superior to that of the president, and in their love of peace so much more ardent than his, and their sympathy with human suffering so much more deep and tender than his sympathy, have decided that there is no longer anything to fight about, since Spain has made such wonderful 'concessions?' Yes, we think it is worth while. It is greatly desirable that in this supreme crisis there shall be left no excuse of ignorance or thoughtlessness for withholding from President McKinley, and from the congress which has been and will be in accord with him, the unhesitating support of any American citizen."

The Post makes known its position in these words: "If hostilities come, The Post proposes to support the government right up to the handle. There is no toryism in The Post's composition. It has no sort of regard for sulkers or carpers. It believes in old-fashioned patriotism, in the stars and stripes, in the American eagle, and in Uncle Sam triumphant."

As illustrating the barbarous instincts of the Spanish The Globe comments as follows: "What can be thought of a country pretending to be civilized in whose domains American men, women and children are in danger of being massacred on call, merely because of a message of an American president to an American congress? Is there any country but Spain of which such unchristian ferocity and brutal cruelty could be even suspected? What would we say if in case of a declaration of war with Great Britain, Germany or Russia it should be alleged that in case Americans residing in those countries were not hurried out of them in all possible haste they would be assassinated immediately? We should resent the bare imputation of such savagery were it charged against any country in christendom outside of Spain."

Today's Journal remarks: "We are a peace-loving people, and it is with extreme reluctance that we contemplate the possibility of war for any purpose whatever. But, called to a high duty, we cannot shirk responsibility. President, congress and people, we must meet our obligations to the cause of humanity with entire agreement of purpose and a cheerful courage."

UNDER AN AVALANCHE.

Calamity Overtakes Wayfarers on the Way to the Gold Fields.

Seattle, Wash., April 9.—The steamer Alki arrived last night with news that a slide had occurred on the Chilkoot trail, April 3, in which 31 men are known to have been killed. Fully 50 people are either buried in the snow or scattered along the borders of the avalanche more or less injured.

The point at which the accident occurred is five miles above Sheep Camp. The nearest telephone station is four miles distant. The telephone wires were carried away by the slide, and this makes it difficult to obtain further particulars.

A blinding snow storm was raging all day on the summit, and many of those in the vicinity were making no attempt to travel. Thousands of people were encamped near the scene of the accident, and were soon rendering assistance.

All day Saturday and Sunday a southerly storm with rain, wind and snow prevailed in that vicinity, and it is believed the softening of the snow on the mountain side was the cause of the avalanche. The quantity of snow and ice that came down the slide is estimated at thousands of tons. It swept across the trail, which was thronged with wayfarers. Where the trail lay is now a mountain of snow and ice under which are many bodies that cannot be recovered for days to come.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 9.—The house of representatives yesterday passed to be engrossed the bill providing for the creation of a board of apportionment for the city of Boston. The opposition to the bill did not have many votes.

It was recommended that the rules be suspended for the admission of a bill authorizing the city of Brockton to expend not more than $5000 a year for the support of the Brockton hospital.

The bill providing for the free transportation of bicycles when no other baggage is offered was postponed in the senate for consideration until next Wednesday. The bill providing for the appointment of license commissioners by the mayor of Haverhill, subject to the confirmation of the board of aldermen, was ordered to a third reading without debate, and the bill prohibiting the use of song birds as ornaments on hats, etc. was engrossed.

Mystery of the Deep.

Newport, R. I., April 9.—Captain Isaac Snell of New Bedford left here Tuesday afternoon for Block island, 12 miles distant. He had an unknown man with him, and since then there have been no tidings of the vessel. There was a heavy squall at the time of sailing. A keg from the schooner has been picked up at sea, and it is believed both men have been drowned.

The body of John Bradford, 60 years of age, who had been missing since Wednesday, was found on the shore. He had been despondent since the death of his wife two years ago. It is supposed he committed suicide, as his pockets were filled with stones.

Acquittal Most Certain.

Dover, N. H., April 9.—Chief Justice Carpenter, in his charge in the Jones case Friday, informed the jury that there were two questions to consider, namely: "Did Sally W. Jones come to her death by poisoning? If so, was the poison administered by Alfred W. Jones?" The chief justice said that there was no evidence that Mrs. Jones died by poisoning, and he quoted from the evidence of Professor Wood of Harvard university, who made an analysis of the stomach and intestines, which showed that the poison found might have been that contained in embalming fluid.

Persecuting Emile Zola.

Paris, April 9.—The officers composing the court-martial which acquitted Count Esterhazy have decided to commence civil actions for libel against Emile Zola, and Mr. Perreux, publisher of The Aurora, who were recently sentenced to fine and imprisonment for making charges, which were not sustained, against the conduct of the court-martial. The officers also expressed the wish that the minister for war, General Billot, would ask that Mr. Zola be expelled from the Legion of Honor.

The Brewster Case.

Montpelier, Vt., April 9.—At the trial of Mildred Brewster for killing Anna Wheeler, the prosecution sought to show premeditated crime by the testimony of two witnesses Friday. Thomas Sheridan, who boarded at the same house as the accused, said he heard her say: "If Jack Wheeler ever marries Anna Wheeler they will never live together if I can help it." Josephine Doucette heard her say that she would get even with Anna Wheeler.

Rubber Factory Stopped.

Malden, Mass., April 9.—Both mills of the Boston Rubber Shoe company were closed yesterday afternoon for three weeks, the orders for 1898 being all filled, and the orders for next year will not be received before April 25. Both mills have been running on three-quarters time the past two months, and it is stated that when they reopen they will not be run on full time. About 3500 hands are out of employment.

Found a Living Freight.

Montreal, April 9.—When a United States customs official opened the door of a bonded freight car bound from an Alabama point to Brunswick, Me., yesterday, 13 emaciated negroes crawled out. They had been without food or water for several days. Some of them had to be taken to a hospital. The car had been sealed in Cincinnati last Sunday. The men were beating their w

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$100 to be paid at time and place of sale, balance within ten days.

DANA I. McINTIRE, Mortgagee.
March 26. 3t-26-2-9

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Neil H. Bethune to Dana I. McIntire, dated Sept. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 797, Page 114, for breach of condition contained in said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on MONDAY the 18th day of April A. D., 1898 at half past three o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, situated in Quincy, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage as follows, viz.:

A certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth, known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-five upon a plan entitled "Plan of building lots situated in Atlantic, in the City of Quincy, owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, in Book 766, Page 81. Said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Webster street, five hundred eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street, fifty feet; containing 3,962 square feet of land,

$100 to be paid at time and place of sale, and balance within ten days.

DANA I. McINTIRE, Mortgagee.
March 26. 3t 26-2-9

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A certain lot of parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-nine upon a plan entitled "Plan of Building Lots situated in Atlantic in the City of Quincy owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds in Book 766, Page 81, said lot is bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Webster street four hundred eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street fifty feet; containing 3962 square feet of land.

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A certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, in Norfolk County, in said Commonwealth, known as Atlantic, being lot numbered thirty-seven upon a plan entitled "Plan for Building Lots situated in Atlantic, in the City of Quincy owned by the estate of L. S. Carter" and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 766, Page 81, said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point of the northerly side of Webster street four hundred and eighty-five and 6-10 feet, easterly from Squantum street; thence northerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence easterly fifty feet; thence southerly seventy-nine and 25-100 feet; thence westerly on Webster street fifty feet; containing 3,962 square feet of land.

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A GEORGIA PHALANX.

UNWRITTEN HISTORY ABOUT THE NINETEENTH GEORGIA REGIMENT.

It Opened the Ball of the "Seven Days" In Front of Richmond — Bloody Struggles In Harness With Archer's Tennesseeans—Fought to a Frazzle Many Times.

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SUDDEN plunge into the hottest fire of battle was the initiation of the Nineteenth Georgia to the ranks of the famous fighting regiments of Lee's army. It was not on a noted field, either, that this gallant battalion got its real baptism of fire and made the heaviest entry on its marvelous roll of honor. "Mechanicsville" is the name given by the Confederates to the affair which the Federals call Beaver Dam Creek and do not rate very high as a battle. Lee's regiments were ordered to inscribe it on their flags along with Cold Harbor (Gaines Mill), Frazer's Farm (Glendale) and Malvern Hill. No empty honor that for the Nineteenth Georgia, since it left 185 of its number killed and wounded on that field.

It was at Mechanicsville that Lee met with his first check in the move to turn McClellan's flank under Fitz John Porter at the close of June, 1862. Porter had stationed the Pennsylvania reserves along Beaver Dam creek to meet the enemy's advance. Anticipating a surprise, the Confederates, led by Colonel J. J. Archer's brigade, to which the Nineteenth belonged, dashed forward boldly to the banks of the creek unaware that beyond it lay long lines of Yankee riflemen and batteries trained upon every foot of ground where soldiers could march.

This was not the first experience of the Nineteenth under fire. It had been at West Point, on the York river, in May to help check the Federal advance up the peninsula after the evacuation at Yorktown and had also taken part in the surprise at Seven Pines, losing a few men, but not coming to close quarters. Favored of luck, perhaps, up to the time of the attack at Mechanicsville, the days of grace were over when it joined Archer's brigade in A. P. Hill's Light division. Hill's division came to be used as a wedge to open a way into the enemy's lines. The bullets and cannon shots of the Pennsylvanians played havoc in its ranks on the banks of Beaver Dam creek, but the next day at Gaines Mill it played the same role, charging breastworks and batteries. In these two days Archer lost 535 men out of 1,228. The Nineteenth had entered the fight 400 strong and lost almost half of them the first day.

In the remaining battles of the peninsula the Nineteenth lost few, as it had but few to lose, but was entitled to emblazon its banners with the names of all four. It marched with Archer's brigade in Hill's division when Jackson returned north to new fields of adventure in front of Washington. Archer's brigade made history as a band of Tennesseeans, having three regiments from that state. Perhaps the Georgians vied with the mountaineers in the race for glory and kept their end up against three rivals. Archer, who was a Tennessecan, praised them as they deserved for their deeds at Mechanicsville.

At Cedar Mountain, where Jackson first crossed bayonets with the soldiers of Pope's army, Archer had the place of honor near Jackson himself. The brigade made a gallant charge to save the Confederate left from disaster and the Nineteenth lost one-third of its number. This was not many, for less than six weeks had passed since its last battle on the peninsula. Hill's division followed Jackson upon his famous raid in the rear of Pope's army when the stores were captured at Manassas. It was Archer's men that Jackson called to the front when he found Taylor's New Jersey brigade crossing Bull Run to reconnoiter the rear of Pope's army. Jackson was on a raid, not bent upon fighting; hence he desired to get rid of Taylor. A trap was laid for him, and Archer's brigade captured nearly the entire command, killing the gallant leader.

Second Manassas was one of the hardest fought battles Jackson ever engaged in. He was nearly caught in a trap, and desperate fighting alone could save him. Hill's division held the famous railroad cut which played a great part in Jackson's line, serving as a stronghold. All day on the 29th of August Archer's men defended the cut from the steady assaults of the enemy and several times charged forward from it to dislodge the Federal columns. On the 30th the battle raged fiercer than ever around the cut, for Pope believed he had separated Jackson from Longstreet's supporting column. Throughout the day the Confederates kept a steady stream of fire pouring from behind the railway embankment Their own loss was slight,



AT MANASSAS.

but the execution upon the Federals was awful. When the contest became close, the soldiers of both sides used sticks and stones for weapons. About 5 o'clock Archer's brigade rushed from the cut and charged over the field direct upon a six gun battery which was firing canister. Three of the guns fell to the brigade as trophies, and at night the men bivouacked in the heart of the enemy's camp. In the two days' battles the Nineteenth lost 80 men.

In the Maryland campaign Archer's brigade saw comparatively little fighting, but the Nineteenth lost in one charge at Antietam half of its strength.

On the retreat back to Virginia from Antietam the Nineteenth played a part in the second tragedy of the kind on the bluffs of the Potomac, the affair at Shepherdstown. The advance of the Federals over the Shepherdstown ford was led by a volunteer brigade consisting of the Eighteenth and Twenty-second Massachusetts, the Thirteenth and Twenty-fifth New York, the Second Maine and the One Hundred and Eighteenth Pennsylvania (Corn Exchange regiment). When the Federals reached the crest of the bluffs, they saw no enemy to oppose them, but on every hand signs of a retreat. Halting to form column, they prepared for a bold pursuit of the Confederates, when they found themselves overwhelmed in front and on each flank by men in gray who seemed to spring out of the ground, so sudden the onslaught.

The Federals in front were hurled back upon their supports, who happened to be regulars, and the intrepid Georgians who followed up their first stroke were roughly dealt with. On the Federal side the One Hundred and Eighteenth Pennsylvania suffered the most. The front line was actually hurled from the bluff, and many were shot while trying to recross the river. The Nineteenth lost 30 men in all, and but for returning convalescents and slightly wounded men who rejoined the colors there would have been no hands to keep the old flag afloat.

By the time the armies next confronted each other, three months after Antietam, the regiment had been filled up to the average field strength of southern regiments. It was still in Archer's command, under Hill and Jackson, but was to fight its last battle among the Tennesseeans at Fredericksburg when Burnside attacked there with the Army of the Potomac in December.

Fredericksburg battleground was not confined to the terraced and walled slopes of Marye's heights. It was there that Longstreet strove with Hancock and French along the bloody stone wall, but miles away, on the Confederate left, Stonewall Jackson was holding the destinies of Lee's army at the crossing of the pike and railroad over Hamilton heights. Jackson's line lay behind the Bowling Green road and the railroad to Richmond and in the pass the Federals must secure in order to reap anything from the capture of Marye's heights should that take place. The Confederate infantry lay well screened in the woods and the artillery on ridges in rear. Meade's division of Pennsylvanians, the same troops that the Georgians had met at Mechanicsville months before, charged across the railroad into the woods where Hill's division stood in line. The Nineteenth was on the extreme left of Archer's brigade, and a long distance from the next brigade of the front line. General Gregg's brigade of South Carolinians was in a second line some rods behind the first and out of sight of the line of advancing Pennsylvanians. Meade's foremost brigade saw the break in the Confederate line on the flank of the Georgians and, swinging into the unoccupied ground, brought up in rear of the Georgians.

At the head of the Pennsylvanians rode their leader, General Conrad Feger Jackson, mounted on a superb silver gray horse. Getting the better of their natural



THE GALLANT SOLDIER REELED FROM HIS SADDLE.

admiration for courage, the Georgians, who were surprised and confused at the turn of affairs, cried out, "Shoot the man on the white horse!" and in a few minutes the gallant soldier reeled from the saddle, dead. But his blow had been well struck, for not only Archer's brigade but Gregg's in rear and Thomas' Georgians beyond the fatal gap were thrown into confusion.

Colonel Turney was temporarily commanding Archer's men that day. Throwing himself in front of the routed line next the gap, he motioned with his sword, laid out an imaginary position at right angles with the old one and, joined by the line officers around him, shouted, "Into line, men; into line!" Facing north, the Georgians rallied and poured their fire into the intrepid Pennsylvanians who had penetrated the gap as far as where Gregg's Georgians stood. Colonel Turney was shot through the mouth and neck, and two men who tried to carry him from the field were struck down by a bursting shell. More than half the Nineteenth were surrounded by the Pennsylvanians, and the fighting ranks were thinned out by bullets until once more the gallant regiment was reduced to a handful. But there was no thought of yielding that new line even though it was clogged with dead defenders.

Suddenly there was a crashing sound in the brush far to the rear behind Gregg's line and a thousand gray coats burst into view yelling and shouting: "Here comes old Jubal. Let Jubal straighten out that fence." They were the men of Jubal Early's division, and they straightened out the broken line, sending the Pennsylvanians back over the river plain never to return. Jackson held Hamilton heights.

The Nineteenth lost in killed and wounded 87 men, the most of them in fighting to restore the line after it was taken by surprise. Soon after the battle it was transferred to the Georgia brigade of General A. H. Colquitt.

In the battle of Chancellorsville the Nineteenth escaped with little loss, although it was in the front of the attacking line. It went south with Colquitt's brigade about the time Lee started northward to invade Pennsylvania. In the summer and fall of 1863 the regiment was engaged around Charleston and fought at Ocean Pond, Fla., in February, 1864. Then it returned to Virginia and fought with Lee's veterans to the end of the war. The records of losses, compiled while the command was in the trenches at Petersburg in the summer of 1864, show a total of 184 killed in battle. The regiment never numbered more than 1,258 men. There were 630 wounded and 253 deaths from disease and wounds. The loss by death was 437 and by death and disability 607. This record of battle losses covers but two years' actual fighting, as there were no battle casualties before June, 1862.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 10. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Conquering the fear of death.—John viii, 51-54; Phil. i, 20-26. An Easter song service suggested.

Death is a universal enemy of mankind. It holds sway in every land and clime. It has struck terror to millions of human hearts. What glorious news to humanity that death has been conquered and the grave need no longer be feared! This is the message of Easter. When Christ arose, He overcame death not merely for Himself, but for all who are His. The humblest disciple of Christ in the world can say: "O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin." But Christ cleanses us from sin, and thereby removes the sting from death. The pardoned Christian no longer has any fear of death.

1. The testimony of Christ proves that the fear of death has been conquered for the Christian. John viii, 51, reads, "Verily, verily, I say unto you if a man keep My saying he shall never see death." Christ is not speaking of spiritual death, but physical death. He does not mean one who obeys Him will never pass through the grave, but that what is called death to the Christian is not death. The Christian never dies. Obedience to Christ leads to immortal life. Death is only a change from temporal to eternal life and therefore need not be feared. This is Christ's testimony, and it is true. If we keep His word, if we obey His commandments, we need never have any fear of death. Are we obeying His commandments? This is our part in conquering the fear of death. Christ has done His part. Are we doing ours?

2. The experience of the Apostle Paul corroborates the testimony of Christ that death has been conquered (Phil. i, 20-26). With what cheerful courage Paul here speaks of death! He is a prisoner at Rome. His future is yet undecided. Whether it will be life or death he does not know, but in either case he declares he will magnify Christ in his body. "Christ," he says, "shall be magnified by my body, whether it be by life or by death. To live is Christ, to die is gain." No fear of death in such language as that. Instead of fearing death he looked upon it as a personal gain, for then he would be with Christ, and when, later on, he did know that the end was before him he calmly wrote to Timothy, "I am now ready to be offered up, and the time of my departure is at hand." The experience of Paul is the experience of all Christians when they come to the dying hour. Death may seem to us to have still a sting in it, but when we come to die God will give us dying grace. "Expiring saints have often said that their last beds have been the best they ever slept upon. Many have inquired, 'Can this be death?' To die has been so different from what they expected it to be, so lightsome, so joyous." "Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me."

Bible Readings.—Ps. iii, 5-8; xxiii, 1-3; xxvii, 1; cxviii, 6; Isa. xxv, 8; Ezek. xxxvii, 12; Hos. xiii, 14; John v, 24; xi, 20-27; Acts vii, 54-60; Rom. viii, 24, 25; I Cor. xv, 54-58; I Tim. iv, 7, 8; Rev. ii, 10.

Need of the Bible.

What the Bible has been and is can be understood only when we consider man in the totality of his moral and spiritual needs. He has needed the Bible, he needs it yet and he forever will need it. The Bible means man's psychologic demand for certainty, that he is a moral imbecile unless he can be confident that something is right, that there is something which is worthy of the name of authority. If the higher criticism should put the Bible out of court, so that we not only cease to kiss it, but to regard it as a moral guide, we must find something which will take its place. If we admit that science is to become the source of moral authority in the future, it will be realized as such only if it becomes in some degree taboo and insists that some things are worthy of being done and others not worthy. It must say this or it cannot have any moral sanction or any spiritual power.—Christian Register.

Good Courage.

Every Christian worker needs to have the secret of good courage. Courage is no more necessary to the soldier that fights his country's battles than to the soldier of Christ who wages warfare against the evil of the world. The need of it is constant and urgent. To lose it is to lose power to overcome. Without it Joshua would have been but poorly equipped for the great task thrust upon him after the death of Moses. No doubt he was dismayed when he saw what was expected of him. He was to lead Israel into the promised land. They had been rescued from slavery in Egypt, brought to the borders of Canaan and were ready to enter upon the inheritance promised to Abraham and his seed. —Independent.

Equal the Pharisee.

Do you give tithes of all you possess? If not, does your righteousness in this matter even equal the righteousness of an average Pharisee whom you scorn?—Christian Standard.

Learn of Christ.

Go to dark Gethsemane,
Ye that feel the tempter's power;
Your Redeemer's conflict see,
Watch with Him one bitter hour.
Turn not from His griefs away.
Learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

Follow to the judgment hall,
View the Lord of life arraigned.
Oh, the wormwood and the gall!
Oh, the pangs His soul sustained!
Shun not suffering, shame or loss.
Learn of Him to bear the cross.

Calvary's mournful mountains climb.
There, adoring at His feet,
Mark the miracle of time,
God's own sacrifice complete.
"It is finished!" hear Him cry.
Learn of Jesus Christ to die.

—Anonymous.

BICYCLE BAGGAGE CAR.

It Will Carry Two Hundred Wheels and Carry Them Safely.

Greater New York's first bicycle baggage car has been built by the Long Island Railroad company and given a practical test. Five more will be added for the summer traffic.

In the last year the company has changed its policy entirely regarding carrying bicycles, and instead of looking upon them as nuisances has done considerable to encourage wheelmen to use the railroad.

The new cars have racks fastened on the sides and hooks arranged through the center of the car along the roof by which wheels are assured of reasonably safe passage. The old way of throwing valuable machines together in a bunch has been abolished entirely. It wrenched the joints, played havoc with the delicate parts of the machinery and often rendered the bicycle temporarily useless. Cyclists objected strenuously, but railroad officials shrugged their shoulders and told them it was the best they could do. They treated the wheel as baggage and "let it go at that."

A party of wheelmen made the trip from New York to Babylon on the new car recently. Their wheels were stored in the car, some in racks and some hung from the hooks of the roof. When they were taken off, after the 30 mile ride, not one of them was injured or even scratched or marred. The cyclists rode to Patchogue, and then returned to New York, the wheels again giving the new appliances a test in the cycle car. At the end of the run all were in good condition and ready for instant service.

Each of the new cars has mechanical appliances to rack 144 wheels, and 200 bicycles can be carried without any damage. The new cars are modeled somewhat after the pattern of bicycle baggage cars on the French railroads.—New York Journal.

SHORT WHEEL NOTES.

Tandem riding promises to be more popular than ever this year, says The American Cyclist.

Riders under the age of 18 are not allowed to participate in the Manhattan Bicycle club's century runs.

The Audubon society of Connecticut requests the co-operation of all wheelmen and wheelwomen in its work for the protection of birds.

Willie Windle, whose home is at West Millbury, Mass., and who was a crack racer several years ago, contemplates returning to the sport, it is said.

In the supreme court at Riverhead, N. Y., William Seaman of Wolverhampton was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for the theft of a bicycle. It was his second offense.

Pat O'Connor, who is regarded as one of the best steersmen in the country for a quad, quint or sextet pacing machine, is working in a bicycle shop at Louisville, having left the track for good.

The Royal Arcanum wheelmen of Brooklyn have decided to extend to wheelwomen the same privileges as heretofore on century runs, and a special committee of six strong riders is appointed to look after the women's division.

New wheels of 1898 model are scarce on the roads as yet, and they seem scarcer than they actually are, probably because of the slight difference in general appearance and because also of the fact that many 1897 wheels have been renovated and fitted with 1898 accessories, says the New York Sun. Here and there a chainless wheel appears and also a few gear cased models.

Lack of Noise a Feature.

The thing which the makers of the chainless pride themselves on is the fact that the wheel travels along noiselessly, none of the grinding or back lashing common with chain driven machines being heard. Admirers of the chainless look upon this as a feature of the new wheel, but the fact that there is absolutely no noise to be heard is believed by many to increase a rider's anxiety. The wheel gives no warning of its approach.

A rider of the chainless who is very well satisfied with his purchase says he has ridden on all kinds of roads and that the machine seems to run easier with each ride. He says it has outcoasted chain wheels often, and on one occasion after the chain wheel had been thoroughly cleaned and adjusted.—New York World.

No Paradise For Racers.

Although it is granted that this year will be a notable one in cycle racing, there will be comparatively little support given to it by the manufacturers of cycles and tires. In past years these have spent large sums in maintaining racing teams, a single firm which supported a team of record men and pacemakers having been credited with spending nearly $50,000 in one season, although the estimate is probably excessive. Of the best men a few may be employed as of old, but the majority will have to look to racing associations and prize money for their returns. The second class men will continue to lead a hand to mouth existence. Few, other than stars like Michael, Bald, Cooper and Kiser, have a very encouraging prospect to face.—New York Telegram.

Cyclists and the War Scare.

President Potter has piped a strain or two about the L. A. W. being able to furnish the United States army with 102,000 ablebodied recruits, and a few editors have reclothed theories of the military cycle, but as yet the cyclists are neither apathetic nor jingoistic. One thing, however, we believe to be true, and that is if this country ever has special need of the services of strong and vigorous young manhood the wheelmen will prove a tower of strength and bulwark of the nation.—American Cyclist.

it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

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Oct. 30. tf

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave CITY SQUARE, Quincy, for all points on the hour and half hour except on the Neponset line, where cars leave City Square on the hour and 15, 30, and 45 minutes past the hour. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour and half hour for Neponset, and cars leaving Neponset at 22 and 52 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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B. E. H. Benefit.

The annual benefit extended the Boston Emergency Hospital by many of the representative gentlemen of the Commonwealth is slated for the afternoon of Thursday April 14th at the Boston Theatre. An assurance is already at hand that the entertainment will be one of a superior order of merit.

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THE RABBIT IDENTIFIED WITH THE MOON IN SYMBOLISM.

Mythology of the Nations Respecting This Period — Origin of Many Customs and Traditions — The Moon Goddess and Change of Sex.

The story of the hare, or, as it is told in this country, the rabbit, who lays the wonderful Easter eggs is only one of a number of confidence games which are played with certain success upon generation after generation of the rising children of men.

The prevalent skepticism of the age fails utterly of transmission to the little ones. Every Christmas a very respectable saint with preposterous nocturnal habits is introduced into the domestic calendar of "truly people" and is harmonized by infant sophistry, which differs little from much of the logic of the elders, with the budding theology of the baby mind.

But of all the queer stories whose certainty of credence is based on the strength in children of the broad principle of human gullibility expressed by Cæsar in the statement that men readily believe those things which are pleasant to believe the legend of the Easter hare is the most transparent and yet most successful gold brick game that is annually played upon the little "comeons."

The common, everyday product of the industrious hen is gilded with glittering foil or boiled in some weirdly patterned, mendacious piece of "fast color" calico and deposited in all the resultant crudity of its color scheme in an impossible nest in an outlandish place, which only a creature "mad as a March hare" would ever think of choosing for a homestead site. The children then, in willing mystification, are sent hunting for "bunny's nest" and its wonderful contents.

The sight of the eggs is sufficient proof to the children of the truth of the whole story, as Baron Munchausen desired the moon's presence to be to his auditors, after he had recounted his lunar adventures. Besides, have not the grown folks told the tale with solemn faces? And if a smile should thereafter "twitch the bearded ambush" of a man-



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ly mouth at the easy credulity of a child, it might be well to remind him that he himself has accepted on simple testimony the truth of statements equally astounding. Does he not believe in the existence of the "zoological paradox," the ornithorhynchus, a hairy mammal that yet lays eggs?

The reason why the hare story has come down to our children is that in former generations grown people believed in it sufficiently to perpetuate it. The explanation of its origin is mythological. The symbolism of the egg, in connection with the celebration of the resurrection, is obvious. It represents the new life, the bursting of the soul from material bonds into a freer and higher existence. Long before the rise of Christianity the egg was used as the symbol of the physical universe and the awakening of life therein. As such it was given among friends as a token of good wishes for the new year, which began, as it still does among the Chinese, with the vernal equinox.

It would seem that we ought to be satisfied with the sufficient symbolism of the egg without running after the hare and tracing the myth concerning him to its origin. He, however, is not a meaningless accompaniment to the Easter egg, with whose production he is credited. After the advice of the old recipe, therefore, let us "first catch our hare." To do this we must follow him from country to country, from America and England and Germany through Greece and Egypt to India, and catch him at last—where do you suppose?

The Saxon goddess Eastre, from whom the name Easter is derived, has generally been identified by learned men with Astarte, the Phœnician goddess of the moon, whose name is familiar to Bible readers as Ashtaroth. Her festival was celebrated in early spring at the beginning of the ancient year and therefore since Christ's passion was also a festival of that date in the harmonizing of Christian customs and pagan rites which took place in the evangelization of the Goths and the Saxons Easter and the resurrection were identified in observance. Now the double symbolism of the physical and spiritual resurrection found a parallel in the character of the moon goddess. Not content with being a woman and hence privileged enough, one would think, in the exercise of "mutable and variable" characteristics, she even had the advantage of changing her sex! The Greeks addressed her as a three formed goddess and as a male. In Germanic speech the moon yet persists as masculine in gender.

The best explanation of this dualism is that the moon was at the same time both masculine and feminine; that there were two moons, a dark and a light, the "old moon in the new moon's arms" being properly enough the "woman in the case." When the moon was full—usually a masculine trait, by the way—the light, or male element, alone was present, and the "man in the moon" reigned free of all feminine influence. He was lord of light and of time; Mas, the measurer," as the Sanskrit called him. When the moon was waning, it was, in Egyptian mythology, Typhon, the type of evil, whose sway diminished with the return of the new moon and ended at the full, at which time a black pig, the symbol of Typhon, was offered in sacrifice to Osiris, the sun, supposed to be his victorious enemy. The leg of pig which is eaten in some parts of England on Easter Monday is probably a survival of this custom, and the tradition about the sun dancing on Easter morning may also be a reminiscence of the old Egyptian myth It would be interesting to know if these traditions came through the Druids or the Saxons. The former rep-



HUNTING BUNNY'S NEST.

resented the moon as two goddesses, Llyw̆y and Kreirwy, the analogues to Demeter and Persephone of the Greeks, the Mother and the Virgin, and of Vinata and Kaden of the Sanskrit, the former of whom is connected with our modern observance of Easter in that she bore an egg, whence issues the serpent which, according to tradition common to many primitive peoples, brings about the waxing and waning of the moon by swallowing and disgorging it. This conception is not confined to savages, for Musset, the French poet, in his fantastic "Ballade a la Lune," apostrophizes the moon as follows:

Is it a snake that gnaws
Thy disk? Whose swart embrace
So draws
To long affright thy face?

But why is the hare rather than the serpent, which is the more plausible egg producer, connected with the survival of moon worship at Eastertide? It is because from the earliest times people fashioned the spots of the moon in the form of a hare, just as the majestic mien and rayonnant mane of the lion made him the fit symbol of the beaming sun. And as the moon seemed to shrink from the presence of the lord of day, what was more natural than to represent it in proverb and story as the timid hare leaping up in the absence or the subjugation of its powerful enemy?

As the moon in mythology was represented as changing its sex, so its animal symbol, by that mental process which evolves fact from fancy, was in time thought to do so in reality. From the days of Pliny and Plutarch to the euphuists and their successors of the reigns of Elizabeth and James the astounding statement was accepted without question. It is referred to in the following incantation from Beaumont and Fletcher's "Faithful Shepherdess," which also connects the hare with the moon:

Hares that, yearly, sexes change;
Proteus, altering oft and strange;
Hecate, with shapes three,
Let this maiden changed be.

Even in the succeeding days of dawning science the author of "Vulgar Errors," in his chapter upon the belief in this metamorphosis, denies only that the change occurs annually and admits that it may have taken place in exceptional instances.

Another zoological fable which connects the hare with the watchful moon, "Spy since that man was born," was that the hare, born, unlike the rabbit, with open eyes, never closed them, and so, in the old medicine, his brain and eyes were prescribed to induce wakefulness.

Superstitions connecting the hare and the moon are innumerable. The hare that crosses your path brings either ill luck, as does the shadow that crosses the moon in eclipse, or else disorders your wits, as the beams of the moon are thought to bring lunacy by shining upon the unprotected face and head. In this latter capacity as a lunatic maker the flesh of the hare was supposed to induce melancholy. But whether hatters, who are proverbial for their "madness," become so by walking bareheaded (on the same principle that shoemakers' children run barefoot) or are rendered "hare brained" by an especial diet upon puss' pelt bereft carcass is a question for anthropology, and neither zoology nor mythology, to decide.

A. L. GERNON.



Ah seen Melindy ez she sat
T'day alone in huh chu'ch pew.
Melindy got de swelles' hat—
She got dat hat foh Eastah too!
De preechuh tell how Adam bit
De fruit an los' de garden fair,
But 'Lindy got dat garden yit.
Hit perch on top huh kinky hair!

SUNDAY SERVICES.

EASTER SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Special Easter services. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The Transfigured Valley." Bible School at 12 M. Easter concert at 6 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach. Subject: "The Endless Life." Sunday School at 12 M. Service at Sailor's Home at 2.30 P. M. Vespers at 4.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 110 Hancock street—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School and Bible class at 12 M. Y. P. S. E. C. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. A welcome to all.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 o'clock. Sunday School at 12 M. Young Ladies' prayer meeting at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. The Scandinavians are invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street.—Bible lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The immortality of the soul."

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Easter Sunday sermon. Sunday School at 12 M. Bible class and teachers' meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor. Residence, corner of Whitwell and Klondike streets. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The Humiliated Christ." Bible School at 12 M. Praise and prayer service at 7 o'clock. At the close, the ordinance of baptism will be administered to candidates. All are welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. George Howard Studley. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Easter concert by the Sunday School at 7.15 P. M.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Eward Norton. Subject: "The place where the Lord lay." A sermon for Easter. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Easter concert of the Sabbath School at at 7.30 P. M. Social service Friday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

ATLANTIC METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. There will be appropriate commemoration of Easter; sermon by the pastor. Special music by the quartette. In the evening the Sunday School will give a concert, commencing at 7 P. M. The Epworth League will be omitted.

Castle Square Theatre.

The remarkable success made by the Castle Square Theatre Stock company in its recent production of "The Prisoner of Zenda," together with the many requests from those unable to secure seats during the single week of its performance, have led the management to announce this great play as the Easter week attraction at the Castle Square Theatre. The magnificent stage settings, costumes and accessories will again heighten the effect of the performances and the cast will include:—J. H. Cilmour, Horace Lewis, William Humphrey, H. H. Fowler, Charles Mackay, J. L. Seeley, Tony Cummings, J. B. Walker, Lindsay Morison, W. C. Masson, John J. Geary, Lillian Lawrence, Maud O'dell, Lizzie Morgan, together with Miss Lislie Leigh, who joins the organization the coming week. The "Prisoner of Zenda" is announced for a single week and will be followed by a very elaborate production of "Held by the Enemy," preparations for which have been in progress for many weeks. In order to comply with the wishes of patrons, a beautiful souvenir portrait of Miss Lillian Lawrence will be given away to all adults who attend the Wednesday matinee of the coming week.

Keith's Theatre.

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NEW FACTOR IN THE SITUATION.

So Secretary Long Says of the Proclaimed Armistice.

Favorable to a Peaceable Settlement of Dispute.

Tenor of the Proposal Reported by the Spanish Minister.

President to Ask For Authority to Bring About Peace In Cuba With the Help of This Country's Military Arm, and Deprecates Extending Recognition to the Fighting Islanders—Belief General That the Latest Declation Will Be Abortive In Causing an End to Struggle.

Washington, April 11.—This day is the exact anniversary of the beginning of the civil war. The first hostile act, the demand for the surrender of Fort Sumter, occurred April 11, 1861. This day, 1889, may decide the question of peace or war with Spain. History will be making rapidly this week. The fate of the nation and the fate of the Republican party seem to the president to be depending on his action, and he is desirous that no mistake shall be made; hence the prolonged cabinet meetings, and the conference with senators all Sunday.

There is sure to be a struggle between the conservatives, who believe in standing by the president, and the extremists, who want war with Spain. No man can foresee which faction will gain the victory. Events have come with such rapidity, the situation has shown such a kaleidoscopic tendency, that the temper of congress concerning this latest development must remain unknown till the message shall have been received and discussed. The most probable result is a serious difference of opinion in both houses, to be followed by a long discussion before it is found possible to harmonize the conflicting views and secure that unity of action between the two houses which is above all things desirable in treating a question of such transcendent importance as this.

A member of the cabinet said yesterday: "Why should we not wait a week or two to see what Spain proposes to do in the direction of securing peace? Under the pressure of European powers very much might be done in a fortnight. If we go to war, it may take months to free Cuba. Would it not be better to secure the same result in the same length of time by peaceful means?"

It is not well to take a too optimistic view of the situation; it is still grave. All danger of war has not been removed, although the prospects of peace are brighter. Congress and the insurgents aer yet to be heard from. All that can be said is that the outlook is brighter than it has been. Secretary Long tersely summed up the case when he said after the adjournment of the cabinet: "So far as the suggestion of a suspension of hostilities goes it certainly becomes a new factor in the situation and is an indication of conciliation on the part of Spain. It is favorable rather than otherwise to a peaceful solution. I am still in hopes the necessity of war may be averted."

The president has been overwhelmed with conflicting counsels and recommendations. Saturday night, when the announcement of a Spanish proclamation of a contemplated cessation of hostilities was first received, he was inclined to regard it as of great importance, and he was confirmed in this view by Senator Elkins, who was with him until midnight, and who went directly from the White House to the Spanish legation. The cabinet meeting yesterday morning helped to fix this impression in his mind. With hardly an exception, the members of the cabinet were of the opinion that it was the duty of the administration to delay until it could be ascertained what effect the proposed cessation of hostilities would have. They did not advise him to postpone the message, but they did urge him to append a paragraph earnestly recommending congress to defer action until the Spanish government should have been able to attempt new negotiations looking to the pacification of Cuba. The meeting lasted for a long time, and at its close the president was inclined to accept the views of his official advisers. Some of those who called upon him in the afternoon opposed such a course strenuously. At last one senator who has been an earnest advocate of peace, and who is a leader of the conservative element, told him that it would never do to recommend a compliance with the Spanish suggestion; and that if anything of the sort were attempted there was grave danger that congress would take the matter into its own hands and act at once without regard to the president's wishes.

Out of the conflict of varying opinions was at last brought the conclusion that there should be no recommendation of compliance with the Spanish request, and that no suggestion should be made that congress regard it save in the event that it proved effective for the purposes which the United States government has in view.

No suggestion has come from Spain that the proposed cessation of hostilities will lead to anything more tangible than an advanced autonomy. Indeed, Minister Bernabe called at the state department yesterday afternoon and presented a formal document, which stated in so many words that autonomy was what his government had in view. He declared that the queen regent of Spain had commanded General Blanco to proclaim an armistice without conditions, and that her majesty's government had granted liberal institutions to the island of Cuba, which the coming Cuban parliament would develop. Recalling the condolence and sympathy expressed by the queen regent and her government on the disaster of the Maine, and the horrors this disaster had occasioned in Spanish hearts, and appealing to the courtesy and sense of justice of the United States government to enlighten public opinion upon the attitude of Spain, the note also repeats the offer of the Spanish government to submit the Maine question to experts designated by the maritime powers of the world.



SENOR POLO BERNABE.

It appears that the Sagasta ministry has never for a moment considered anything in the nature of independence, and it is as certain now as it seemed a week ago that independence will not be agreed to by the government at Madrid. If the United States desires to secure the freedom of Cuba, which is the only assurance of the permanent pacification of the island, it must intervene by force to bring it about.

The spirit as well as the letter of the Spanish note is regarded as showing a most earnest desire on the part of Spain to keep the peace and to make every possible concession to the United States in order to achieve this end. President McKinley states the facts for the information of congress and suggests the possibility that this latest phase of the matter may contain reasons why congress should proceed with caution.

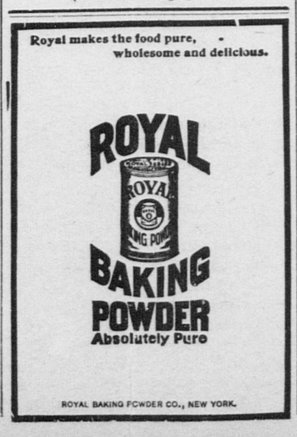
In that part of his message which was written earlier in the week the president has made a few changes, the most important one being a strengthening of the suggestion or intimation that the executive be given discretion as to the date upon which the authority for armed intervention shall be exercised, in order to give some little opportunity for learning how much of value or promise there is in Spain's latest efforts to secure peace in Cuba.

That the document is in some respects unsatisfactory to the president himself and to the members of his cabinet is admitted. The recommendations are not decisive and positive enough to be regarded as forming a distinct policy. Responsibility for action is really thrown upon congress, with the executive suggestion that congress should so act as to permit of a few days of delay, at the president's discretion, before actually starting the work of ejecting Spain from the island by force, which means war.

During the minister's call, he notified the authorities that word had come from Havana that General Blanco had been prompt in executing the orders of the queen regent and that the proclamation of armistice had been duly promulgated. The first effect of this will be to bring about a complete cessation of all Spanish hostilities throughout the island. The Spanish troops will for the time being go into garrison. Their future disposition has not even been considered, for much depends upon the duration of the armistice and the course of the insurgents. If the insurgents continue their fighting and make attacks on the troops, the situation will become complicated, for it is hardly believed that the Spanish forces will lay down their arms for any length of time if they continue to be under fire. The attitude of the insurgent advisers at Washington is that of rejecting the armistice. There is little doubt, however, that strong influences will now be brought to bear to induce the insurgents to suspend hostilities so that terms for a complete settlement may be reached. One of the ambassadors at Washington pointed out that the influence of the pope was re-

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Unknown Number of Victims of the Snowslide.

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Seattle, Wash., April 11.—A fact that lends horror to the fearful tragedy in Chilkoot pass is that it may never be known with any degree of accuracy just how many lives were sacrificed, who they were, or where they came from. Sixty-nine bodies have been recovered, and the names of 150 are mentioned as unaccounted for. Many a poor fellow lies buried where no human aid can reach him, and his remains must rest until the summer rains melt the tons of snow and ice under which he lies. Upon the crowded trail no record was kept of the living mass of humanity braving hardships and facing death itself for the mad rush for gold. In the procession that daily passed were people from all parts of the world, unknown to one another.

The work of rescue has continued night and day ever since last Saturday, being gradually more systematized and consequently meeting with better results. Thus far work has been confined to the outskirts of the slide in the hope of rescuing those who are injured, but not yet dead. The main body of the avalanche, which is estimated to be 50 feet deep and 150 yards long, has not yet been touched. If there are any bodies underneath they cannot be rescued in time to save life. Four men were taken out alive after they had been buried for 19 hours.

In many instances the bodies of the dead are not bruised in the slightest and appear as natural as in life, indicating that they were suffocated in the snow. The work of rescue has been orderly and systematic. A public meeting was held and arrangements made to take charge of the dead and look for the wounded. All that can possibly be done to relieve the horror of the situation has been done. The accident was one that could not have been foreseen, and it will be one that is likely to happen at any time when the same conditions exist.

Suicidal Sunday In New York.

New York, April 11.—Easter Sunday had more than its usual quota of suicides. Lizzie Kelly, 18 years old, was found in her room yesterday morning suffering from the effects of carbolic acid which she had taken to end her life. She died within a few hours. No cause for the suicide is known.

Annie Powers, 19, committed suicide on the roof of the house in which she resided by carbolic acid. The loss of a situation recently is believed to be the cause of her act.

Louise Kreitz, 23 years old, drank a large quantity of carbolic acid in the presence of her sister and husband, and died before medical assistance could reach her.

Mrs. Adele Ahearn, in an attempt to commit suicide, leaped from a third story window. She had a quarrel with her husband.

Preferred to Be Idle.

Saco, Me., April 11.—At a meeting of the web-drawers and beamers held Sunday afternoon, a vote was taken by both organizations never to return to work in the York mill under a reduction of wages. At the beamers' meeting every member of the union was present, and after a heated discussion it was decided that as they had been cut 27 percent, it was useless for them to go to work under such a sweeping reduction, and the only thing to do was to continue the struggle until the corporation officials would agree to restore the wages to the old schedule.

The web-drawers also decided not to go to work under a cut-down, as they would be unable to make living wages. The workers in these departments claim that if they do not go back to work it will be impossible to run the looms after Wednesday.

Quarrels In New York.

New York, April 11.—David Shine, a teamster, was struck on the head with a stone in Harlem, and was found unconscious by the police. He had sustained a compound fracture of the skull and will likely die. Seven arrests have been made in connection with the assault, which is believed to have started in a saloon brawl.

Timothy Collins, a laborer, struck his wife with a heavy stick in a quarrel, fracturing her skull. The woman died soon afterwards and Collins was placed under arrest.

Clement Ritz, 39 years of age, and Francis Alfrisio of Brooklyn became involved in a quarrel, and Ritz was stabbed in the abdomen. He is in a critical condition. Alfrisio was arrested.

Sought a Secluded Spot.

Salem, Mass., April 11.—The body of an unknown man, whose death was apparently that of a suicide, was found on the estate of S. Endicott Peabody, near the shore of an inlet of the harbor. When the body, which was lying face downward, was turned over, it was found that the face and head were badly decomposed and the features obliterated. Around the neck was a rope, while in the branches on an overhanging tree was discovered what was apparently the other half. The place where it was found is seldom visited, and it is thought that the suicide was committed at least three months ago.

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Good Afternoon.

Not even the war rumors and their depressing effect upon importations have been sufficient to prevent an increase in the receipts of the Treasury Department during the month of constant excitement just ended. The March receipts were, exclusive of the sums received from the Pacific Railroad sales, $29,307,250, or more than 20 per cent. in excess of the receipts in the corresponding month of the history of the Wilson law.

The success of American manufacturers under the protective system has been so great that free-trade England is now calling upon us for steel in all shapes, the latest development being the reported sale of a quantity of American steel ship plates for use of the Clyde ship builders. The Glasgow Herald, discussing England's iron and steel purchases from the United States, says: "However, we may look at it, America is now permanently in the international market as a competitor for the supply of iron and steel."

Brockton is beginning to realize what a costly manufactory it has established. The Enterprise says, "the figures of liquor trade finances, show that the annual liquor business in this city, to give even a chance for a living to the license holders, must show half a million dollars of receipts. That's pretty big money, but no larger than people who studied the subject had generally believed. The saloons are going to shut up a vast amount of money, and then must come the business in liquor to be done by the druggists who may obtain the right to sell in connection with their business. A little illegal selling must also be expected, for even the competition of the licensed places never drives the dives and "joints" entirely out of business. when these additions are made to the saloon business, the sum total of the money expended for alcoholic beverages in this city for the year beginning May 1st is seen to be of somewhat bewildering and astonishing proportions. It is a question whether the city and district can furnish money enough from the pockets of its liquor drinkers to yield a profit to all the men who are now eager to jump into the Brockton liquor business with the idea that it is better than a trip to Klondike."

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Large Congregations at the Easter Services.

Sunday could hardly be called an ideal Easter day, although in the early morning it bid fair to be one. Just before morning sevices were over the sky became lowery, and by noon as the churches were letting out a gentle rain was falling putting a decided damper on the Easter millinery creations which the ladies were wearing.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

Easter, the most gorgeous feast day in the Roman Catholic church, was celebrated in the Quincy parish and missions with the usual pomp and splendor. Three masses were celebrated in St. John's church, three at St. Mary's, and two each at St. Francis', South Braintree, and the Sacred Heart, Atlantic. The solemn high vesper service at St. John's church was celebrated by Rev. F. A. Frigulietti, assisted by Rev. J. E. Johnstone and Rev. J. Purcell. The singing, of usual excellence, was by an augmented choir.

FIRST CHURCH.

There was a large attendance at the First church, Sunday, at both the morning and vesper services. At the morning service the pastor, Rev. E. C. Butler, preached on "The endless life," taking text ftom St. Sohns, 14th chapter. Music was a feature at both services and was finely rendered by the choir under the direction of Mr. James F. Harlow. The decorations were principally about the pulpit, the front of which was one bank of Easter lilies and ferns, whose fragrance filled the whole edifice.

At the vesper service at 4 o'clock a special musical programme was given and the pastor gave a talk bearing on Easter.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The four services at Christ church on Sunday were all largely attended. The church was elaborately decorated. In the chancel were palms, Easter lilies and gilli flowers and on the front some American Beauty roses. The windows were banked with plants and green. The music already published in the Ledger was a leading feature, and the rector, Rev. Walter Russell Breed, preached able sermons. The children were out in large numbers at the 4 P. M. festival service and 200 plants were distributed to them. The Easter music will be repeated next Sunday.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

At the Universalist church an excellent concert was given at 10.30 A. M. by the little folks, assisted by the choir. The choir rendered several anthems very nicely, Miss Littlehale, Mr. Sampson and Master Woodbury singing solos, which were greatly enjoyed. The little folks all spoke well and showed careful training. The pastor, Rev. E. W. Preble, spoke a few words of praise to the children and thought the older people should take encouragement from the words which the children had just spoken. The church was very artistically decorated with Easter lilies, ferns and palms.

BETHANY CHURCH.

About 700 gathered at the 10.30 service at Bethany church and at the children's service at 6 P. M. there was even a larger congregation. It was necessary to bring in chairs and also to open the gallery. The church was fragrant with the perfume of flowers. On the platform was a large cross of Easter lilies, and other plants. Suspended over the desk was a white dove. Conspicuous on the front of the organ in a large semi circle in white Gothic letters was "Allelulia Christ is Risen," on a background of blue with a white crepe border.

An excellent programme was given in the morning including anthems by the chorus, solos by Mr. A. L. Hayden, Mr. Lester Gardner, and Miss A. V. Burns, and a duet, all appropriate to the season The theme of the pastor, the Rev. E. N. Hardy, was "The Transfigured Valley" and he took his text from Psalm 23:4.

The Bible school at 12 M. was very largely attended in all is departments

It was a happy thought to hold the carol service of the Bible school at the early hour of 6 o'clock. A pleasing part of the service were the two antiphonal carols by two choruses, the regular church chorus being in the gallery and the Bible school chorus in the singers seats. There was also a prayer, Bible reading, responsive reading, carols, exercises and songs by the Primary department, recitation by Eunice Gibbs, solo by Miss Maggie Bradbury, and brief address by the pastor. Rev. Mr. Hardy thought there were three lessons we might draw from Easter: (1) A victory which seemed to associate the risen Lord with the coming of spring, a victory of good over evil, a victory of love over indifference, a victory of life over death; life is victorious. (2) Easter revelations: the discovery as of jewels and bring them out; we should strive to bring forth our possibilities. (3) How our powers should be developed and used for the glory of God and man.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN.

There was a large attendance at both the morning and evening service at the Swedish Lutheran church, Sunday. The decorations about the pulpit were very handsome and consisted of Easter lilies and ferns. Rev. A. F. Anderson preached a sermon bearing on the day and there was special music by the choir, with a solo by Mr. F. Swanson.

QUINCY POINT CHURCH.

At Quincy Point church Sunday evening, Superintendent Chas. Sherburne led the Easter concert, and a large audience was in attendance. There was an address by Dea. T. H. Newcomb, dialogues by the scholors of the Sunday school, recitations by Miss Eva Phillips, Miss Gertie Dole, Miss Bessie Brown, Miss Annie and Victoria Carter, and Etta French, also a solo by Mr. Holmes, a member of the choir.

AT WOLLASTON

There was a large attendance at all of the churches, good sermons with excellent thoughts well put, an abundance of well rendered music and a wealth of flowers, Easter lilies predominating. The programmes were printed in full in the Patriot and Saturday's Ledger.

PARK AND DOWNS.

The congregationalist service No. 10, an order of worship for Easter, was given at the Park and Downs chapel, Rev. F. J. Knight pastor, at 10.45 A. M. The local quartette, composed of Mrs. T. B. Lewis, soprano; Miss May Scates, alto; Mr. A. R. Forbes, tenor, and Mr. Ernest Tribou, bass, sang "He is Risen," by Caleb Simper and "Christ The Lord is risen today," by Paul Ambrose. The pastor was greeted by a large audience.

The evening was given over to the Sabbath School. The capacity of the house was taxed beyond its accommodation and well may Pastor Knight feel proud of the interest manifested by the people of the Park and Down, and the teachers and scholars of his little church. "The Birthday of Hope, an Easter concert exercise, was given with a spirit which showed the careful training the children have received, from their teacers, and the love and zeal which they all put into their respective parts. The characters of Hope, Joy and Grief, were admirably sustained by Miss Ethel Douglas, Miss Julie Page and Miss Alda Shey respectively. On the platform were tastefully arranged Easter lilies, and with the pretty faces of about two score of little "tots," radiant with love and sunshine, the picture presented was very inspiring.

MEMORIAL, ATLANTIC.

The largest congregation ever assembled for a preaching service in the Memorial church was present Sabbath morning. The Easter decorations were under the charge of Mr. W. Jay Sanborn and presented a sight which was a delight to the eye, and the artistic sense. The music was very creditably given by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Charles L. Coe. Miss Miriam Heidenreich of Boston sang a selection from Mendelssohn's St. Paul in her usual strong and resonant voice, Miss Susie Hall sang De Fayer's "There is a green hill far away," tunefully and with good expression. The pastor preached from the text: "Death is swallowed in victory.

In the evening the Sabbath School gave an exceedingly entertaining concert. Miss Annie P. Hall and Miss Helen Bemis were the directors and they are to be congratulated upon their success. Miss Bessie Drew sang with sweetness a beautiful Easter solo. The work of the Evening quartette is to be strongly commended. They sang two excellent selections, the last one being particularly fine. The little people showed careful training and carried off their part of the programme in a way that won the hearts of their elders.

Grand Ball Tonight.

Unless all signs fail the first ball of Quincy Council, No. 96, Knights of Columbus, to be held this evening at Music hall will be most successful, artistically and financially. The event will be graced by the presence of Mayor Sears, Postmaster Hammond, City officials and gentlemen high in the councils of the Knights of Columbus. Every provision has been made for the comfort and pleasure of all attending the ball and for those who live in distant places, electric cars have been provided, which will leave for all points at the close of the dancing. The music for the concert and dancing will be by Dickinson's orchestra, one of Boston's best musical organizations.

Freeman Randall of Riverside, Me., fell from the top of a ventilator the other day, and after striking his head on the shingled roof, bounced along to the eaves and then to the ground, 60 feet from where he started. He landed on his feet, and after feeling himself over to assure himself that he was all there, climbed back to his former perch and resumed his work.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Mr. Herbert W. Pinkham of Wollaston, who met with quite a serious accident a few days ago is convalescing rapidly.

Quincys poilce force was well represented at the District Court this morning including Chief Litchfield, Officers Ferguson, Barry, Bradley, Holloran, Nicol, Newcomb, Cameron and Dawson.

The warden and vestry of Christ church will be tendered a reception this evening at the parish house by the Reapers Circle of King's Daughters who will present a large and well filled china closet to the church.

At a meeting of the Wollaston Congregational society held on Saturday evening these persons were elected as members of the Committee on Pulpit Supply—Herbert W. Marshall, John A. Barbour and George W. Stone.

J. E. Tirrell announces himself as a candidate for the appointment of special justice of the peace in Quincy to issue warrants if the bill before the Legislature becomes a law. Napoleon B. Furnald would be another very good man for the place.

The Adams Academy base ball nine plays the second game in its schedule this afternoon with the Milton High at Merrymount park. Friday they play the Brookline High at Brookline and Saturday morning the Roxbury Latin school at Quincy.

The Globe reports that Mrs. L. W. Lawton has issued heart-shaped invitations for a card party to ce lebrate the engagement of her niece Miss Ethel Boss Remick, and Mr. Herbert Emery Yerxa, at her home on Presidents Hill, in Quincy, Saturday evening, April 16.

Mr. B. F. Pierce of Brockton gave an interesting address at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday, which was well attended. Next Sunday, Mr. Oliver C. Elliott of the Boston Industrial Home will speak. Mr. Elliott was also formerly General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Summit, New Jersey, and is an interesting speaker.

The engagement was announced last week of Mrs. H. Nicholson of Quincy and Lieut. John Downs, U. S. N., retired, also of that city. Mrs. Nicholson, who is a young and handsome woman, is the daughter of the late Capt. Wise, U. S. N. and granddaughter of Edward Everett. Lieut. Downs father was Capt. John Downs, U. S. N., and the distinguished naval officer, Commodore Downs, was his grandfather. Thus the alliance is a prominent and an unusually interesting one.—Boston Globe.

The concert at Music hall, Saturday evening, by the Ollie Torbett Concert Company was one of the most enjoyable musical entertainments ever given in this hall. The selections by the Lutteran quintette were nearly all given in the Swedish language and many Swedish people were in the audience. The violin solos by Miss Ollie Torbett were a rare treat, and she proved herself a peer among the lady violinists. Besides the selections by the quintette there were several solos by the members which were well rendered.

Granite City Club.

The annual meeting of the Granite City club was held on Saturday evening. There was a large gathering of the members including His Honor, the Mayor, doctors, lawyers and other prominent citizens.

The report of the treasurer showed the club to be in an excellent financial condition, with cash assets of some $700.

Mr. Joseph C. Morse, who has been president of the association for the past three years, retires, and a unanimous vote of thanks was given him.

The following members were elected officers for the ensuing year:

President—Dexter E. Wadsworth.
Vice President—James H. Penniman.
Clerk and Treasurer—E. W. H. Bass.
Finance Committee—W. W. Ewell, Clarence Burgin, Henry F. Tilden.
House Committee—D. E. Wadsworth, E. W. H. Bass, James H. Penniman.
Membership Committee — E. W. Sheppard, W. W. Mitchell, John Curtis.
For Entertainment Committee—C. H. Winslow, George B. Wendell, E. W. H. Bass, John Curtis, Joseph A. Dasha, William N. Eaton, R. D. Gordon, W. W. Ewell, George O. Langley, George H. Field.

Cup Design.

At the regular meeting of the executive committeee of the Quincy Yacht club, which was held at the Adams block on Saturday evening the design for the $500 challenge cup was selected. The design was submitted by Bigelow & Kenward of Boston, representing the Gorham Mf'g. Co. of New York. The cup is a magnificent specimen of the silversmiths art, standing 24 inches high, including the pedestal. The committee appropriated for the use of the House Committee $584 for expenses the coming season.

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Quincy, April 11. 7t

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Quincy, April 6. tf

Quincy Savings Bank.

THE Annual meeting of the members of the Quincy Savings Bank Corporation for the election of Trustees, and any other business that may legally come before them, will be held on TUESDAY, April 12, 1898, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., at the Banking Rooms, 143 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Clerk.

Quincy, Mass., April 6, 1898. 3t-6-9-11

Thomas Crane Public Library.

CITY OF QUINCY.

New Catalogues for a Dime.

A new Catalogue of all prose fiction in the Library on Jan. 1, 1898, has just been issued by the Trustees. It is a book of 136 pages, with books indexed by authors and by titles. There is also an index of short stories, and an annotated list of historical fiction arranged alphabetically, and under the larger countries, chronologically. French fiction takes two full pages. The Catalogues will be sold at 10 and 20 cents, according to the binding, and may be obtained of the Librarian.

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Quincy, April 8, 1898. 6t 9-3w

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Quincy, March 23. 1m

Singular Signs.

A man who runs a small store in a small New Hampshire town displays a sign in his window five days in the week which reads: "Closed, open on Mondays and Saturdays."

That man had one trait that we admire---nerve to do business in his own way, no matter what his neighbors do; and as he thinks he can make more money in two days' storekeeping than he can in six, he does it. This idea we strongly recommend to stores who sell goods at cost or less than cost. They won't lose as much in two days as in six. Think of the terrible strain on a storekeeper to be sacrificing six days in the week, and then the terrible slaughter. People would have a chance to clean up the gore and blood and get their abbatoirs into shape once a week at least.

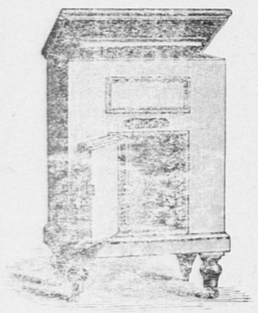
The signs of the past two weeks are that the people of Quincy appreciate the new store and the good it is doing for them. We're making something, and they're saving a good deal. We will not sacrifice; we shall not slaughter. No mark-up or mark-down; but plain, straight forward business all the time, and if that is what you are looking for, you'll find it here.

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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

Mayor Sears was the guest of the Dartmouth club on Saturday at its annual dinner at the Revere House, Boston, and was among the speakers.

If any ordinance of the city is violated, and any citizen knows of it, he should not wait for the police to act in the matter, but should promptly make the complaint himself. If this were done some of our ordinances would be better enforced than they are.

For every job in the street and other departments there are half a dozen applicants, and it is impossible for all to be put at work, unless some method is adopted whereby one gang works two weeks and then is laid off to give some other gang a job. This is of course possible but is not for the best interest of the city.

To possess a job under the city government seems to be the highest ambition of many. Compensation seems to be no argument for there are many cases in Quincy today where men would leave positions with good salaries, that they have held for years and could hold for an almost indefinite period to accept a minor position under the city government at a smaller salary which might not last over a year.

A LARGER ARMY.

Over 200 More Children Enter Our Public Schools.

The opening of the spring term of the schools this morning welcomed a large number of new pupils, especially in the lowest grade as fully 200 began their school life today. Future reference will be made to the crowded condition of some of the buildings. The names of some of the new D primary pupils are appended;

Adams—Harry Sprague, Lizzie Rosa, Arthur Little, Lenora Spargo, Ruth S. Pettee, Helen Callahan, Edward Kennedy, George F. Harlowe, Annie Jones, Lillian Spargo, Marion Russell, Marcella Kelley, Nora Corbin, Mary Newell.

Coddington—Hazel Glover, Donna Howes, Nellie Mitchell, Joseph Doucette, Mary McClay, Joseph R. Moran, Timothy Regan, Arthur Tierney, Nellie May Swears, Annie Larkin, Sarah Flanagan, Marion Follon, Eugene Hope Lynn, Elizabeth Bamford.

JOHN HANCOCK,—Edith Louise Leaman, Fred Theodore Gullicksen, Marjorie Penniman, Theodore Hjalmer Gullicksen, Ida Hallquist, Olga Elvira Lundquist, Lizzie McLaughlin, Thomas Cotter, Howard Brown Allison, Edward Joseph Igo, Cora May Barnicoat, Zita Elizabeth Pitts, George Arnold Holteen, Anna Gustafva Eliason, Horace Brown Jackson, Robert Roy Tinney, Henry Oscar Lindquist, Richard Andrew Olson, Signe Josephina Dahlberg, Albert Gustafson, Joseph Andrew Mischler, Walter Nicoll, Charles Edward Stover, Gustat Ericson, Lily Josephine Nightingale Annie Victoria Johnson, Albert Edward Dunbar, Bertha May Smith, Walborg Mary Peterson, Ella Margaret McDonald, Alfred Axel Lawrence Olson.

MARRIED.

SWAN—KIMBALL—In Quincy, March 19, by Rev. E. N. Hardy, Mr. George H. Swan of Newport, R. I., to Miss Margaret A. Kimball of Quincy.

PHERSON—FLEIN—In Quincy, April 9, by Rev. E. N. Hardy, Mr. Patrick Pherson to Miss Mary Flein both of Quincy.

DIED.

PACKARD—In Milton, April 8, Mrs. Lucinda A. Packard, aged 69 years, 6 months and 4 days.

BELCHER—In Braintree, April 9, Mr. Elisha A. Belcher, aged 62 years and 8 months.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

An excellent Easter musical programme was given at the morning service by the choir of the M. E. church, East Weymouth, under the direction of Mr. W. H. Pratt, chorister, and Miss Annie Loud, organist. The pastor, Rev. W. I. Ward, preached a special sermon.

The South Shore Commandery, K. T., will have an inspection at Masonic hall, by the officers of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Sunday evening at 7 an excellent programme was given at the Third Universalist church at North Weymouth under the direction of the Sunday School, assisted by the choir under direction of Mr. T. H. Emerson, chorister. In addition to anthems by the choir, it included recitations by Lottie Tirrell, Lillian B. Fisher, Inez Prentiss, Edgar Lawrence, Lillian Fisher, Doris Torrey, Mabel Baker, Arthur R. Wofe, Bertha Brayhan Willis Keene, Ebed Litchfield, Forest Jones, Mary W. Erita Dingwall, Bertha Estes, Howard Whiting, Mabel Baker, Howard Keene, Alice Ford, W. Kitteredge, Beatrice Williams, Viola Tirrell, Alice Barker, Mabel Bartlett, Roy Whiting, Lillian M. Fisher, Ralph Tirrell, Edmund Brayshaw, HattieF. Litchfield, Oliver K. Fisher, Alma Whiting.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haskell of North Weymouth are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a boy.

The Easter concert at the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth, was a fine one, including anthems, songs, exercises, recitations and remarks by the pastor, Rev. T. H. Vincent, all appropriate to the season. Also an excellent reading by Miss Phillips.

At the rink, East Weymouth Saturday night, abyut 900 people witnesed the East Weymouth aggregation defeat the Taunton polo team by a score of 7 to 3. Fuller of the Fall Rivers played guard and Farrell of New Havens in place of Jones resigned.

The summary:

EAST WEYMOUTH.		TAUNTON.
Nicholson,	Rusher	Schofield,
Mercer,	"	Dailey,
Farrell,	Centre	Hatch,
Hayes,	Half-back	Moran
Fuller,	Guard	Farrell,

GOAL.	WON BY.	MADE BY.	TIME. m. s.
1.	Taunton,	Daley,	5 50
2.	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	5 20
3.	East Weymouth,	Mercer,	10
4.	East Weymouth,	Mercer,	3.30
5.	Taunton,	Daley,	30
6.	Taunton,	Schofield,	2 15
7.	East Weymouth,	Mercer,	1 15
8.	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	1 45
9.	East Weymouth,	Farrell,	9 10
10.	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	3 45

Stops—Fuller, 25; Nicholson, 38. Referee—J. Henry Moran. Timer—Pratt.

A FEW POINTERS.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists; ask for a free sample today.

TODAY'S COURT.

Dominic Shalf, Benjamin Pashley, Edward Gleason, Patrick Donerlon, Martin Donerlon and Pietro Berteno were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

John T. Buckley was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Samuel H. Cushing was arraigned for the larceny of four hens and one rooster, all valued at $5, from Elijah Burns at Weymouth, and was sentenced to three months in the House of Correction.

Martin Curry and Joseph F. Garrity were arrigned for assault on Charles Anderson and Charles J. Nording at Quincy. They were fined $5 each for assault on Anderson, and $10 each for assault on Nording.

John R. McNeil was arraigned for assault on May Brinnon at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

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SEASON OPENED.

A Defeat for Adams but It Was Expected from Dean.

Adams Academy played its first game Saturday with Dean Academy at Franklin. The team was a little handicaped by not having practiced together for a week, vacation coming at this time. Nevertheless the team made a better showing than last years.

Below is the score:

ADAMS ACADEMY

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, 1b.,	4	0	2	2	5	0	3
Taylor, p.,	4	1	1	1	0	12	2
Manning, c.,	4	2	2	3	10	6	1
Appleton, 3b.,	4	0	1	1	0	1	2
Kent, rf.,	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Burchstead, cf.,	4	1	1	1	1	0	1
Boyd, 2b.,	4	0	1	1	6	2	0
Donaher, ss.,	4	0	1	1	0	1	1
Bennett, lf.,	3	0	1	1	1	0	3
	35	4	11	12	24	19	13

DEAN ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Richardson, p,	6	4	2	2	0	14	0
Johnson, lf.,	6	5	3	4	1	0	0
Moores, cf.,	6	3	3	4	1	0	0
Chandler, 2b.,	6	2	3	3	3	3	0
Kimball, 1b.,	6	3	3	5	5	0	1
Ray, ss.,	5	2	5	5	0	2	1
Wyckoff, 3b.,	5	3	4	4	1	0	0
Smith, rf.,	6	2	3	3	0	0	0
Fiske, c.,	6	3	1	2	16	3	0
	52	27	27	32	27	22	2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Dean,	3	0	2	10	0	0	3	8		—26
Adams	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	— 5

Earned Runs—Adams, 2; Dean, 7. Two-base Hits—Manning, Moores, Fiske. Home Runs—Kimball, 2; Johnson 1. Passed Balls—Manning. Hit by Pitched Ball—Cilley, Kimball, Wyckoff, Smith.

Wants to Swap.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

I wish to comment briefly on the attack of "H. H." upon the fast sailing record of Capt. Snow.

In regard to the time (ten days) consumed in sailing 1900 miles, I will ask your correspondent to allow me the privilege of the proverbial Pat, who always made his statemen t and then explained it. I simply meant that Capt. Snow sailed from a given point (I have learned since it was Philadelphia) to La Guayra, Venezula, a distance of 1900 miles and that his time between those particular points was a record.

The best previous time (not record for 1900 miles simply, but between said points, was 18 days made by three masted schooner.

I should have been more explicit in my statement, but I thank your correspondent for the number of records he cited, as it adds to my already long list of sea events. I would be pleased to swap sea stories with him, and if agreeable to him, he can learn my address at the Ledger office.

WARREN.

A Summer Trip.

General Secretary Hoehn of the Young Men's Christian Association will announce in a week or two the details of a ten days' tour to take place in July, under the auspices of the Educational Department of the Y. M. C. A. It will be the first Annual Pilgrimage and will be made mostly, awheel. The places visited will be: Providence, Hartford, New Haven, and New York, where a few days will be spent in sight seeing. A day each will be devoted to Staten Island, Coney Island and Brooklyn; New Jersey and the Palisades; West Point and Newburgh by steamer. The return home will be by Fall River Line. The cost will probably only be $20.00. Any desiring to accompany the party will do well to communicate with Mr. Hoehn at once.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining April 11:

Isaac Erickson, F. L. Fowler, C. A. Hayden, Thomas Mealand, Joseph O'Grady.

Mrs. McDounell, Miss Minnie Malcolm.

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—The bill to make the law of last year prohibiting the wearing of the feathers of song birds for the purpose of adornment apply to feathers brought into the State was engrossed in the Senate Friday.

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Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.

By H. M. FAXON, Treas.

Quincy, March 26. 2w mws

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE

Board of HARBOR AND LAND COMMISSIONERS.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, April 8, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that Pauline W. Burkhardt, of Brookline, Mass., has made application to this Board for license to build a dike and tide-gates in Quincy Bay, in the City of Quincy, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of April, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

For the Board,

WOODWARD EMERY,

April 11—1t Chairman.

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LOST—A bunch of keys marked "J. H. E. Return to the West Quincy Post Office." If the finder will return to ELCOCK & SONS, West Quincy, they will pay them well for their trouble. apr11-3t

LOST—On Thursday afternoon, in vicinity of Ledger Office, a pocket book containing a sum of money. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the Ledger Office. Quincy, April 9—tf

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WANTED—Experienced Wrapper Makers to work in shop, steam power, steady work. Also a few girls to learn and sewers to take work home. Apply at factory, Badger's building, Willard street, West Quincy. April 11. 6t

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AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

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TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. March 29. eod-tf

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Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

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Quincy, April 7. 12t

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Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
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Quincy, March 15. 1m

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Satisfaction in every respect.

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Articles of Association for the Formation of a STREET RAILWAY CORPORATION.

WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a street railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be NORWOOD, CANTON AND STOUGHTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the Post Office in the town of Norwood and County of Norfolk, and to extend through said Norwood and the Towns of Canton and Stoughton, both in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the Post Office in said Town of Stoughton, its terminus.

Its length will be about ten miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Twenty-five Thousand dollars. ($25,000.)

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Towns, shall act as a Board of Directors, until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

J. E. Hartshorn, Director, of Norwood, Mass.
Samuel H. Capen, Director, of Canton, Mass.
Edward L. Underwood, Director of Canton, Mass.
A. M. Bridgman, Director, of Stoughton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Geo. J. Morse, Director, of Hyde Park, Mass.
A. H. Crossman, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Clerk and Treasurer.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

WITNESS our hands, this Sixth day of April, 1898.

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Dudley Talbot,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	One.
A. M. Bridgman,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Edward L. Underwood,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Wm. Cunningham,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.	Fifty-seven.
A. H. Crossman,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Ten.
J. H. Packard,	Mattapan, Mass.	Mattapan, Mass.	One.
A. Perry Curtis,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
F. K. Kingman,	17 Gleason St.	Dorchester, Mass.	One.
J. E. Hartshorn,	Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	One.
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Samuel H. Capen,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.

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Deserve handsome harness. Even a horse that isn't so good looking ought to have good harness; it will improve his appearance.

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NEW FACTOR IN THE SITUATION.

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ned upon to a considerable extent with the insurgents, as they are a part of a country which is thoroughly Catholic and loyal to Rome. While the influence of the great powers is not likely to be exerted in any material way against the insurgents, yet this influence will be brought to bear as far as possible from moral standpoints. The influence of the United States government will also be a material factor in case the present crisis between the United States and Spain is averted and the armistice is accepted in Washington as a tentative ground for the solution of the Cuban problem.

The attitude of congress on the general subject is problematic. During recent days the feeling in both houses has been intense, and it remains to be seen whether the changed conditions brought about by the armistice will suffice to allay this feeling. Resolutions authorizing intervention are already prepared, but these were framed when the diplomatic negotiations were in a deadlock. A leading Republican member of the house committee on foreign affairs expressed the opinion that the armistice, instead of relieving the situation, would only aggravate it. He believed this country would not rest short of the complete abjuration of the Spanish authority over any part of Cuban territory. "There is every reason why Spain should want an armistice now, and it might be significant as a central motive that the rainy season, with all the horrors it has to the unacclimatized Spanish soldiers, will set in within three weeks and continue until about November. Everybody knows what its effects have been on the troops sent over from the peninsula, and in the present contingency, with Spain's resources practically exhausted, continued activity of the insurgents, coupled with the fatal work of the season, would, I think, mean a fatal termination of the Spanish cause in the conflict.

"Its objects are relief from the hoped-for avoidance of action by this country, and delay with the insurgents until a more auspicious season. In that view, I am against its consideration for a moment. Our position at this time with reference to Spain contemplates first, intervention in humanity's cause, which would not be fulfilled by anything short of the entire sweeping away of the Spanish sovereignty, and second, the destruction of the Maine. I do not believe that the armistice at this time will have any bearing on our attitude."

His'ory Making Week.

Washington, April 11.—Today saw the opening of a history making week in the national halls of legislation. With the gravity of the situation confronting them, members on both sides have been sobered, and seem impressed with the idea that things should proceed in a regular and orderly way. It seems almost certain now that there will be a conflict both in the committee and in the house as to the nature of the resolutions upon which the house will be called upon to act. The Democrats have taken an unequivocal position in favor of the recognition of independence, although there is a difference of opinion as to whether intervention should follow. A maority of the Republicans of the committee have within a few days declared themselves for intervention and independence. In the desire of the Republicans of both houses to secure harmony of action, some of the advocates of independence have about come to the conclusion that the difference between armed intervention and recognition is more technical than substantial, as, unless the island should be annexed, to which they are opposed, a republican form of government must follow.

The tendency in the senate is to confine the congressional fulmination to be handed in tomorrow to a declaration for armed intervention, leaving the recognition of independence to come later. It now appears probable that the foreign relations committee will report in favor of this course, though not without some dissent. If the meeting of the committee to be held before the receipt of the message should develop that such action can be secured from the committee and in a way to insure harmonious action on the report in the senate then there probably would be no occasion for a discussion in the form of a resolution taking up the real question at issue.

A resolution scarcely can get through the senate without arousing some discussion, as there are senators who are opposed to any action at all, whether for intervention or independence. Senator White of California is one of these, and he will probably discuss any resolution reported. There are several senators who now say that they will insist upon the recognition of independence in any action taken, and that they will be heard from in opposition to any measure that does not provide for this.

Disposition of Spanish Craft.

Washington, April 11.—In view of the anticipated emergency, Spain's disposition of her best fighting craft has puzzled naval experts. Vizcaya and the Oquendo, with the assistance of the protected Alfonzo XIII, and the flotilla of gunboats in Cuban waters, would stand a poor show against the magnificent squadrons under command of Captain W. T. Sampson and Commodore W. S. Schley. That Spain realizes how poorly the Vizcaya and Oquendo would fare if the Key West squadron succeeded in blocking egress from Havana harbor was shown by the departure of those armorclads from Havana. It is believed that the Alphonso XIII will also be withdrawn from Havana harbor, and that at the first resort to hostilities all the little gunboats engaged in enforcing the practical blockade of the smaller Cuban cities will be sent away.

As nearly as leading naval experts can figure it out, Spain intends to abandon the marine protection of Cuba after a declaration of war and to concentrate her fleet at some point where the strategical advantage would be greater. The indications are that the Spanish fleet will concentrate at Cape Verde islands.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists

where the opportunity would be awaited of striking a blow at the forces of the United States. It is believed here that the Vizcaya and Oquendo will ultimately show up at St. Vincent, joining there the Cristobal Colon, the Marie Teresa and the torpedo craft. St. Vincent is 2500 miles from Cuba. It is the intention of Spain to compel the United States to seek out her naval force at that great distance from America, thus complicating the situation. This would prolong the war indefinitely, although Cuba would be freed from Spanish yoke in short order.

Quesada Still Working.

Washington, April 11.—Gonnalo De Quesada has issued a statement to show that the insurgents have a regularly organized civil government whose independence can be recognized. The constitution determines what is called the republic, who are citizens, their individual and political rights, the officers of the government, their powers and provides for the assembling of the representatives. The principal articles are:

Article 6—Cubans and foreigners will be protected in their religious opinions and in the practice of their respective cults, as long as these are not opposed to public morals.

Article 8—Education is free in all the territory of the republic.

Article 10—The electoral right shall be regulated by the government on the basis of universal suffrage.

Article 17—The administration of justice in reference to civil matters belongs to the civil authorities, and its procedure shall be regulated by a law.

Lee on American Soil.

Key West, April 11.—The steamers bringing the Americans and refugees from the Cuban capital arrived here Sunday, having left Havana Saturday. Havana seemed dazed when the people found that General Lee was really going, and that all the Americans were going with him. Not to see the United States flag floating from the staff at the consulate struck many residents as little less than a calamity. The fact that Mr. Gollan, the British consul, called with General Lee on Captain General Blanco also puzzled many, some believing that this meant an English alliance had been settled. The truth is that the Havana newspapers have been under such surveillance for months, have been made to publish so many untruths and have printed so many tales of the United States backing down at the demand of Germany, Italy, Austria and Russia that the residents take no stock whatever in anything published. Consequently when they saw the Americans leaving, despite the statements of the papers that they had no intention of going, it was believed that a crisis was at hand.

From the crowded decks of the Olivette hearty cheers went up as the launch from the Fern with the correspondents and consular agent on board put ashore Sunday morning. At about 11 o'clock General Lee came ashore and received an answer from Washington to his request for orders sent earlier. After a brief reception General Lee went on board the Olivette, which had been kept waiting, and sailed for Tampa at noon. He will go direct to Washington. Nineteen refugees were landed from the Bache and 100 from the Evelyn.

Correa's Fine Distinction.

Madrid, April 11.—Lieutenant General Correa, minister of war, in a conversation with several people, expressed himself as follows: "It is an error to say that the government has granted an armistice to the rebels. I would never give that before leaving the ministry, because it would be the same thing as recognizing the belligerency of the rebels. The government has granted the wishes of the powers that we should cease hostilities during the delay which General Blanco judges prudent for preparing for peace. I acceded to a cessation of hostilities, because to refuse the wishes of the powers would be to divorce Spain from the world. If I left the cabinet, I should be placing my successor in an awkward position.

"General Blanco will probably publish a proclamation of truce, and also another offering indulgent terms during the cessation of hostilities. If, during this period, there are important submissions and the United States withdraws its ships from the neighborhood of Cuba and the Philippines, all will be well and peace will soon be reached. Otherwise the Cuban war will continue and the powers will be obliged to demand that the United States maintain absolute neutrality and enforce a dissolution of the filibustering committee in New York. The armistice is not to prevent the Spanish government continuing its military preparations and placing the peninsula, the Canaries, the Balearic islands and Porto Rico in a state of defence."

Taking Every Precaution.

Havana, April 11.—Havana is guarded more closely than ever, the Arolas battalion being posted around the limits of Vidano, the swell suburb of the city. Several Cubans have been arrested, and are now confined in the Cabanas fortress, charged with various offenses. Some say the prisoners have been engaged in a plot to assassinate Consul General Lee, and others assert that they have been acting as spies for the United States government.

There is no doubt that the government is more alarmed than it has ever been before, and is taking every precaution. There is reason to believe that there was a plot to kill General Lee, and that it was allowed to come to a head by the detectives in order that they might get credit for defeating it.

Spanish Sentiment Hostile.

London, April 11.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, telegraphing Sunday and dealing with the sensation caused by the armistice announcement, says: "At first nobody believed the rumor, probably because the government had emphatically declared that this step would be incompatible with the honor of Spain. When finally the report was confirmed all Madrid displayed dissatisfaction and excitement.

"The garrison was wisely confined to barracks, the indignation in military circles being expressed in a way which bodes no good to the present Spanish cabinet. All the independent press organs, even those inclining to the Liberal party, condemn the government's action as derogatory to Spanish honor and calculated to bring about irreparable disaster, not to the cabinet alone, which has risked its future on the success or failure of submission to the European powers. Other and greater interests have been jeopardized to a much greater extent than war itself could have jeopardized them."

BOSTON OPINION.

Armistice Interpreted as a Sign of Spanish Yielding.

Boston, April 11.—The Journal treats the offer of an armistice as "one sign of yielding at Madrid. It does not change the aspect of this point," the paper says, "for the Spanish authorities to declare that they give to the powers of Europe and to the pope what they refused to grant us. An armistice is a sign of yielding, and it is possible that when Madrid hears the voice of the American people demanding the freedom of Cuba, Spain may surrender more. Upon this possibility alone depends the outlook for peace."

The Post cogitates as follows "Some of the Madrid cables call it an 'armistice.' This is a misnomer. There are two parties to the fight in Cuba, as in every fight. One of them proclaims that fighting is to stop for a few days, a few weeks—no one knows how long. What does the other say? Unless both agree to stop, the fighting is very likely to go on. Gomez and all the rest of the Cuban leaders have constantly declared that they will not stop fighting—that there shall be no armistice—without independence as a prerequisite."

The Advertiser's editorial deals with the latest phase of the Cuban situation, the significance of which, it says, "will consist in the evidence thus afforded of a disposition to yield, under the combined influences of fear as to the result of war with the United States and pressure from European temporal powers and from the Roman pontiff. Coming so soon after an arrogant refusal to recede another inch, following almost immediately the announcement that the government at Madrid would not take any action in the matter of an armistice beyond permitting its representative at Havana to grant the same if asked for by the insurgents, the action now reported must be regarded as encouraging, but simply on account of making one more step toward that which is ultimately inevitable, Spain's complete backdown."

"Spain has begged for mercy," says The Globe. "She has granted an armistice which is practically unconditional. It is for congress to say how nearly this accomplishes what would be accomplished by armed intervention. It would seem that the president intends at least to ask congress to give the overtures of Spain respectful consideration. All this, of course, means delay, and how dangerous delays might prove is left to conjecture."

Game of Many Innings.

St. Louis, April 11.—All records of the National league were broken Sunday at Sportsman park by a 20-inning game between the St. Louis team and the Milwaukees. St. Louis won, 12 to 11. Cross making the winning run. The game was sharp and spirited, with clean playing on both sides, and very little hitting.

Monopoly Knocked Out.

New York, April 11.—In the United States circuit court of appeals Judge Wallace has handed nown a decision declaring the broad Van Depoele overhead trolley patents—on which a monopoly by two of the largest electric companies was based—invalid. Thus the control of the trolley business is broken, and the use of a trailing, freely mounted arm passed up against an overhead conductor is no longer vested in two companies. It is expected that this will prove of immense importance to the surface railroad interests of the country.

HEALTH CATECHISM.

To be Committed to Memory by All Dyspeptics, Invalids, Consumptives.

What is the first cause of nine-tenths of all disease?

Imperfect digestion of food.

Why does imperfect digestion cause disease of other organs?

Because blood, nerves, muscles, bone and flesh are derived from the food we eat and digest. If digestion is perfect the blood is pure, nerves and muscles strong, flesh firm. If the digestion is poor, the blood is supplied from half-digested fermenting food, irritating every nerve and organ. The result is, sooner or later, organic disease, because every organ being poorly nourished the weakest gives way first and we have liver trouble, kidney complaints, heart disease or consumption.

Is not dieting the usual and best treatment to cure indigestion?

No, because the dyspeptic has been starved long enough; what is needed is abundant nourishment not the lack of it. The stomach and blood demand nutriment, not bran crackers.

What is the best method of cure?

Plenty of wholesome food well digested.

But how can a weak stomach digest plenty of wholesome food?

By taking with the food after each meal certain harmless remedies which are known to digest food and thus nourish the blood and rest the weak stomach.

What are these harmless remedies?

The most valuable are vegetable ferments, pure pepsin, Golden Seal and fruit salts. All of these are now combined in the form of pleasant tasting tablets sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Are these tablets superior to the various liquid preparations so called dyspepsia cures?

Most decidedly, because all liquid medicines become stale with age and lose whatever good qualities they may have had originally, while the tablet retains its properties indefinitely. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be carried in the pocket, always at hand ready for use when traveling or at daily occupation. They cost but 50 cents, and should be kept in every family. They keep the digestion perfect and save doctor's bills by warding off disease.

Are Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets adapted to all forms of dyspepsia?

Yes, because in all cases the trouble results from indigested, fermenting food. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cause the food to be digested before it has time to ferment.

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Dec. 22. aug.25ly

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOSIAH RANDLETT,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by William E. Badger and Nellie B. Badger, of Quincy, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
April 1. 1-8-11

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

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On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

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Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

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Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

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Old Colony System.

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r 8 42 abe		9 00	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 9 12 abe		9 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
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r 1 12 abe		1 30	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abe		2 30	5 17 da		5 36 r
r 3 12 abe		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abe		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abe		5 30	6 17 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abe		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
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r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
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r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
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E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt. A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,
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He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.
Oct. 30. ti

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

SUSAN DUNPHY,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas J. Dunphy of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1898, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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NOT ALL EXPECTATIONS REALIZED.

Conservaties Pleased with President's Message, But Others Cannot Overlook the Maine and Want a Call to Arms.

Washington, April 12.—The president, having exhausted all diplomatic resources at his command in trying to bring a peaceful solution of the Cuban problem, has asked congress to take the matter in hand. That body is prepared to respond to the request by directing Mr. McKinley to intervene at once by force of arms to bring the war in Cuba to a close and establish a stable government on the island, capable of maintaining order and observing its international obligations. There will be no equivocation in the resolutions which congress will adopt. The president in his message has asked for power to make Cuba free and independent, and congress will give him all the power he seeks.

When the message was read Monday it had a peculiar effect. Its studied moderation; its calm and dispassionate review of our relations with Spain, growing out of the intolerable condition in Cuba; the complete lack of sensationalism in the recommendations which the president made; and the seemingly colorless character of the document, taken as a whole, disappointed the expectations of those who had looked for a ringing defiance of Spain and the clarion call to arms which might seem fitting to an appeal involving war. So keen was the disappointment at first that the message was read in the house and the senate with a feeling of discouragement and almost despondency. Indeed many were led to express themselves upon it, and upon the policy which it was supposed the president had outlined, in terms of bitter disapproval.

Republicans made private comments which would not look well in print in many cases, representing their president as abdicating his leadership and failing to meet a great opportunity, because he did not gratify what they regard as the popular demand for war. "A war message with a peace ending," "A Quaker gun," "A gold brick," these and similar expressions were actually used by Republican senators and representatives, with others more contemptuous and less polite, in speaking of the message privately. Some of them go so far as to accuse the president of duplicity in representing to them that he was dealing with Spain on the basis of absolute freedom for Cuba as the indispensable condition for a settlement. In his message he did not explicitly take such ground. This feeling was at the bottom of the determination of a majority of the Republicans in the senate, at least, to make their instructions to President McKinley in the resolution as explicit and imperative as they felt his message ought to have been.

The effect of the message incorporating the latest proposition from Spain has not tended to ameliorate the situation. On the contrary, it has solidified the ranks of the radicals and made them more determined than ever to secure the independence of Cuba. Instead of congress being willing to follow the president's lead in arriving at a settlement of the question, the message has had the effect of making men resolved not to permit the president to be the sole arbiter in this matter and to know precisely every step that is taken.

The statement made by Mr. McKinley that it was he who first proposed an armistice to continue until next October created a sensation and caused most extreme disappointment. Congress had been led to believe, through utterances of the president's spokesmen on the floor of both houses and the semiofficial statements of the members of the cabinet, that he would consider no proposition involving any conditions which were not predicated on the granting of absolute independence to the Cubans.

It was said by the congressional critics that if Spain had agreed to the armistice it would have put the United States in the position of acting as an ally to Spain and would have made us morally responsible for the acceptance of the armistice by the insurgents. It had been commonly supposed that the suggestion of an armistice first came from Spain. There was no indication in the message that at the end of the armistice Spain was to grant independence to the Cubans, and this fact was commented upon in very vigorous fashion.

Some senators, who, previous to the receipt of the message, had indicated a willingness to confine the action of congress to a declaration for intervention, are inclined to turn to the original position for independence coupled with intervention. It was stated by one senator that the resolutions reported would probably contain at least a recognition of the right of the Cuban people to freedom and independence. Conservative Republican senators recognized the fact that the movement to secure support for the president's position hal lost ground since the receipt of the message. They did not, however, manifest any abatement in their determination to oppose any proposition looking to more radical action than the executive desired. The conservatives say they will continue **their efforts to secure harmonious action by congress and the administration.** At the Democratic conference the message was sharply criticised, and while there was much difference of opinion as to the course to be pursued and no conclusion was reached, there is no doubt that resolutions recognizing the independence of the Cubans will be introduced by Democrats in both houses of congress.

HOW THEY VIEW IT.

Washington Statesmen Not All Agreed as to the Message.

Washington, April 12.—This is what Senator Chandler had to say of the presidential message: "A graphic and powerful description of the horrible condition of affairs in Cuba; an assertion that the independence of the revolutionists should not be recognized until Cuba has achieved its own independence beyond the possibility of overthrow; an argument against the recognition of the Cuban republic; as to intervention in the interest of humanity, that is well enough, and also on account of the injury to commerce and peril to our citizens and the generally uncomfortable conditions all around; illustrative of these uncomfortable conditions is the destruction of the Maine; it helps make the existing situation intolerable; but Spain proposes an arbitration, to which proposition the president has no reply. On the whole as the war goes on and Spain cannot end it, mediation or intervention must take place. President Cleveland said 'intervention would finally be necessary.' The enforced pacification of Cuba must come. The war must stop. Therefore the president should be authorized to terminate hostilities, secure peace and establish a stable government and to use the military and naval forces of the United States to accomplish these results; and food supplies should also be furnished by the United States.

P. S.—"Spain has made a new offer, which is to be hoped will receive the careful attention of congress. Impliedly congress is asked to adjourn as soon as possible."

Representative Dockery of Missouri—This message is a companion piece to the president's former message transmitting the findings of the naval court of inquiry, and this one merely supplements the other one. Both are anaemic, suggestive only of vague, uncertain and hesitating policies. The temporizing indecision that has heretofore characterized our diplomatic negotiations does not seem to warrant congress in thus taking a leap in the dark. The people have indicated their wishes in unmistakable terms. They will favor no armistice except as it will be promptly followed by the complete independence of the Cubans and the utter extinguishment of Spanish sovereignty on the island. The great, overshadowing tragedy of the Maine is still left in the air, but the American people will never consent to the arbitration of that question.

Mr. Simpson (Pop., Kas.)—The message is a reflection of the man—weak and vacillating. It says the insurgents have maintained themselves against Spain for three years, and in the next breath says there is no government to recognize. It concludes by asking for more money and more time. The message will go down to history as one that puts this great republic in a most humiliating attitude, that of having lost all our manhood and love of liberty.

Official Statements.

Washington, April 12.—The consular correspondence with regard to the situation in Cuba which was transmitted to congress Monday was prepared in response to a resolution of inquiry just before the blowing up of the Maine, and includes statements up to April 1. It covers the communications of Consul General Lee at Havana, Consul McGarr at Cienfugos, Consul Brice at Matanzas Consul Hyatt at Santiago de Cuba and Consul Barker at Sagua La Grande. They deal largely with the distress and suffering which exists in all the districts.



FITZ-HUGH LEE.

General Lee reports quite fully upon the decrees of the government with regard to autonomy and other political phases of the situation, but makes no reference to the Maine incident. In preparing the correspondence for transmission to congress, considerable portions, and especially those marked confidential, are omitted. The resolution to which they are the response in each instance asked only for such correspondence as it was deemed compatible with the public interest to make public.

Dec. 13 came the following: "The contest for and against autonomy is most unequal. For it, there are five or six of the head officers at the palace, and 20 or 30 other persons here in the city. Against it, first, are the insurgents, with or without arms, and the Cuban noncombatants; second, the great mass of the Spaniards bearing or non-bearing arms, the latter desiring, if there must be a change, annexation to the United States. Indeed there is the greatest apathy concerning autonomy in any form. No one asks what it will be or when, or how it will come. I do not see how it could be even put into operation by force, because as long as the insurgents decline to accept it, so long the Spanish authorities say the war must continue."

On Jan. 8, General Lee makes the following report: "I have the honor to state as a matter of public interest that the 'reconcentrado order' of General Weyler, formerly governor general of this island, transformed about 400,000 self-supporting people, principally women and children, into a multitude to be sustained by the contributions of others, or die of starvation or of fevers, resulting from a low physical condition and being massed in large bodies, without change of clothing and without food. Their homes were burned, their fields and plant beds destroyed and their live-stock driven away or killed. I estimate probably 200,000 of the rural population in the province of Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara have died of starvation or from resultant causes, and the deaths of whole families almost simultaneously, or within a few days of each other, and of mothers praying for their children to be relieved of their horrible suffering by death, are not the least pitiable scenes which were ever present."

March 14, he enclosed a letter from Consul Barker of Sagua, who requested him to transmit the following letter: "I will thank you to communicate to the department quickly the fact that the military commander and other military officers positively refuse to allow the reconcentrados to whom I am issuing food in its raw state, to procure fuel with which to cook the food. In addition they prohibited this class of people (I am only giving food to about one-fifth of the destitute (the authorities have quit altogether) from gathering vegetables cultivated within the protection of the forts, telling them, 'the Americans propose to feed you, and to the Americans you must look.'"

On Jan. 24, General Lee was notified by the state department that the Maine would call at Havana in a day or two, and was directed to make arrangements for an interchange of friendly calls between officers and authorities. Under the same date General Lee advised a postponement of the Maine's visit for six or seven days, that the excitement might abate. Later on the same day General Lee was notified that the Maine would arrive in Havana the next day, and was asked to co-operate with the authorities for her friendly visit. Wiring the state department the next day, General Lee informed the state department that the Spanish authorities professed to think the United States had an ulterior purpose in sending the ship—"say it will obstruct autonomy, produce excitement and most probably a demonstration. Ask that it is not done until they can get instructions from Madrid, and say that if for friendly motives, as claimed, delay unimportant."

From a communication of Jan. 10 the following extracts are taken: "When Spain will admit defeat no mortal in my humble judgment dare predict. That her plan of settlement, autonomy, is a failure and that with this failure passes from under her dominion the island is not to be questioned. Pending this admission on her part, thousands of human beings, guiltless of bringing on or having any part in the insurrection, are dying for want of sustenance. This condition must continue to increase. The United States in taking action relative to Cuba—which seems inevitable—desires to avoid a clash with Spain. Then let congress alter our citizenship laws by amending the statute relative to the declaration required of persons becoming citizens by naturalization so that the subjects or citizens of any government at present residing in Cuba may go before any United States consul in that island and make declaration of intention of becoming a citizen of the United States which shall entitle them to recognition as citizens, until the expiration of two years, when they shall be required to reside in the United States until five years shall have elapsed before being granted naturalization papers. With such a privilege I am confident 90 per-cent of the resident Spaniards, the hitherto dominant party and taxpayers, will avail themselves of this opportunity of rebuking the mother country for attempting to foist upon them changes in the existing laws of the island. Such a step would cause the home subjects as well as the government to acquiesce without disturbance, in the loss of the island."

Crowded Galleries.

Washington, April 12.—The galleries of the senate presented a brilliant scene Monday. Many of the ladies were attired in the most fetching finery, and the handsome display of gowns and bonnets was notable even in this city of beautiful dressing. Scarcely had the senate been called to order when Mr. Quay precipitated the Cuban question by presenting petitions and making startling comments upon the message. He took the strongest ground for immediate and impetuous action, and declared that it was now too late for pope, prelate or presbytery to interfere.

While Mr. Quay was speaking, Major Pruden, the legislative secretary to the president, entered the chamber bearing the long expected message. He was recognized as soon as the senator had concluded, and when he had presented the message the vice president immediately laid it before the senate. In a stillness that was almost breathless the message was read, the reading occupying just 42 minutes. At the conclusion there was a hum of whispered conversation in the galleries, but no demonstration. Mr. Davis, chairman of the foreign relations committee, at once moved that it be referred to his committee, and Mr. Stewart, taking advantage of the opportunity, briefly addressed the senate in favor of recognizing the independence of the Cuban insurgents. Without further debate the message was referred as requested.

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Singular Signs.

A man who runs a small store in a small New Hampshire town displays a sign in his window five days in the week which reads: "Closed, open on Mondays and Saturdays."

That man had one trait that we admire---nerve to do business in his own way, no matter what his neighbors do; and as he thinks he can make more money in two days' storekeeping than he can in six, he does it. This idea we strongly recommend to stores who sell goods at cost or less than cost. They won't lose as much in two days as in six. Think of the terrible strain on a storekeeper to be sacrificing six days in the week, and then the terrible slaughter. People would have a chance to clean up the gore and blood and get their abbatoirs into shape once a week at least.

The signs of the past two weeks are that the people of Quincy appreciate the new store and the good it is doing for them. We're making something, and they're saving a good deal. We will not sacrifice; we shall not slaughter. No mark-up or mark-down; but plain, straight forward business all the time, and if that is what you are looking for, you'll find it here.

ALL WORSTED SUITS YOU WILL FIND IN ALL CUTS AND STYLES, MARKED $9.50 NOW, TOMORROW, NEXT WEEK, ANY TIME, TILL THEY ARE ALL SOLD. WE MAKE CUSTOM PANTS FOR $3.25, $3.50, $4.00 AND UPWARDS TO $7.00, AND DEFY ANY TAILORS IN IN THIS SECTIDN TO EQUAL THE GOODS AND MAKEUP FOR THE MONEY. IF YOU LOOK AT OUR GOODS IT IS A SIGN YOU WILL BUY. MONEY BACK IF YOU WANT IT.

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MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

President McKinley Discusses Spanish Complications.

DECLARES WAR IN CUBA MUST STOP

Comprehensive Review of the Troubles In Cuba—Jackson and Grant Quoted as Showing Nation's Attitude In Past—The Document In Full.

Washington, April 11.—The president today sent the following message to congress:

The Congress of the United States:

Obedient to that precept of the constitution which commands the president to give from time to time the congress information of the state of the union, and to recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient, it becomes my duty now to address your body with regard to the grave crisis that has arisen in the relations of the United States to Spain by reason of the warfare that for more than three years has raged in the neighboring island of Cuba. I do so because of the intimate connection of the Cuban question with the state of our union and the grave relation the course which it is now incumbent upon the nation to adopt must needs bear to the traditional policy of our government if it is to be in accord with the precepts laid down by the founders of the republic and religiously observed by succeeding administrations to the present day.

The present revolution is but the successor of other similar insurrections which have occurred in Cuba against the dominion of Spain, extending over a period of nearly half a century, each of which, during its progress has subjected the United States to great effort and expense in enforcing its neutrality laws, caused enormous losses to American trade and commerce, caused irritation, annoyance and disturbance among our citizens, and by the exercise of cruel, barbarous and uncivilized practices of warfare, shocked the sensibilities and offended the humane sympathies of our people.

Since the present revolution began in February, 1895, this country has seen the fertile domain at our threshold ravaged by fire and sword in the course of a struggle unequalled in the history of the island and rarely paralleled as to the number of the combatants and the bitterness of the contest by any revolution of modern times, where a dependent people, striving to be free, have been opposed by the power of the sovereign state. Our people have beheld a once prosperous community reduced to comparative want, its lucrative commerce virtually paralyzed, its exceptional productiveness diminished, its fields laid waste, its mills in ruins and its people perishing by tens of thousands from hunger and destitution. We have found ourselves constrained, in the observance of that strict neutrality which our laws enjoin and which the law of nations commands, to police our own waters and watch our own seaports in prevention of any unlawful act in aid of the Cubans. Our trade has suffered; the capital invested by our citizens in Cuba has been largely lost, and the temper and forbearance of our people have been so severely tried as to beget a perilous unrest among our own citizens, which has inevitably found expression from time to time in the national legislature, so that issues wholly external to our own body politic engross attention and stand in the way of that close devotion to domestic advancement that becomes a self-contained commonwealth, whose primal maxim has been the avoidance of all foreign entanglements. All this must needs awaken and has indeed aroused the utmost concern on the part of this government as well as during my predecessor's term as my own.

In April, 1896, the evils from which our country suffered through the Cuban war became so onerous that my predecessor made an effort to bring about a peace through the mediation of this government in any way that might tend to an honorable adjustment of the contest between Spain and her revolting colony, on the basis of some effective scheme of self government for Cuba under the flag and sovereignty of Spain. It failed, through the refusal of the Spanish government then in power to consider any form of mediation or, indeed, any plan of settlement which did not begin with the actual submission of the insurgents to the mother country, and then only on such terms as Spain herself might see fit to grant. The war continued unabated. The resistance of the insurgents was in no wise diminished.

The efforts of Spain were increased, both by the dispatch of fresh levies to Cuba and by the addition to the horrors of the strife of a new and inhuman phase, happily unprecedented in the modern history of civilized Christian peoples. The policy of devastation and concentration, inaugurated by the captain general, Bando, of Oct. 21, 1896, in the province of Pinar del Rio, was thence extended to embrace all of the island to which the power of the Spanish arms was able to reach by occupation or by military operations.

The peasantry, including all dwelling in the open agricultural interior, were driven into the garrison towns or isolated places held by the troops. The raising and movement of provisions of all kinds were interdicted. The fields were laid waste, dwellings unroofed and fired, mills destroyed, and, in short, everything that could desolate the land and render it unfit for human habitation or support was commanded by one or the other of the contesting parties and executed by all the powers at their disposal.

By the time the present administration took office, a year ago, reconcentration—so called—had been made effective over the better part of the four central and western provinces, Santa Clara, Matanzas, Havana and Pinar del Rio. The agricultural population on the estimated number of 300,000 or more, was herded within the towns and their immediate vicinage, deprived of the means o support, rendered destitute of shelter, left poorly clad and exposed to the most unsanitary conditions. As the scarcity of food increased with the devastation of the depopulated areas of production, destitution and want became misery and starvation. Month by month the death rate increased in an alarming ratio. By March, 1897, according to conservative estimates from official Spanish sources, the mortality among the reconcentradoes, from starvation and the disease incident thereto, exceeded 50 per centum of their total number. No practical relief was accorded to the destitute. The overburdened towns, already suffering from general dearth, could give no aid. The so-called "zones of cultivation," established within the immediate area of effective military control about the cities and fortified camps, proved illusory as a remedy for the suffering. The unfortunates, being for the most part women and children, with aged and helpless men, enfeebled by disease and hunger, could not have tilled the soil without tools, seed or shelter, for their own support or for the support of the cities. The reconcentration, adopted avowedly as a war measure, in order to cut off the resources of the insurgents, worked its predestined result. As I said in my message of last December, it was not civilized warfare. It was extermination. The only peace it could beget was that of the wilderness and the grave.

Meanwhile, the military situation in the island had undergone a noticeable change. The extraordinary activity that characterized the second year of the war, when the insurgents invaded even the hitherto unharmed fields of Pinar del Rio and carried havoc and destruction up to the walls of the city of Havana itself, had relapsed into a dogged strguule in the central and eastern provinces. The Spanish arms regained a measure of control in Pinar del Rio and parts of Havana, but, under the existing conditions of the rural country, without immediate improvement of their productive situation. Even thus partially restricted, the revolutionists held their own, and their conquest and submission, put forward by Spain as the essential and sole basis of peace, seemed as far distant as at the outset.

In this state of affairs, my administration found itself confronted with a grave problem of its duty. My message of last December reviewed the situation and narrated the steps taken with a view to relieving its actueness and opening the way to some form of honorable settlement. The assassination of the prime minister, Canovas, led to a change of government in Spain. The former administration, pledged to subjugation without concession, gave place to that of a more liberal party, committed long in advance to a policy of reform, involving the widest principle of home rule for Cuba and Porto Rico. The overtures of this government, made through its new envoy, General Woodford, and looking to an immediate and effective amelioration of the condition of the island, although not accepted to the extent of admitted mediation in any shape, were met by assurances that home rule, in an advanced phase, would be forthwith offered to Cuba, without waiting for the war to end, and that more humane methods should thenceforth prevail in the conduct of hostilities. Coincidentally with these declarations, the new government of Spain continued and completed the policy already begun by its predecessor of testifying friendly regard for this nation by releasing American citizens held under one charge or another connected with the insurrection, so that, by the end of November, not a single person entitled in any way to our national protection remained in a Spanish prison.

While these negotiations were in progress, the increasing destituion of the unfortunate reconcentrados and the alarming mortality among them claimed earnest attention. The success which had attended the limited measure of relief extended to the suffering American citizens among them by the judicious expenditure, through the consular agents, of the money appropriated expressly for their succor by the joint resolution approved May 24, 1897, prompted the humane extension of a similar scheme of aid to the great body of sufferers. A suggestion to this end was acquiesced in by the Spanish authorities. On the 24th of December last I caused to be issued an appeal to the American people, inviting contributions in money or in kind for the succor of the starving sufferers in Cuba, following this on the 8th of January by a similar public announcement of the formation of a central Cuban relief committee, with headquarters in New York city, composed of three members, representing the American National Red Cross and the religious and business elements of the community. The efforts of that committee have been untiring and have accomplished much. Arrangements for free transportation to Cuba have greatly aided the charitable work. The president of the American Red Cross and representatives of other contributory organizations have generously visited Cuba and co-operated with the consul general and the local authorities to make effective distribution of the relief collected through the efforts of the central committee.

Nearly $200,000 in money and supplies has already reached the sufferers and more is forthcoming. The supplies are admitted duty free and transportation to the interior has been aranged so that the relief, at first necessarily confined to Havana and the larger cities, is now extended through most if not all of the towns where the suffering exists. Thousands of lives have already been saved.

The necessity for a change in the condition of the reconcentrados is recognized by the Spanish government. Within a few days past the orders of General Weyler have been revoked, the reconcentrados, it is said, to be permitted to return to their homes and aided to resume the self-supporting pursuits of peace; public works have been ordered to give them employment and a sum of $600,000 has been appropriated.

The war in Cuba is of such nature that short of subjugation or extermination a final military victory for either side seems impracticable. The alternative lies in the physical exhaustion of one or the other party, perhaps both—a condition which in effect ended the 10 years' war by the truce of Zanjon. The prospect of such a protection and conclusion of the present strife is a contingency hardly to be contemplated with equanimity by the civilized world and least of all by the United States, affected and injured as we are, deeply and intimately, by its very existence. Realizing this, it appeared to be my duty in a spirit of true friendliness, no less to Spain than to Cubans, who have so much to lose by the prolongation of the struggle, to seek to bring about an immediate termination of the war. To this end, I submitted on the 27th of last month, as a result of much representation and correspondence through the United States minister at Madrid, propositions to the Spanish government looking to an armistice until Oct. 1 for the negotiation of peace with the good offices of the president.

In addition I asked the immediate revocation of the order of reconcentration so as to permit the people to return to their farms and to the needy to be relieved with provisions and supplies from the United States, co-operating with the Spanish authorities so as to afford full relief.

The reply of the Spanish cabinet was received on the night of the 31st ult. It offers, as the means to bring about peace in Cuba, to confide the preparation thereof to the insular parliament, inasmuch as the concurrence of that body would be necessary to reach a final result, it being, however, understood that the powers reserved by the constitution to the central government are not lessened or diminished. As the Cuban parliament does not meet until the 4th of May next, the Spanish government would not object, for its part, to accept at once a suspension of hostilities if asked for by the insurgents from the general-in-chief to whom it would pertain in such case, to determine the duration and conditions of the armistice.

The propositions submitted by General Woodford and reply of the Spanish government were both in the form of brief memoranda, the texts of which are before me, and are substantially in the language given above. The function of the Cuban parliament in the matter of "preparing" peace and the manner of its doing so are not expressed in the Spanish memorandum; but from General Woodford's explanatory reports of preliminary discussions preceding the final conference it is understood that the Spanish government stands ready to give the insular congress full powers to settle the terms of peace with the insurgents—whether by direct negotiation or indirectly by means of legislation does not appear. With this last overture in the direction of immediate peace and its disappointing reception by Spain the executive was brought to the end of his effort.

In my annual message of December last I said: "Of the untried measures there remain only recognition of the insurgents as belligerents; recognition of the independence of Cuba; neutral intervention.

to end the war by imposing a rational compromise between the contestants and intervention in favor of one or the other party. I speak not of forcible annexation, for that cannot be thought of. That by our code of morality would be criminal aggression."

Thereupon, I reviewed these alternatives, in the light of President Grant's measured words, uttered in 1875, when after seven years of sanguinary, destructive and cruel hostilities in Cuba, he reached the conclusion that the recognition of the independence of Cuba was impracticable and indefensible; and that the recognition of belligerency was not warranted by the facts, according to the tests of public law. I commented especially upon the latter aspect of the question, pointing out the inconveniences and positive dangers of a recognition of belligerence, which, while adding to the already onerous burdens of neutrality within our own jurisdiction, could not in any way extend our influence or effective offices in the territory of hostilities. Nothing has since occurred to change my view in this regard, and I recognize as fully now as then that the issuance of a proclamation of neutrality, by which process the so-called recognition of belligerency is published, could, of itself and unattended by other action, accomplish nothing toward the one end for which we labor, the instant pacification of Cuba and the cessation of the misery that afflicts the island.

Turning to the question of recognizing at this time the independence of the present insurgent government in Cuba, we find safe precedents in our history from an early day. They are well summed up in President Jackson's message to congress, Dec. 21, 1836, on the subject of the recognition of the independence of Texas. He said: "In all the contests that have arisen out of the revolution of France, out of the disputes relating to the crowns of Portugal and Spain, out of the separation of the American possessions of both from the European governments, and out of the numerous and constantly occuring struggles for dominion in Spanish America, so wisely consistent with our just principles has been the action of our government, that we have, under the most critical circumstances, avoided all censure and encountered no other evil than that produced by a transient estrangement of good will in those against whom we have, by force of evidence, been compelled to decide.

It has thus made known to the world that the uniform policy and practice of the United States is to avoid all interference in disputes which merely relate to the internal government of other nations and eventually to recognize the authority of the prevailing party, without reference to our particular interests and views, or to the merits of the original controversy.

But on this, as on every other trying occasion, safety is to be found in a rigid adherence to principle.

"In the contest between Spain and the revolted colonies, we stood aloof and waited not only until the ability of the new states to protect themselves was fully established, but until the danger of their being again subjugated had entirely passed away. Then and not until then, were they recognized. Such was our course in regard to Mexico herself.

"It is true that with regard to Texas the civil authority of Mexico has been expelled, its invading army defeated, the chief of the republic himself captured and all present power to control the newly organized government of Texas annihilated within its confines. But, on the other hand, there is, in appearance, at least, an immense disparity of physical force on the side of Texas. The Mexican republic, under another executive, is rallying its forces under a new leader and menacing a fresh invasion to recover its lost dominion.

"Upon the issue of this threatened invasion, the independence of Texas may be considered as suspended; and, were their nothing peculiar in the relative situation of the United States and Texas, our acknowledgment of its independence at such a crisis could scarcely be regarded as consistent with that prudent reserve with which we have hitherto held ourselves bound to treat all similar questions."

Thereupon Andrew Jackson proceeded to consider the risk that there might be imputed to the United States motives of selfish interest, in view of the former claim on our part to the territory of Texas, and of the avowed purpose of the Texans in seeking recognition of independence as an incident to the incorporation of Texas in the Union, concluding thus: "Prudence, therefore, seems to dictate that we should still stand aloof and maintain our present attitude if not until Mexico itself, or one of the great foreign powers, shall recognize the independence of the new government, at least until the lapse of time or the course of events shall have proved beyond cavil or dispute the ability of the people of that country to maintain their separate sovereignty and to uphold the government constituted by them. Neither of the contending parties can justly complain of this course. By pursuing it we are but carrying out the long established policy of our government, a policy which has secured to us respect and influence abroad and inspired confidence at home."

These are the words of the resolute and patriotic Jackson. They are evidence that the United States, in addition to the test imposed by public law as the condition of the recognition of independence by a neutral state (to wit, that the revolted state) "constitute in fact a body politic, having a government in substance as well as in name, possessed of the elements of stability," and forming, de facto, "if left to itself, a state among nations, reasonably capable of discharging the duties of a state," has imposed for its own governance in dealing with cases like these the further condition that recognition of independent statehood is not due to a revolted dependency until the danger of its being again subjugated by the parent state has entirely passed away. This extreme test was, in fact, applied in the state of Texas, the congress, to which President Jackson referred the question, as one probably leading to war, and, therefore, a proper subject for "a previous understand with that body, by whom war can alone be declared, and by whom all the provisions for sustaining its perils must be furnished," left the matter of the recognition of Texas to the discretion of the executive, providing merely for the sending of a diplomatic agent when the president should be satisfied that the republic of Texas had become "an independent state." It was so recognized by President Van Buren, who commissioned a charge d'affaires March 7, 1837, after Mexico had abandoned an attempt to reconquer the Texan territory and when there was at the time no bona fide contest going on between the insurgent province and its former sovereign.

I said in my message of December last: "It is to be seriously considered whether the Cuban insurrection possesses beyond dispute the attributes of statehood which alone can demand the recognition of belligerency in its favor." The same requirement must certainly be no less seriously considered when the graver issue of recognizing independence is in question, for no less positive test can be applied to the greater act than to the lesser; while, on the other hand, the influence and consequences of the struggle upon the internal policy of the recognizing state, which form important factors when the recognition of belligerency is concerned, are secondary, if not rightly eliminable, factors when the real question is whether the community claiming recognition is, or is not, independent beyond peradventure.

Nor from the standpoint of expedience do I think it would be wise or prudent for this government to recognize at the present time the independence of the so-called Cuban republic. Such recognition is not necessary in order to enable the United States to intervene and pacify the island. To commit this country now to the recognition of any particular government in Cuba might subject us to embarrassing conditions of international obligation towards the organization so recognized. In case of intervention, our conduct would be subject to the approval or disapproval of such government; we would be required to submit to its direction and to assume to it the mere relation of a friendly ally. When it shall appear hereafter that there is within the island a government capable of performing the duties and discharging the functions of a separate nation, and having, as a matter of fact, the proper forms and attributes of nationality, such government can be promptly and readily recognized, and the relations and interests of the United States with such nation adjusted.

There remain the alternative forms of intervention to end the war, either as an impartial neutral, by imposing a rational compromise between the contestants, or as the active ally of the one party or the other.

As to the first, it is not to be forgotten that during the last few months the relation of the United States has virtually been one of friendly intervention in many ways, each not of itself conclusive, but all tending to the exertion of a potential influence toward an ultimate pacific result, just and honorable to all interests concerned. The spirit of all our acts hitherto has been an earnest, unselfish desire for peace and prosperity in Cuba, untarnished by differences between us and Spain and unstained by the blood of American citizens. The forcible intervention of the United States, as a neutral, to stop the war, according to the large dictates of humanity and following many historical precedents where neighboring states have interfered to check the hopeless sacrifices of life by internecine conflicts beyond their borders, is justifiable on rational grounds. It involves, however, hostile constraint upon both the parties to the contest, as well as to enforce a truce as to guide the eventual settlement. The grounds for such intervention may be briefly summarized as follows:

First—In the cause of humanity and to put an end to the barbarities, bloodshed, starvation and horrible miseries now existing there, and which the parties to the conflict are either unable or unwiling to stop or mitigate. It is no answer to say this is all in another country, belonging to another nation, and is, therefore, none of our business. It is specially our duty, for it is right at our door.

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Arthur Merritt of Milton
Edward F. Draper of Walpole,
Fred E. Rollins of Hyde Park,
John C. Lane of Norwood,
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1888, Quincy a city.
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Longitude, 71 W. (Boston, 71-4-9)
Variation of needle, 11 to 12 west of north.
Polls Dec. 7, 1897, 6,170.
Voters Dec. 7, 1897, 4,058.
Votes cast Dec. 7, 1897, 3,427.
Representative district, fifth Norfolk (Two representatives.)
Senatorial, first Norfolk.
Councillor, second.
Congressional, tenth.
City election, first Tuesday in December.

From Westerly line of Blue Hills to easterly point of Quincy Neck it is 8 2-5 miles and to the easterly rock in Squantum it is 7 1-2 miles. From Neponset bridge to Quincy Point bridge it is 5 miles.

Milestones of the old Plymouth road: (Old Colony.)

Public Parks: Merry Mount, Faxon, Blue Hill Reservation.

Mayors:

Hon. Charles H. Porter,	1889-90
Hon. Henry O. Fairbanks,	1891-92-93
Hon. William A. Hodges,	1893-95
Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d,	1896-97
Hon. Russell A. Sears,	1898

Council: Twenty-three members. Three from each ward and five at large.

School Board: Nine members. One from each ward and three at large.

Quincy granite: Bunker Hill Monument, King's Chapel and Custom House in Boston, and the Stone Temple and City Hall in Quincy are built of this material.

Earthquake Day: Nov. 18, 1755. Vid. John Adams' Diary.

War of Rebellion: Quincy sent 954 men. Deaths, 105. Total cost, $48,912.11.

Sailors' Snug Harbor.

National Sailors' Home.

Steam railroad—N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., main line and branch. Stations: Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Wollaston, Quincy, Quincy Adams, Montclair, West Quincy.

Electric Railroad—Quincy and Boston; runs from the centre in seven directions, Hancock street, Newport avenue, Elm avenue, Coddington street, Washington street, Water street, Independence avenue.

Children between 5 and 15 years, May, 1897, 4,720.
Whole number different pupils, 1897, 5,100.
Number of teachers, 115.
Superintendents of school:
Col. Francis W. Parker, April, 1875.
Sylvester Brown, April, 1880.
Geo. I. Aldrich, April, 1883.
Herbert W. Lull, Jan., 1892.
Evening common schools began, Oct., 1870. Vid. Acts and Resolves of 1883, Sec. 1, Chap. 174.
Transportation of school children began, 1874.
"Probably the first town to act under the law of 1869."
Drawing introduced into schools, 1881.
Free textbooks introduced into schools, 1884.
Evening drawing school opened, Oct., 1885. Vid. Acts and Resolves, 1883, Sec. 7, Chap. 44.
Music introduced into schools, 1887.
Tenure of office for teachers, 1889.
Nature work introduced into schools, 1890.
Sewing introduced into schools, (Grades V–VIII) 1892.
Cooking introduced into schools, (High School) 1892.
Vertical writing introduced into schools, (Grades I, II, III) 1896.

Quincy High School—Name of the city.

Adams school—John, second President, 1797-1801. John Quincy, sixth President, 1825-29.

Coddington school—William Coddington, "Quincy's first benefactor," "Father of Rhode Island."

Gridley Bryant School—Builder of Bunker Hill monument and of the railroad in West Quincy. First train ran Oct. 7, 1826. Horse-power. First incorporated railroad in America.

John Hancock school—Born in Quincy. First Governor of Massachusetts, President Continental Congress, first signer of Declaration of Independence.

Lincoln school—Abraham Lincoln, sixteenth President.

Massachusetts Fields school—"The spot which was to the Massachusetts (Indians) what the Isthmian Fields were to the Greeks. In all Massachusetts there was no site of greater historical prominence than this, for from it the Commonwealth may, in some sense, be said to have derived its name."

Quincy school—Col. John Quincy, descendant in the third generation from Edmund 2d, who settled in Quincy in 1634. Grandfather of Abigail (Smith) Adams. In 1792 the new town was named in honor of Col. Quincy.

Washington school—George Washington, first President.

Willard school—Solomon Willard, citizen of Quincy, inventor of hot air furnace, designer of Bunker Hill moument and of the monument at "Old North Bridge," Concord. "While Solomon Willard laid open the quarries and devised the drills, the derricks and the shops, Gridley Bryant was building a railway."

Wollaston school—Captain Wollaston landed in 1625 on what has since been known as Mount Wollaston and Merry Mount.

Adams Academy (semi-public) opened, September, 1872. Marks birthplace of John Hancock.

Woodward Institute (semi-public) opened, April, 1894.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

May Irwin will try a new farce by Glen MacDonough shortly.

Clyde Fitch has provided "The Marriage Game" for Minnie Seligman's use.

Elita Proctor Otis will soon appear in a play from the French called "Strategy."

Flora Irwin is to appear next season in a musical farce called "The Gay Miss Conn."

Margaret Mather has a new drama of modern American society and will abandon her old repertory.

The Irish drama which Augustus Pitou is writing for Chauncey Olcott engages its hero in a duel with rapiers.

A San Francisco clergyman has written a drama in which appear Adam, Eve, a serpent, a flaming sword and four apples.

Fanny Janauschek has been acting in "What Dreams May Come" a character said to be drawn from Mme. Blavatsky, the theosophist.

Former Surgeon General Hammond has written a play of the civil war called "Love and Treason," and it may be produced by Klaw & Erlanger.

During his forthcoming season at the Garden theater, New York, Richard Mansfield will be finally seen in Jessie Fothergill's "The First Violin."

Joseph Herbert and Sidney Jones have collaborated in a musical farce called "Down the Line." Jones wrote the music for "The Gaiety Girl" and "The Geisha."

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OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.



FRENCH GOWN OF CHALLI OR INDIA SILK FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

A simple but very becoming little gown, and one adapted to home wear, has a bebe waist with decollete neck edged with a triple piping outlining the yoke in two points back and front. A full pleated ruche of that airy and effective tissue, black silk muslin, bordered with narrow jetted velvet, crosses the bodice in pointed effect. Ruche-trimmed epaulettes broaden the shoulders in a fluffy fashion. The yoke, plain collar, and unlined sleeves are of French linen guipure. This corsage is slightly bloused in front, has a plain back with a few small pleats at the waist, and fastens invisibly at the side; it is girdled with a narrow velvet belt.

The snug skirt, a new seven-gored model, hung over a foundation of the same form, three yards and three-quarters wide at the foot, is bordered with a fullness jetted ruching. The back of the skirt is shirred into a tiny space at the waist-band, thus throwing the fulness directly behind. This model is suitable for silk, challie, net, or any of the fancy wool fabrics, and the proper cut can be obtained from the cut patterns published by Harper's Bazar, where it appears.

Quantity of material for gown: Goods 42 inches wide, 6 1-2 yards; goods 32 inches wide, 8 yards. embroidery, 2 yards; ruching, 5 1-2 yards.

THE LISTENER.

Frederick Weyerhaeuser of St. Paul controls 15,000,000 feet of standing white pine.

Patrick Donahoe, the well known Irish publisher of Boston, was 87 years old on St. Patrick's day.

M. Deibler, the French executioner, celebrated his seventieth birthday recently by guillotining a murderer at Bastia.

Senator Smith of New Jersey is often mistaken for a minister, yet he has the reputation of being one of the most inveterate poker players in the senate.

Representative James Hamilton Lewis of Washington bears upon his hand the scar made in an "affair of honor" while a student at the University of Virginia.

Mr. Cecil Rhodes, speaking of the reticence he observed when testifying before the South African committee, said: "I never give my friends away. Would you?"

Major Asa Bird Gardiner, the district attorney of New York, is on the retired list of the army and receives a salary as such of $1,875 a year. His salary as district attorney is $12,000 additional.

Robert P. Linderman, president of the Bethlehem Iron company and the head of large anthracite coal interests, is comparatively a young man, having been graduated from Lehigh university in 1884.

J. Sterling Morton, formerly secretary of agriculture, says in a letter protesting against the cutting down of evergreens for Christmas decorations that last year more than 20,000,000 Christmas trees were put on the market.

The Duke of Tetuan, the Spanish cabinet minister who figured in a squabble with a deputy some time ago, is an Irish chieftain in his own right and rejoices in the name of Charles O'Donnell. He is very proud of his Irish descent.

S. K. Grimley of Pennsylvania had a valuable collection of coins, which he has sold to cure his daughter of nervous prostration. She had read of a man being tortured and murdered who owned old coins, and she feared the same fate for her father.

Baron Arthur Rothschild, a member of the famous family of bankers of that name, is a tall, broad shouldered man, with a large, smooth shaven face, and cares little apparently for his personal appearance, as his clothing has a neglected look.

Henry W. Green of Trenton, who succeeds his father, Charles Ewing Green, as a trustee of Princeton university, is a grandson of Henry W. Green, formerly chancellor of New Jersey, who was also a trustee. For five generations the Green family has been represented on the board of trustees of Princeton.

John A. Wilkie of Chicago, who has been appointed chief of the secret service of the treasury to succeed William P. Hazen, who has been transferred to New York, is a newspaper man, having once served as city editor of the Chicago Tribune. His father was the Washington correspondent of the old Chicago Times in its palmy days.

HUB SPOKES.

Peter Maher a Distinguished Guest of the Big City.

Boston, April 11.—Peter Maher, the "Irish champion," arrived in this city yesterday, and will appear at a local theater during the week. Peter looks brighter and handsomer than ever, and his appearance is in marked contrast to that when he left here some two years ago, after he had defeated George Godfrey and Frank Craig. He says that he is willing at all times to match with any man in the world, bar none. "As the sporting world knows, I have followed closely aftr the lines of that great public idol, John L. Sullivan, in being ready at any and all times to meet any man in the world," he added. "What professional reputation I have I earned in the ring and not in the newspapers. At no time have I refused to make a match with any living man, and have shown my thorough earnestness by the financial backing I have always had. With James J. Corbett and Bob Fitzsimmons having retired from the ring, it is the almost unanimous opinion of the sporting world, and especially that of recognized authorities, that no boxer or pugilist living has a better right to the title of 'world's champion' than your humble servant."

Whether he surprised burglars in the act of going through his place of business, or whether men were lying in wait for him to return, Dr. Bates of the Bates dental college was murderously assaulted there at 3 this morning with a sandbag and robbed of $419 in cash. His gold watch, which was also taken from his pocket, was later found in the entryway.

Young Woman Killed.

West Peabody, Mass., April 11.—Annie Geary, one of the prettiest and most esteemed young women in this town, was murdered by an unknown assassin Sunday afternoon.

She lived with her invalid father and her cousin, Thomas Ducey, in a house on a lonely road. She prepared dinner for her father and her cousin, and after putting the house in shape sat down to read. At 4 o'clock she took a pet cat in her arms and told her father she was going for a walk. She passed down the winding cart road and was soon lost to sight. When next seen, she was dead in the woods with a frightful gash in her head. There is no clue.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, APRIL 12.
Sun rises—5:07; sets, 6:22.
Moon rises—12:22 a. m.
High water—3 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.

The showers yesterday were confined to southern New England and the coast, south to Virginia, and were light at all points. Elsewhere the day was fair and generally clear. At this time fair weather is indicated for Tuesday, though there may be some cloudiness in the early portion of the day, with light winds, generally westerly. Wednesday also gives promise to be fair and generally clear. No great change is now indicated in the temperature for some days.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A fire which originated in the boiler room of the factory of the Winsted, Conn., Metallic company, manufacturer of brass goods, did upwards of $5000 damage.

A train ran into the carriage of Michael McCann of Kenton, O., killing his wife and daughter and the horse and fatally injuring McCann.

The pastors of the three English-speaking Catholic churches in New Bedford Sunday practically advised the strikers to give up the fight and return to work.

The dead body of Dennis B. Cahill of Dedham, Mass., was found in a vacant house near the Boston line. The medical examiner pronounced death as due to alcoholism.

Huguenots from all parts of the world will be in New York during the present week as delegates and visitors to the international celebration of the 300th anniversary of the promulgation of the edict of Nantes.

In answer to the call for the formation of an Irish-American regiment, to be the first to respond from New Hampshire in case of hostilities with Spain, about 450 men affixed their names to the muster roll in Manchester.

Rebecca Vanzandt died at Seneca Falls, N. Y., at the home of her brother, Sunday, at the age of 106 years. Records in the possession of the family show that she was born in Albany in May, 1793. She retained her faculties in a remarkable degree.

The Armenian patriarch in Constantinople has sent to the Turkish relief committee a list of 40 churches wholly or partially destroyed during the recent massacres in Anatolia. He fixes the number of orphans whose parents were killed at 40,000.

The engine broke from a train last night two miles from North Brookfield, Mass., and went into a ditch 25 feet below the track. Engineer Hallowell received severe injuries. None of the cars left the roadbed, although those forward went off the rails.

Queen Victoria and the ministers of the khedive of Egypt have telegraphed hearty congratulations upon the victory of the Anglo-Egyptian forces over the dervishes at the battle of Atbara. Emperor William, through the German ambassador, has telegraphed his congratulations to Lord Salisbury.

A memorial service for Delia Tudor Stewart Parnell, mother of Charles Stewart Parnell, was held in New York Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Daughters of the Revolution, the Daughters of 1812 and the Woman's Franchise association. Delegates from a number of Irish societies were also present.

Spain has agreed to pay 450,000 pestas damage for the destruction of German property and the lives taken by the insurgents in Cuba. In consequence of this settlement, the German warship Geier has been ordered to Brazil, instead of going to Havana for the purpose of collecting an indemnity and, also, to punish the perpetrators of the outrage.

A great sensation has been caused in Germany by the report that the National Mortgage and Credit society of Stettin, which is supervised by a royal commissioner and patronized by the nobility and big land owners of the eastern provinces of Prussia, has become practically bankrupt. It has been horribly mismanaged. Several million marks have been lent on estates beyond their proper value.



During the visit of Li Hung Chang, the "Grand Old Man of China," to this country, the New York Sun said of him: "He is a large, strong, impressive specimen of manhood. He has a massive frame, a shapely head, a commanding face and well posed features. He is a keen observant of mankind, of life and of things. He is seventy-four years of age and still in the hey-day of his power."

If a Chinaman, usually regarded by us as a barbarian, can live to a healthy, hale old age, why cannot Americans, with their more advanced civilization, do the same? The reporters discovered during Li Hung Chang's stay in this country, that he took every thought for his health. He lived upon the simplest of diets and never passed a day without consulting his physician. He limited his toil to a reasonable number of hours, and would not deviate from his rule in this matter. American men follow just the opposite practice. They work to the limit of endurance, will not even take the proper time for eating, resting and sleeping, and never think of their health until it is gone. There is a wonderful medicine for hard-working men. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It takes the place of a physician. It keeps away ill-health and restores health when it is lost. It is the great appetite sharpener, blood-maker and flesh-builder. It makes the digestion perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. Medicine dealers sell it.

"My husband had been a robust young man," writes Mrs. M. J. Tedder, of Ellington, Reynolds Co., Mo. "When he was 31 years old he began to cough very hard. He had pains through his chest and lungs. His mother and the rest of his family had died with consumption. He continued to cough every winter, until in 1883 he had an attack of pneumonia. His cough grew worse and worse. He would vomit immediately after his meals. In 1888 he coughed night and day. He was getting very weak and had no appetite. He commenced Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.' He improved. His appetite got better. When he had taken seven bottles he looked like a new man and felt like a new person. He weighs more than he ever weighed before. He gained twenty-eight pounds and is cured."

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.

A Complete Department Store.

BARGAIN DAY THURSDAY, APRIL 7th.

Every department loaded down with Spring Goods.

SHEET and PILLOW CASE AFFAIR. An uncommon chance, this, to "stock up" on these needfuls. There's a mystery about it somewhere, for we're going to sell you sheets and pillow slips, all ready to use, at the bare retail cost of material. The making you get for nothing.

Pillow Slips, 36x42 . . . . . 8c. and 10c.
Torn Sheets, ... 37 1-2 and 40c. Ea.

WATCH THE WASH GOODS OFFERINGS. You'll be surprised at all this summer daintiness, you'll be more surprised at the prices. Makers have again glutted the market; they often do, but their misjudgment comes expensive to them sometimes, and this is one of the times. It's a rare buying chance for you, though. Figured Lawns, 4c., 5c., 6c., up to 25c Fancy plaids for Shirt waists, all prices.

The largest line of PRINT WRAPPERS to be found in Quincy, 39c., 59c., 69c., 79c. and 89c. to $1.50.

Kitchen furnishings in basement. Prices Way Down.

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THURSDAY EVENING, April 14,
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PAUL REVERE, W. R. C, NO. 103.
Entertainment at 8 P. M. by
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Dancing from 10 to 12 o'clock.
Tickets, 25 cts.
Quincy, April 12. 2t

QUINCY MUSIC HALL
A. G. DURGIN, - - Manager.
Friday Ev'ng, Apr. 15
Doors open 7.15. Lecture begins at 8.
COL. ROBERT G. INGERSOLL.
SUBJECT:
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Tickets now on sale, Durgin's Drug Store, 35c., 50c., 75c., $1.00.
Tickets ordered by mail will be reserved in the order received.
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Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.
H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.
April 12. 12t

Garden Seeds, Flower Seeds, Seed Potatoes.

ALL ARE FRESH GOODS.

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25 School Street,
QUINCY.

By WM. M. JEWETT, - - Auctioneer.
Granite Block, Chelsea.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Seth Burrill of Quincy, County of Norfolk, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Amasa G. Whitcomb of Chelsea, County of Suffolk, said Commonwealth, dated April first, A. D. 1890, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 639, folio 74, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the said Amasa G. Whitcomb will sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter mentioned, which are those described in said mortgage deed, on SATURDAY, the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1898, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises as follows:

A certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Walker street in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, bounded and described as follows, viz.: Easterly by lot numbered 36 on plan of lots made by L. Briggs, dated April, 1871, and recorded with Norfolk County plans, and numbered 199, one hundred and twenty (120) feet; southerly by land now or formerly of the heirs of S. A. Appleton, sixty-four (64) feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Gibbons, one hundred and twenty and one-tenth (120.1) feet; and northerly by said Walker street, sixty-nine and four-tenth (69.4) feet; being lot numbered 37 on said plan, and containing eight thousand and four (8,004) square feet of land, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said Seth Burrill by Roger H. Wilde, by deed dated Jan. 31, 1890, recorded Norfolk Deeds, libro 632, folio 449. Sold subject to all and any assessments or taxes, if any. $500 at time of sale.

AMASA G. WHITCOMB,
apr12-19-26 Mortgagee.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE,
Auctioneer.
Appraiser.
Notary Public.
Justice of the Peace.
84 Hancock Street,
QUINCY.
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	49	36	48
Monday	63	45	43
Tuesday	58	38	55
Wednesday	—	38	59
Thursday	—	49	66
Friday	—	50	55
Saturday	—	63	64

New Advertisements Today.

Notice of milk inspector.
Mortgagee's sale of real estate.
"Peddler's Parade" at Faxon hall.
Tortoise shell handle knife lost.
L. M. Pratt & Co.—Garden and flower seeds.
Eight small tenements to let.
New house for sale or to let.
Tickets for Historical Pageant.

Young Ladies to Rescue.

Saturday evening about six o'clock, while passing the residence of Col. Packard, on Hancock street, two young ladies noticed a little boy, who was coming in the opposite direction, suddenly unbuttoned his jacket from which smoke was issuing. Going at once to his assistance, they found the inside lining near the pocket on fire. Hastily removing the jacket, they threw it on the sidewalk and extinguished the fire, while the boy looked on with a very white face, for he was too frightened to speak. It had burned a small hole through his blouse and scorched him before he had realized his danger. Whether it was matches or a cigarette stump he had tucked into his pocket could not be learned, as he started off without even a "thank you" to his rescuers.

The boy was about six or seven years old, and it is hoped that this experience will teach him, as well as all other little boys the danger of putting matches, lighted cigars or cigarette stumps in their pockets.

Good Work of Reapers.

The Reaper's Circle of King's Daughters of the Episcopal church, tendered a reception to the vestry of the church and their wives on Monday evening in the Parish house. During the early part of the evening Miss Savil, president of the circle, presented to the wardens in behalf of the Reapers a very fine china closet well stocked with china, silver, and glass. Her presentation speech was fittingly responed to by Messrs. George H. Brown and Elisha Packard for the vestry and the Rev. Walter R. Breed for the church. After the presentation, coffee and cake were served and a general good time was enjoyed by all.

MARRIED.

OWEN—McGRATH—In Boston, April 11, by Henry E. Stinson, justice of the peace, Mr. George J. Owen of Boston to Miss Mary McGrath of Quincy.
SMITH—KEEN—In Quincy, April 11, by Rev. J. H. Whitaker, Mr. Frank M. Smith of Chester, Vt., to Miss Ada A. Keen of Quincy.

DIED.

ARNOLD—In Neponset, April 10, Kenneth W. son of Mr. William I. and Mrs. Lillie Arnold, formerly of Quincy, aged 2 months and 27 days.

By FRANK F. CRANE, - Auctioneer.
Office, 4 Chestnut St.

FIFTH
Grand Combination Sale
— OF —
HORSES, CARRIAGES
And Harness,
— AT —
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At 10 o'clock A. M.
Quincy, April 11. 3t

EASTER OPENING
— OF —
Spring Hats and Bonnets,
April 6th and 7th.
C. L. BLISS,
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All cordially invited. NO CARDS.
March 29. 3m lp

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It Was the Grandest Success of the Season.

A Large and Brilliant Party at Music Hall.

Concert Programme, Menu, and Those Present.

One hardly expects American people to enthuse much in these times over anything of a Spanish flavor. Columbus of Spain discovered this continent and gave America to the world. Just how the Knights of Columbus are related to the great discoverer many outside the order do not know, but Quincy and vicinity were very largely representd at the promenade concert and ball of Quincy council, No. 96, at Music hall on Easter Monday night. And everybody was glad they went and must be pardoned if they do enthuse over the grand good time. The music by Dickinson's



orchestra was grand; the stage beautiful with hydrangeas, palms and plants; the gowns of the ladies rich and varied; the committees very attentive, and the arrangements so complete that nothing was overlooked.

The concert was from 8 to 9 o'clock and the following choice numbers, under the direction of Mr. George E. M. Dickinson, were enjoyed, and ensured the lovers of the light fantastic that the music for the dancing would be of the best:

March,	"El Capitan,"	Sousa
Overture,	"Bohemian Girl,"	Balfe
Concert Waltz,		Sloan
[From "Jack and the Beanstalk."]		
Xylophone Solo,		Selected
Mr. August Anshelm.		
Galop,	"Concert."	Mills

As the people arrived they were received at the head of the stairs by the Reception committee headed by ex-Chancellor James F. Burke. The committee was particularly attentive to the specially invited guests who were promptly adorned with a white badge. Their coats and wraps were checked for them and they were escorted to good seats. The invited guests included:

Mayor Russell A. Sears.
Commissioner Charles F. Knowlton.
Walter S. Pinkham, President of the City Council.
Postmaster Charles L. Hammond.
Edward L. Hearn, Mass. State Deputy K. of C.
District Deputies William S. McNary, Hugh J. Malloy, William F. Kenney, William H. Cashman, Charles M. Hickey.
William J. O'Brien, State Secretary K. of C.
John Duggan, District Warden K. of C.
Rev. F. A. Frigiglietti
Rev. J. P. Cuffe.
Rev. F. A. Cunningham.
Rev. J. E. Johnstone.
Rev. J. P. Purcell.
M. E. Fitzgerald, Grand Knight Couer de Leon Council, South Framingham.
David W. Murray, Grand Knight Magnolia Council, Hyde Park.
John J. O'Reilly, Grand Knight Seville Council, Brockton.
Frank J. Christie, Grand Knight Brighton Council, Brighton.
James Fardy, Grand Knight Vera Cruz Council, Randolph.
Charles E. Bagley, Grand Knight Dorchester Council, Dorchester.
William J. Hannon, Grand Knight Rockland Council, Rockland.
John A. Dillon, Grand Knight Dorchester Lower Mills Council.
Thomas J. Farley, Grand Knight San Salvador Council, Stoughton.
George W. Havens, Grand Knight Jamaica Plain Council.
W. M. Marden.
Frank F. Prescott.
T. J. Collins.
F. F. Green.
George T. Magee.

Thomas A. Mullen, Boston.
Caesar Quantardino, President Italian society.
Thomas Murphy, President Division 5, A. O. H.
Henry J Cunningham, President Division 17, A. O. H.
James O'Dowd, President Division 4, A. O. H.
James P. Flanagan, President Division 18, A. O. H.
Narcissicus LeClair, President St. Jean Baptiste.
W. T. Moran, President Catholic Knights of America, Wollaston.
Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., Chief Ranger St. Francis Court of Foresters.
Michael Burns, Chief Ranger Quincy Court of Foresters.
William Elrick, Chief of Clan McGregor.
Peter J. Williams, President Firemen's Relief Association.
Noble Grand Granite lodge I. O. O. F., M. U Thomas Cain, President St. John's society.

The grand march was a leading feature as it was participated in by over 100 couples. It was led by Mr. Richard J. Larkin, the floor marshal, who escorted Mrs. Sears, the wife of the Mayor. Mayor Sears followed with Mrs. Larkin, Commissioner Knowlton and Miss Ella Mahoney. Peter J. Williams and wife, Frank F. Prescott and wife and other guests.

An order of 22 dances followed being about equally divided between the round dances and the quadrilles. Grand Knight Larkin was floor marshal and wore a badge of green and white. Deputy Grand Knight Powers, the floor director, wore a badge of blue and white. The assistant floor directors, Past Grand Knight M. T. Sullivan and Past Deputy Grand Knight T. F. Ford wore gold and white and the aids white.

The scene as viewed from the balcony was an animated one, the distance from the platform, upon which the orchestra was stationed, being just enough to lend enchantment to the music, whose strains vibrated through the hall until the walls resounded with its sweetness, making it all the more enjoyable. Shortly after 9 o'clock when the grand march was announced all was in anxious expectancy. This indeed proved a feature and one that will long recall pleasant thoughts in the minds of those that witnessed it. As the hundred or more couples that participated encircled the hall and moved in and about, the varied costumes of the handsomely gowned ladies and the more conventional black suits of the gentlemen, reflected under the soft mellow light of the electric lights, formed an ever moving kaleidoscope picture that words can hardly express. The march was a lengthy one but so interesting was it that one could have watched it for an almost indefinite period. Once the march was over the interest in the dancers on the floor below did not lag for the dances which followed were equally as picturesque and furnished plenty to occupy the attention of those who elected to participate in the affair in the more quiet way of a spectator from the balcony.

It was a very jolly social party and this with the inspiring music made the ball a grand success. Encores for the dances were frequent and the orchestra was very obliging At the end, however, it was necessary to omit some of the numbers that the ball might come to an end shortly after 3 A. M.

Because of the size of the banquet hall it was necessary to set the tables more than once, but whether at the second table or the first all were well served by Caterer Nash from the following elaborate menu:

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Lobster. Chicken. Salmon.
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Browned Mashed Potatoes. French Peas.
ENTREES.
Providence River Oysters, Escalloped.
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RELISHES.
Radishes. Olives. English Pickles.
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CAKES.
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ICE CREAM.
Vanilla. Strawberry. Chocolate.
Frozen Pudding. Roman Punch.
FRUITS.
Oranges. Bananas. Grapes.
Coffee. French Rolls.

Among those present at the concert and ball were:

Mayor Russell A. Sears and wife.
City Solicitor J. W. McAnarney and wife.
Chief of Police A. L. Litchfield and wife.
John A. Duggan and wife.
Representative T. H. Newcomb.
T. F. Ferguson and wife.
W. H. Sullivan and wife.
Frank F. Prescott and wife.
John V. Powers and wife.
James F. Burke.
Miss Mary Dunn.
William H. McNiff.
Miss Annie B. Kelly.
James W. Sweeney.
Miss Emily Smith.
L. J. Coyle and wife.
J. A. McDonnell and wife.
Miss McDonnell.
W. H. Glennon.
Edward T. Monahon.
Miss Annie Conneen.
Robert J. Hayes.
Joseph Kelly.
Miss Nellie Corons.
John Connor and wife.
Thomas M. Murphy.
Miss Annie Noonan.
John Lyons.
Miss Mary Lyons.
W. T. Moran.
Miss Margaret M. Foulert of Taunton.
Bernard Cullen.
Miss Teresa McNenney.
John Starr and wife.
Miss Mary Burns.
Miss Lena Burns.
E. J. Murphy.
Miss Katherine Walsh.
K. C. Sweeney.
James E. Cashman.
Miss Gertrude Tate.
John McCluskey.
Charles C. Hearn and wife.
J. C. Dorgan.

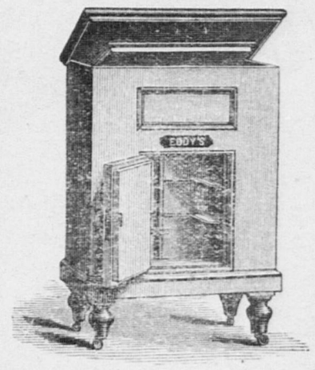
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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Sherman Gould of Portland, Me, is the guest of friends at West Quincy.

Strawberries are 20 cents per box. You can guess how large the boxes are.

Will the city purchase a part of the Breisler estate for widening Granite street?

The Quincy Saving Bank hold a meeting today, for the election of officers.

All the street lamps around Quincy Neck have been nicely repaired and painted.

Mr. Joseph R. Frost of Hamstead, N. H., was the guest of friends at West Quincy, Sunday.

Rev. A. A. Brown and family left Monday for Ohio, where Mr. Brown has accepted a call to a church.

Representatives Thompson and Newcomb voted yes on passing the Telephone bill for engrossment Monday.

The small tenements advertised by T. H. Kingston are very desirable and attractive for small families, having many of the improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight have left The Greenleaf and have commenced housekeeping in a cottage on Butler road.

On Monday afternoon Miss Mary Burns in behalf of the employes of the Hobart & Holmes wrapper factory presented the forelady, Mrs. Hobart, with a handsome marble clock.

Mr. Charles Woodbury of Edwards street has been obliged to remain at home for a few days on account of a large felon on the back of his hand. Dr. Hunting lanced it.

A new guild of Christ church, the Guild of St. Ann, will hereafter have charge of the chancel, taking care of the communion linen and vestments and providing flowers.

If a land owner gives permission to everybody to dumb paper or rubbish on his land, how can the board of health prevent it, if the owner of the land stands up for his rights.

Officer Larkin the new permanent patrolman made his first arrests since he went on duty on Monday night capturing three parties for riding bicycles on the sidewalks.

Mr. Enoch Ricker, father of Hazen E. Ricker is building a summer cottage at Post Island, Adams Shore. This will be, when completed, as large a summer cottage as has been erected for some time in this vicinity.

The fifty trip ticket which was put up at the Duck's Nest, Wollaston, for the best three string total, candle pin, for March, was finally won by C. V. Starret, after a hot contest, score 296.

Mr. Shaul, who has been organist at Christ church since the resignation of Prof. Wrigley, will sever his connection next Suuday to accept a position in the Congregational church at Brockton.

The funeral of Mrs. Mahala Veazie was held today at her late residence on Mechanic street, Rev. E. N. Hardy officiating. Mrs. Veazie has been a member of Bethany church fifty-six years. There are but three older surviving members of the church.

Probate court for Norfolk county will be held in this city Wednesday morning. Time can be saved in publication of legal notices by using the Daily Ledger. If the first notice appears any day this week the third insertion can be printed a week from next Monday.

Mount Joy Royal Black preceptory met Monday evening. A large number of the Sir Knights were present. The Scarlet and Royal Mark degrees were conferred on three candidates, in a creditable manner by the new staff of officers. Stirring and interesting remarks were made by W. P. Sir Knight Malcolm McKenzie.

John Adams Council, Royal Arcanum, gave a social at the I. O. O. F. hall, Wollaston, on Monday evening, which was largely attended. There was a pleasing entertainment and an address by Mr. W. O. Robson, the Supreme Secretary. Refreshments were served. The lodge is prosperous and growing in membership.

An entertainment of a unique and pleasing nature will be given at Faxon hall, Thursday evening, under the auspices of Paul Revere, W. R. C. The attraction will be the "Peddler's Band," which must be heard to be appreciated. The band will give a concert from 8 to 10 o'clock, following which there will be dancing until midnight.

Among the recent notes and queries in the Transcript was the following of local interest: "I have in my possession a piece of carpet woven by Susan (or Susannah) Bass of Quincy, about 1818, said to be the first carpet woven in the United States, and entered by Hon. Josiah Quincy (then mayor of Boston in the first cattle show fair held in Norfolk County. I would like to know where the fair was held, whether in Dedham or Brighton?

—Jean—1—

The Societie St. Jean Baptiste the representative French society in Quincy, held its fifth annual concert and ball at St. Mary's hall on Monday night, and like its previous efforts was a very enjoyable affair and largely attended.

From 8 to 9 o'clock Martell's orchestra of Boston gave a promenade concert, and at 9 o'clock the grand march which opened the ball took place. This was a very pretty feature of the evenings festivities and was led by Mr. N. LeClair, president of the societie, with his wife, who were followed by Floor Director and Mrs. J. P. Dufour, and some seventy-five couples. The march over, the ball was under way and dancing continued throughout a well arranged programme. At midnight during a brief intermission supper was served in the lower hall by Caterer Nash.

The invited guests were: E. M. Poitebin, President of the Boston St. Jean Baptiste society; E. Forsy, of the Champlain club, Malden; E. A. Messier, of Manchster, N. H.; Ernest J. Payett of Boston, George Payett of Cambridge, Mrs. Doctor J. Blondin from Ottawa, Canada; A. Vaudet from L'union Franco Canadiene of Quincy; Santino Rizzi, Italian Societe of Quincy; Angello Bernasdoni, Italian Societe; J. Lane, Nonpareil Social club; J. Paradise, Vice President of I. O. O. F. society; J. J. Reardian, President of C. T. A. M. R. society.

Those in charge, and to whom great credit for the success of the fifth annual is due, were:

First Assistant,—A. J. Rogers.

Second Assistant,—Nap Reed.

Aids, — L. Bouchard, George Lemieux, A. Demers, Z. Larendeau, L. Bertrand, J. Chouinard.

Reception Committee,—N. LeClair, presdient. C. D. LeClair, treasurer. A. Simond, secretary. Dr. T. J. Dion, E. Badot, L. Rogers, Joseph Rogers, A. DesJardins, M. Favreau, J. Dufour, Sr., W. Rouleau, Joseph Landry, N. Reed, M. Lavoie.

GREAT VICTORY.

Adams Academy Has a Walk-over With Milton High.

The Adams Academy base ball team played the second game of the season at Merrymount Park, Monday afternoon and won by a large margin, 13 to 3. The team played a strong fielding game, although the batting was very weak. Both pitchers struck out many men. Taylor of Adams pitched the whole game without giving any base on balls.

The next game will be played at Brookline against the Brookline High school.

ADAMS ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, lb.,	5	1	2	2	9	0	1
Taylor, p.,	5	2	1	1	0	13	0
Manning, c.,	5	3	1	1	9	0	0
Appleton, 3b.,	5	2	2	2	0	1	1
Kent, rf.,	6	2	1	1	0	1	0
Burchstead, cf.,	5	1	2	4	2	1	0
Boyd, 2b.,	5	1	1	1	5	2	2
Donaher, ss.,	4	1	2	2	2	2	0
Bennett, lf.,	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
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MILTON HIGH SCHOOL.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Grey, lf.,	5	1	1	1	1	0	0
Boylston, 3b.,	4	0	2	2	1	2	1
Sheldon, rf.,	4	0	3	3	0	0	0
Hathaway, 1b.,	4	0	1	1	12	0	2
Bradley, 2b.,	4	0	0	0	1	1	1
McLaid, ss.,	4	0	1	1	1	3	0
Huntington, cf.,	4	0	1	2	0	0	1
Mahoney, c.,	4	0	1	1	8	1	8
Fletcher, p.,	5	2	2	2	0	10	0
	36	3	12	13	24	17	13

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Adams,	0	0	1	3	2	0	1	6		—13
Milton,	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	— 3

Earned Runs—Adams, 2; Milton, 2. Two-base Hits—Burchsted, 2; Hathaway, 2. Double plays, Bradley and Hathaway; Boyd and Cellery. Passed Balls—Mahoney 7. Struck out by Taylor, 10; by Fletcher, 8. Base on Balls by Taylor 10; by Fletcher, 4. Hit by Pitched ball—Appleton. Time 2 hours, and 35 minutes. Umpire, Kingsley.

Newbury Social Club Dance.

Music hall, Atlantic, presented a very lively appearance Monday evening the occasion being the third of a series of dances given by the Newbury Social club, which is composed of many of Atlantic's enterprising young men. Many were present from neigboring towns and to the strains of Boyden's full orchestra of Boston, six merry hours of enjoyment were had. The floor was in charge of Mr. P. Barry who was ably asisted by a corps of aids. It was one of the most successful dances every held in the hall.

Be Careful.

William Hayden of Quincy Point, who works on the stone crusher on South street, was shot Monday through the calf of the leg. It seems Mr. Hayden and Mr. Keenan were firing at a target, and Keenan holding the revolver stooped over when it accidently went off and the ball pierced directly through the leg.

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WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Eminent Sir George H. Kenyon, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island officially visited and inspected South Shore Commandery, K. T., Monday evening at Masonic hall, East Weymouth. The following visitors were present:

Em. Sir Edwin S. Graves.
Em. Sir C. E. Pierce.
Em. Sir W. H. Puffer of St. Oma Commandery, South Boston.
Rt. Em. Sir Caleb Saunders P. S. C.
Em. Sir Herbert Morse, Grand Generalissimo.
Em. Sis H. Litchfield of Boston Commandery.
Em. Sir J. W. Kimball of Fitchburg.
Em. Sir J. D. Munroe
Grand Lecturer.
Em. Sir A. W. Dennis.
Em. Sir F. C. Hersey of Winslow commandery Salem.
Em. Sir H. J. Pettingill of Hugh De Payus Commandery, Melrose.
Em. Sir Theodore B. Matherson of Cavalry Commandery, Providence, Rhode Island.
Em. Sir Smith B. Harrington.
Em. Sir E. S. Davis of Joseph Warren, Roxbury.
Em. Sir Chas. C. Munford,
Em. Sir F. D. Pearce.
Em. Sir E. Steward, Grand Warden.
Em. Sir J. P. Bodge.
Em. Sir J. W. Dickens of Wm. Parkman Commandary, East Boston.

A banquet was served by Caterer Mayanard of Plymouth for 300 plates.

James Orcutt of Brockton visited friends in town Sunday.

Herbert Morales has accepted a position in a restaurant in Somerville.

William Macauley has accepted a position with a leather firm in Stoneham.

Walter West of Harrison Square paid a visit to friends and relatives in town Saturday.

Mr. Nathan Tirrell of Lovell's Corner, who has been confined to his home with illness, is able to be out again.

An Easter Concert was given in the Porter M. E. Church by the Sunday School, Sunday evening. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns.

The Easter sale which was given by the Ladies' Aid of the Porter M. E. church was a success.

Mr. Chas. H. Chubbuck, Jr., of No. Weymouth has purchased a handsome '98 wheel.

"Kokakola" held a full rehearsal at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth, Monday night.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Porter M. E. church, of Lovell's corner, will hold an Easter sale beginning tonight in the church vestry and continuing Wednesday night.

Mr. Merritt Jenkins, Tufts '01, returned to his studies at "College Hill" Monday, after having spent a week's recess with his parents at their residence upon North street, North Weymouth.

Mr. John H. Moonan of East Weymouth has been entertaining as his guest his cousin, Miss Nellie Moonan of Brockton, a few days this week.

"Kokakola" will hold the next rehearsal, Wednesday evening at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth, with full orchestra and under the direction of the professional coach, Mr. James Gilbert, formerly of Boston theatre.

A Protest.

At a regular meeting of Bay View Loyal Orange lodge, No. 187, held April 4, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, considering that we are a Christian people, and that whatever we have in our city that is true and good and beneficial is due to the Christian religion, and that atheism is a menace to our institutions which are founded in our belief in God and

Whereas, it is true that atheism has never contributed in any respect whatever to the good of humanity, but on the contrary is a destructive principle to the morals of humanity, and therefore of our city, therefore

Resolved, that we the members of Bay View, L. O. L., protest against the lecture on atheism to be given in Music hall as an insult to the Christian name of this city and we as citizens disapprove of the action of the owners and directors of said hall, who for the sake of a few paltry dollars rent their hall for such blasphemous purposes.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Ledger and Advertiser.

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Quincy, April 12. 3t

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TO LET—8 small tenements with all improvements, four and five rooms and bath with set tubs and set range, curtained and screened; just the kind for man and wife; will rent very low. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station and on line of electrics; will be ready May 1. T. H. KINGSTON, Rawson road, Norfolk Downs, or 67 Milk street, Boston.

April 12—6t 16-1w

FOR SALE OR TO LET—In Wollaston, new house, 8 rooms and bath, corner of Brook street and Highland avenue; 4 minutes to steam, 1 to electrics. Price, $3,600 cash. Rent, $25 per month. Apply to HENRY FENNO, 15 Winthrop avenue, Wollaston, and 38 South street, Boston.

April 12—3t 16-1w

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.

Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St.

Quincy, March 31. tf

FOR SALE.

Bigelow St. Fine New Residence, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, fireplace, etc.

Washington St. Attractive NEW HOUSE, 7 rooms, sewing room, bath, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

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Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

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Cottage House and Farm TO LET.

Cottage House, No. 6 Coddington street, one of the most desirable locations in Quincy, with all modern improvements, containing 8 rooms and bath; together with stable, large yard and fruit trees; three minutes' walk from depot.

Slated roof house, 9 rooms, for one or two families, city water with sheds and stable for horses and cows, hennery and five acres of land, suitable for a milk farm. Situated on North St., near electric railroad, fifteen minutes' walk from Quincy Centre station, Old Colony R. R., and within 6 minutes' walk of Quincy Point stores, schools and churches. $20 per month for whole house. Ten acres extra land to let with same if desired.

HENRY H. FAXON.

Quincy, April 7. 12t

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Cottage house, 9 rooms, with modern conveniences, No. 6 Coddington street.
House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 7 Granite street.
House, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
Double house, 8 rooms, No. 15 Brackett St.
Three tenements, No. 51 Howard street.
Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
Stable, 3 stalls, junction of School and Franklin streets.
Stable and shed, No. 28 Howard street.
Room No. 12 Washington street.
Wharf, sheds and office, Quincy Neck.
Basement, No. 11 Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
Gravel, sand and loam for sale.

For particulars inquire of or address

HENRY H. FAXON.

Quincy, March 15. 1m

DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,

9 Spear Street, Quincy.

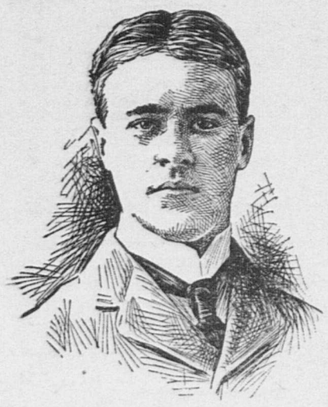
He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.

Oct. 30. tf

CITY REGISTER.

Department Officials and Boards of Quincy for 1898.

The city government book recently issued by City Clerk Cleaves is so complete that the Ledger is pleased to republish it in full at frequent interva's.



Mayor,
HON. RUSSELL ADAMS SEARS.



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City Clerk,
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City Auditor,
JOHN O. HALL.

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FRANK C. PACKARD.

Chief of Police,
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City Solicitor,
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ABNER L. BAKER.

City Physician,
JOHN F. WELCH, M. D.

City Messenger,
HARRY W. TIRRELL

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Ward Two—EDWIN W. NEWCOMB,
Ward Three—GEORGE H. FIELD,
Ward Four—NATHAN AMES,
Ward Five—CHARLES R. SHERMAN,
Ward Six—BENJ. R. REDMAN.
Clerk—MISS ABBIE BRACKETT.

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CLARENCE BURGIN, elected by Council.

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Regular meetings on the first and third Mondays of each month at 7.35 P. M.

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Ward Six—WALTER P. HILL, THEODORE PARKER, JOHN E. POLAND.

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City Auditor Hall, clerk.

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On Public Buildings and Grounds—Poland (chairman), Cain, Willard, Swithin, Keith.

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Regular meetings on the last Tuesday of each month at 8 P. M.

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SUPT. H. W. LULL, . . . Secretary

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FRANK C. FIELD,	1899
FRANK A. PAGE,	1900

BY WARDS.	TERM EXPIRES.
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2—WALTER R. BREED.	1898
3—MABEL E. ADAMS,	1899
4—JOHN H. ASH,	1900
5—WELLINGTON RECORD,	1901
6—FREDERIC J. PIERCE,	1900

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	TERM EXPIRES
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CORNELIUS MOYNIHAN,	May 1, 1899
EDWARD B. MARSH,	May 1, 1900

EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

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David J. Barry,	John T. Larkin.

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Francis A. Spear.

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E. Frank Mitchell,	George P. Mead,
Frank S. Patch,	Eben W. Sheppard,
Frank W. Crane,	George B. Pray.

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William C. Hart.

Undertakers,

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William E. Brown,	Edward L. Bean.

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Herbert D. Adams,	George P. Mead,
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George K. Carter,	E. Frank Mitchell,

Frank W. Crane.

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Wd 2—George Crane,
Wd 3—James Nightingale,
Wd 4—John R. O'Neil,
Wd 5—Quincy A. Faunce,
Wd 6—George B. Bryant.

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William Faxon,	George Crane,
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Pound Keeper,
Franklin Jacobs.

HOW MUCH HE LOVED HER.

My passion, Sylvia, to prove,
You bid me tell how much I love.
I love thee, then—but language fails—
More than bees love flowery vales,
More than turtle loves his dove,
More than warblers love the grove,
More than nature loves the spring,
More than linnet loves to sing,
More than insects sunny beams,
More than poets airy dreams,
More than fishes love the flood,
More than patriots public good,
More than flocks the grassy plains,
More than hinds increasing rains,
More than lords their pedigree,
More than Yankees to be free,
More than heirs love twenty-one,
More than heroes laurels won,
More than elves the moonlight shade,
More than ancient maids to wed,
More than hermit loves his cell,
More than beauty to excel,
More than miser loves his store,
More than myself. Can I do more?
—Solomon G. Fay in New York Ledger.

A WOMAN'S WAY.

The hoproom at Fort McKibben was gay with flags; the floor was like a burnished mirror; nearly all the married officers were there with their wives and daughters, and of course not a bachelor was missing; the gold lace on the uniforms glittered in the blaze of many lights; women who in the daytime were merely ordinary mortals had taken on with their evening gowns an air of spirituelle beauty; a waltz had just ended, and the dancers were collected in groups, talking and laughing; the cornetist of the band was playing a solo, when Captain and Mrs. Kingsley came into the room.

The cornetist caught his breath and lost a note, but no one noticed. The talking and laughing ceased. Every one knew that Mrs. Kingsley was the most beautiful woman in the army, but no one had ever seen her as beautiful as she was that night.

She was very tall, with a full yet slender figure of surpassing grace. Her hair and eyes were dark. Her skin was creamy white, with a real rose tinge in her cheeks. She wore a black gown, and her shoulders gleamed above the chiffon that draped the bodice.

The simile is hackneyed, but her eyes were indeed as bright as the diamonds in her hair. A great red rose burned over her heart, and as she stood in the doorway beside her husband she made a picture that could not be ignored.

Every one looked at her, but she looked at Captain Howard only, who was standing alone, and who, after gazing at her a moment as if spellbound, went toward her.

Her eyes were solemn, her mouth unsmiling, as she gave him her hand.

"Well, Howard," said Captain Kingsley cordially, laying his hand on Captain Howard's shoulder. They had been roommates at West Point and firm friends from that time on.

"How are you, Rob?" said Captain Howard constrainedly.

"Why, what's the matter?" said Captain Kingsley. "You look as solemn as an owl."

"I feel just as I look," said Captain Howard. "Mrs. Kingsley, may I have the next dance?"

"I hope it isn't the thought of dancing with me that depresses you," Mrs. Kingsley said, making an effort to speak lightly.

"I need not answer that," said Captain Howard.

The music began, and Mrs. Kingsley nodded and smiled to her husband as she danced away with Captain Howard.

For a few moments neither spoke. Then his arm grew tense around her, but he did not draw her closer.

"Great heavens! This is terrible!" Mrs. Kingsley whispered.

"I wonder if you can imagine how like a traitor I feel?" said Captain Howard. "I am devoted to Rob, yet here I am, trying to steal his wife."

"But you cannot feel as much like a traitor as I do, for after all his goodness to me—his unfailing love—I want to be stolen."

He stopped dancing and offered her his arm. They went out on to the porch. At the farther end of it he turned toward her, and she stepped back from him a little way.

"This cannot go on forever," he said. "Do you really love me?" she asked.

"You know it."

"And do you know how I love you?"

"Yes."

For a moment she looked into his eyes, then she held out her hands to his.

"No," he said firmly, taking them, but holding her away from him, "I still have some sense of honor. If Rob were not my friend, it would be different, but as it is you must either go away with me and be mine altogether or you must stay here and be only his."

"But if I go away with you it will break Rob's heart."

"I can break his heart without compunction, but I cannot kiss his wife out here in the dark and then go back into the hoproom and speak to him as a trusted friend."

She looked at him scrutinizingly.

"What a curious thing a man is," she said. "My sense of honor would be satisfied if I could keep him from knowing, for I would hate to hurt his feelings."

"Then I am afraid that you have no sense of honor," he said smiling.

"Yes, I have," she said, without the slightest resentment in her voice. "I wouldn't do anything if he were away, but when he is here to take care of me and to defend his own honor I really don't think that it is very wrong for me to do anything I can without his finding out."

"What a curious thing a woman is," he said mockingly, but leniently. "However, it is easy for a man to overlook a great many weaknesses and shortcomings in the woman he loves."

"And when a woman loves a man she overlooks nothing," said Mrs. Kingsley. "It would grieve me to death if you were willing to deceive Rob. I am happy in my love for you because I believe that if I did run away with you you would be as true to me as you are to him."

"And will you go with me?"

"Won't you kiss me unless I do?"

"No," he answered, looking at her steadily. She thought for a moment.

"Then—I will go," she said.

"Alice," said Captain Kingsley's voice close beside her, "I unintentionally overheard what you said. I was bringing your wrap to you." He laid the cape about her shoulders as he spoke. "Come home with me. Howard, meet me in the morning, half an hour before reveille, at the target range."

He seemed to speak mechanically. There was no feeling in his voice, no expression of pain or of anger on his face.

Captain Howard bent his head in silent agreement, and Captain and Mrs. Kingsley walked slowly homeward side by side.

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The dawn was glimmering in the east, the birds twittered in a desultory fashion, the dew was heavy on the trodden grass, when Captain Kingsley and Captain Howard met on the target range.

"You brought your pistol?" said Captain Kingsley.

"No," said Captain Howard.

"That is just like you," said Captain Kingsley. "I suspected that you would not bring one, so I brought two." He handed one to Captain Howard as he spoke.

"I don't want it, Rob," said Captain Howard, taking it reluctantly. "How can I raise it against you? You have done me no injury."

Captain Kingsley walked five paces away from Captain Howard.

"Are you ready?" he said, turning toward him.

"Yes."

"Then count three and fire."

The two shots rang out simultaneously. Neither man was touched.

"Why did you do that?" said Captain Kingsley, frowning.

"Why did you?" said Captain Howard. "I gave you a chance to revenge yourself."

"What good would revenge do me?" said Captain Kingsley. "I think that my only wish is to put myself out of her way. Do you mean to shoot me or do you not?"

"I do not," said Captain Howard.

"You leave me no alternative. I must do it myself," said Captain Kingsley.

And he did.

He was buried with military honors in the post cemetery. The papers announced that while he and his friend, Captain Howard, were shooting at a mark his pistol had gone off accidentally and killed him.

The evening after the funeral Mrs. Kingsley was sitting in her drawing room when Captain Howard came in.

"Alice," he said, "dreadful as this has been I cannot regret it, for it gives you to me."

She looked at him, but blankly as if she did not see.

"What is the matter?" he said. "Don't you love me any more?"

"Love you? Yes, but that has nothing to do with it," she answered.

"What do you mean?"

"I mean that I am going away tomorrow."

"And when may I come?"

"You? Why, never."

"Aren't you going to marry me?"

"You don't suppose that I could marry you after this? When Rob was alive and at home, I would have done anything—anything—but, as I have told you before, if he had been away I would have behaved in a most exemplary manner. Now that he can never come back—now that I am left alone to uphold the honor of his name, do you dream that I would marry you of all people? My sense of honor forbids it."

She smiled wanly, but there was unflinching resolve in her eyes.—Elizabeth Harman in Home Magazine.

Fog Yarns.

Talk at the mess table of the old day boat one morning at Albany turned on the fog which hung over the upper reaches of the river. The night boat had not made her dock yet, and it was really a remarkably thick morning—7:30 o'clock of a midsummer morning and still murky. So said the second pilot.

"I remember," began the purser, "on Lake Champlain, a fog so thick you couldn't see the jack staff from the pilothouse, but old Captain Sam —— put her along all right."

"Pooh!" said the chief engineer. "We were going through a fog in Haverstraw bay in 1874 that we cut a wake in—left it clear half a mile behind us."

"Well," remarked Mate Charley Griffin, who felt it time to say the last word, "I was on the —— in 1868, or 1869 maybe it was, off Anthony's Nose, when we ran into a fog bank that stalled the old wagon, just like a locomotive in a snowdrift; couldn't push her ahead one inch."

"My uncle in Portland, Or.," said the newsboy who had no business to say anything about fogs when his elders were about, "writes me that the other day his neighbor, Mr. Perkins, was shingling his roof when one of those Pacific coast fogs came up. Mr. Perkins shingled out four feet on the fog before he"—

But Griffin was on deck.—New York Mail and Express.

Novel Reading.

It is interesting to know the opinion of so hard a worker and so earnest a player as Mr. Balfour on one of the most easily accessible and delightful recreations of modern times—novel reading.

When entertained at the Sir Walter Scott club, he spoke freely on the present day position of the novel, calling it a really necessary luxury. "The world will insist upon tobacco, daily papers and novels until the end of time. Though literature by no means carries all the cardinal virtues in its train, still it is the greatest engine for the production of cultivated happiness."

Bicycle Gossip

To ride a bicycle means the modern way of building brains and muscle. Mr. Pickwick used to say, "Always shout with the crowd, and when there are two crowds, shout with the largest.

His wisdom you can apply to the bicycle situation, for people everywhere are riding bicycles, and if you desire to be up to date, enlist at once in the bicycle army; this store is the recruiting office.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by N. Urbain Lavoie of Quincy in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Herbert T. Whitman, of said Quincy, dated December 31, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 686, folio 295, which mortgage was assigned to Amy Billings, by instrument dated November 24, 1894, duly recorded with said deeds, libro 725, folio 454, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on SATURDAY, the 30th day of April, 1898, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land in said Quincy numbered one on a plan by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Plans at the end of libro 671 and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring one hundred and sixteen and three-tenths (116.3) feet; southeasterly on Common street, there measuring eighty-seven and twenty-two hundredths (87.22) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring one-hundred and sixteen and forty-four hundredths (116.44) feet; and northwesterly on other land of Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet; containing 9,996 square feet of land, excepting that portion of said lot No. 1, which is bounded and described as follows: northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring fifty-nine (59) feet; southeasterly on the remaining portion of lot No.1, there measuring eighty-five and forty-five hundredths (85.45) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring fifty nine and three-tenths (59.3) feet; and northwesterly on land formerly of said Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet, containing 4,989 square feet of land, more or less; said excepted portion having been sold under foreclosure of a prior mortgage.

Being the same premises conveyed to said N. Urbain Lavoie by the said H. T. Whitman by deed dated April 7, 1892.

Said premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments, and tax titles, if any there be. Terms at sale.

AMY BILLINGS,

Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

Weymouth, Mass., April 5, 1898, 3t-5-12-19

KILLED WITH A GLASS.

Fatal Termination of a Domestic Buster In Fitchburg.

One of the Participants In a Dance of Death.

His Angry Wife Charged With Producing His Death.

Fitchburg, Mass., April 12.—Nicholas Hannigan is dead and his wife is under arrest upon suspicion of having killed him during a drunken row at their home. The cause of the man's death was a deep wound in the head caused, it is believed by a blow from a beer glass. The police are investigating the case.

By authority of the district attorney the local medical examiner, Dr. Kielty performed an autopsy. The only external injury was a cut about an inch long on the forehead, which, as it did not penetrate the skull, was not deemed sufficient to have caused death. Beneath the skull, however, between the aural matter and the brain surface, was a quantity of blood which might have resulted from a blow. Death was probably due to concussion of the brain.

The story as learned from the police is to the effect that a caller named McKinely brought a quart of whiskey with him and that several times during the afternoon and evening the bottle was replenished until all were pretty drunk. It is stated that the row that ended so disastrously to Hannigan was started when a Mrs. Bradshaw and Hannigan commenced to dance together. M[illegible] Hannigan objected to the performance of her husband. She asked him to desist, so the story goes, and upon his refusing it is reported that she hit him with a glass on the head. After the injury had been bandaged Hannigan was put to bed in a dazed condition. He revived shortly and again joined in the festivities. It was apparent to some of those present that he had been badly hurt and he was put to bed again. This was about 8:30, and two hours later he was found dead by his wife.

BOSTON OPINION.

Boston, April 12.—From The Advertiser's criticism of the message the following is taken: "Millions of people who will read this message have been all along only half aware of the awful truth. They have self-indulgently allowed themselves to guess that 'the reports have been greatly exaggerated,' and that, while no doubt, things in Cuba are in a pretty bad way, they are not so bad as they are painted. The president's narrative, studiously calm, containing no language that bears the least trace of excitement or ill-temper, held well within the bounds of official proof, yet palpitates with the hideousness of that truth, than which imagination can scarcely conceive anything inflicted by 'man's inhumanity to man' more hideous."

"The president is prepared to execute every obligation imposed upon him by the constitution and the law," says The Journal. "The message leaves congress free to do its absolute will without offence to the president and assured of his hearty co-operation. The paragraph added yesterday touching the offer of Spain to enter into an armistice with the insurgents merely refers to the consideration of congress an additional point of which the logic of events will soon dispose. Congress and the president and the people of the United States are still united on this great question in all respects that are essential, and whatever the road which honor and patriotism and humanity shall point out they will travel together."

"Mr. McKinley's second message on the Spanish-American crisis is hardly more enlightening or hardly less disappointing than his first," as The Globe receives it. "The obscure and inconclusive character of the former was attributed to the exigencies of diplomacy, but now, when he confesses that his diplomatic efforts with Spain have failed, it is difficult to see what consideration still restrains the frankness of the president in his latest communication to congress and the country."

"It cannot be denied," contends The Post, "that President McKinley's last message on the Cuban question will be the occasion of disappointment to a very large section of his own party and to a very large portion of the American people. That it will lead to bitter discussion and perhaps a revolt in congress, seems very probable; but yet the chances are that the president's policy, however displeasing and however disappointing, will be able to hold the nominal support of congress in a final division after discussion."

Men In the Case.

Montpelier, Vt., April 12.—The Mildred Brewster murder trial was resumed yesterday, and the chief witness was Jack Wheeler, the young man who was the object of the affections of Miss Wheeler and Miss Brewster. It was the jealousy between the two girls over Wheeler which is alleged to be the motive for Miss Brewster's act in shooting Miss Wheeler.

The witness told his story, which was not lengthy, but he was subjected to a rigid cross-examination. Wheeler told of his relations with Miss Brewster, which were quite intimate. He said that he felt alarmed over her condition at one time, but he denied advising her to go away. He said he told her he did not love her, but she told him she loved him. Witness had never promised to marry Miss Brewster if she did as he wished her to.

Another Defeat For Bostons.

In Lancaster—Boston was beaten by the Atlantic league champions. Rain stopped the game at the end of the eighth inning. Pitcher Nichols, who has been holding out for an increase in salary, joined the team here. Score: Lancasters, 7; Bostons, 3.

In Baltimore—The orioles won the opening game from Toronto by all round play. Score: Baltimores, 23; Torontos, 10.

In Washington—Rain stopped the Georgetown-Princeton game at the end of the sixth inning. Princeton won, 9 to 2.

MONDAY IN BOSTON.

Sneak Thieves Continue to Elude the Vigilance of the Police.

Boston, April 12.—The "secret manifold" issued by the police department shows no decrease in the work of sneak thieves in this city. Two months ago thieves who make a business of stealing overcoats, packages from express teams, bicycles, etc., started on a campaign of crime and have kept it up, notwithstanding the work of the police and detectives. While the value of the plunder gotten in a single place is not a large amount, the number of thefts which this class has committed shows the business has been profitable. One manifold shows the theft of six bicycles, a total value of about $500.

William H. Orne was sentenced to a maximum sentence of three years in the superior court yesterday for adultery. Orne belonged in Chelsea and was recently arrested on an embezzlement charge. It was afterwards alleged that while he had a wife and four children in Chelsea, he was engaged to five or six respectable women, and had even named the wedding day, and was maintaining another home in the city. Thomas W. Geary, convicted of stealing bicycles, was given a maximum sentence of five years.

The attorney general has given a decision on the procedure adopted by the cattle commissioners in compensating the owners of cattle condemned as tuberculous and killed under the provisions of the law of 1895. He says there is nothing in the statute which requires a post-mortem examination before agreeing on value. The amount is computed upon the assumption that the animal is diseased. The only purpose of an autopsy is to ascertain if the commission was mistaken in its opinion, in which case the owner is entitled to full and unlimited compensation.

The aldermanic report on the theater hat ordinance is against any change on the ground that the ordinance prohibits simply the wearing of headgear "which obstructs the view."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 12.—After passing last week the bill placing the telephone companies in the state in charge of the gas and electric light commissioners, the house yesterday reversed its decision and rejected the bill on the question of engrossment. The vote last week on the question of ordering the bill to a third reading was 75 to 61, with 32 pairs, while yesterday it stood 77 to 84, with 24 pairs. Unless a reconsideration is ordered the bill is practically killed for this session.

The committee on taxation has voted in favor of granting the petition of the president and trustees of Williams college for the exemption from taxation of the houses of professors when they are occupied by professors in connection with the administration of the college. Mr. Dean of Wakefield dissents. The committee will present a report in favor of a further investigation of the taxation of college property.

Mr. Bennett presented two orders of a somewhat sensational character in the house, both of which were laid over. They are aimed at the Massachusetts highway commissioners, and ask for information about promises alleged to have been made by the board in order to influence legislation.

The bill allowing the granting of half-holidays to city employes, in the discretion of the city council, was ordered to a third reading without debate.

An adverse report on a bill authorizing railroad corporations to construct and operate branches of their roads in public ways was taken from the table and accepted.

The bill providing for the exclusion of persons from the courtroom when the matter under consideration is objectionable was debated briefly and ordered to a third reading, 13 to 6.

The bill to enable cities and towns to manufacture and distribute gas and electricity for municipal purposes, which was reported upon adversely and placed on the table, was taken therefrom and accepted.

Felt Makers Fail.

Dolgeville, N. Y., April 12.—A receiver has been chosen for Alfred Dolge & Son, the well known manufacturers of felt and piano supplies in Dolgeville. The assets and liabilities are not stated, but the former are estimated at $500,000.

Alfred Dolge was the founder of Dolgeville, having established his business here 25 years ago. The growth of the village has been largely due to manufacturing interests controlled by him. Mr. Dolge stated that he was forced to make an assignment on account of the war scare and the difficulties of procuring money to carry on his business.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13.
Sun rises—5:06; sets, 6:24.
Moon rises—1:10 a. m.
High water—4 a. m.; 4:45 p. m.

The mercury is above freezing in all sections, with normal to high barometer. The weather in New England will continue fair and warm through Wednesday and maybe Thursday, with southerly to westerly winds.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The result of the senatorial elections in Spain is that 140 ministerialists have been elected out of 180 voted for.

Burning grass set fire to and destroyed the Baptist church in Braintree, Vt. The building was one of the oldest in that section of the state.

The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of 10 percent in favor of the creditors of the National bank of the Commonwealth, Manchester, N. H.

There is not much change in the condition of Mr. Gladstone, but he is not suffering much pain. He is unable, however, to converse cheerfully with his friends.

The postmaster general has decided to let the contract for furnishing stamps for the ensuing four years to the bureau of engraving and printing, instead of giving it to the American Bank Note Engraving company, which submitted a bid.

William J. Bryan will deliver two speeches in Connecticut, closing at Naugatuck, Friday evening. He will arrive in Boston Saturday morning, and will be accompanied by Colonel Alexander Troup, chairman of the Democratic state committee of Connecticut.

The navy department has under consideration the purchase of the Brazilian cruiser Nictheroy, one of the most formidable vessels of its kind afloat. The Nictheroy was a high speed merchantman purchased by Brazil in this country during the Mello revolution.

MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

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conditions that deprive them of legal protection.

Third—The right to intervene may be justified by the very serious injury to the commerce, trade and business of our people, and by the wanton destruction of property and devastation of the island.

Fourth (and which is of the most importance)—The present condition of affairs of Cuba is a constant menace to our peace, and entails upon this government an enormous expense. With such a conflict waged for years in an island so near us and with which our people have such trade and business relations—when the lives and liberty of our citizens are in constant danger and their property destroyed and themselves ruined—where our trading vessels are liable to seizure and are seized at the very door by warships of the foreign nation, the expeditions of filibustering that we are powerless altogether to prevent, and the irritating questions and entanglements thus arising—all these and others that I need not mention, with the resulting strained relations, are a constant menace to our peace and compel us to keep on a semi-war footing with a war nation with which we are at peace.

These elements of danger and disorder already pointed out have been strikingly illustrated by a tragic event which has deeply and justly moved the American people. I have already transmitted to congress the report of the naval court of inquiry on the destruction of the battleship Maine in the harbor of Havana during the night of the 15th of February. The destruction of that noble vessel has filled the national heart with inexpressible horror. Two hundred and fifty-eight brave sailors or marines and two officers of our navy, reposing in the fancied security of a friendly harbor, have been hurled to death, grief and want brought to their homes and sorrow to the nation.

The naval court of inquiry, which, it is needless to say, commands the unqualified confidence of the government, was unanimous in its conclusion that the destruction of the Maine was caused by an external explosion, that of a submarine mine. It did not assume to place the responsibility. That remains to be fixed.

In any event, the destruction of the Maine, by whatever exterior cause, is a potent and impressive proof of a state of things in Cuba that is intolerable. That condition is thus shown to be such that the Spanish government cannot assure safety and security to a vessel of the American navy in the harbor of Havana on a mission of peace and rightfully there. Further referring in this connection to recent diplomatic correspondence, a dispatch from our minister to Spain, of the 26th ult., contained the statement that the Spanish minister for foreign affairs assured him positively that Spain will do all that the highest honor and justice required in the matter of the Maine. The reply above referred to of the 31st ult. also contained an expression of the readiness of Spain to submit to an arbitration all the differences which can arise in this matter, which is subsequently explained by the note of the Spanish minister at Washington, of the 10th inst., as follows: As to the question of fact which springs from the diversity of views between the reports of the American and Spanish boards, Spain proposes that the fact be ascertained by an impartial investigation by experts, whose decision Spain accepts in advance. To this I have made no reply.

President Grant, in 1875, after discussing the phases of the contest as it then appeared, and its hopeless and apparent indefinite prolongation, said:

"In such event, I am of opinion that other nations will be compeleld to assume the responsibility which devolves upon them, and to seriously consider the only remaining measure possible, mediation and intervention. Owing perhaps to the large expanse of water separating the island from the peninsula, the contending parties appear to have within themselves no depository of common confidence to suggest wisdom when passion and excitement have their sway, and to assure the part of peacemaker."

In this view, in the earlier days of the contest, the good offices of the United States as a mediator were tendered in good faith, without any selfish purpose, in the interest of humanity and in sincere friendship for both parties, but were at the time declined by Spain, with the declaration, nevertheless, that at a future time they would be indispensible. No intimation has been received that, in the opinion of Spain, that time has been reached. And yet the strife continues with all its dread horrors and all its injuries to the interests of the United States and of other nations. Each party seems quite capable of working great injury and damage to the other as well as to all the relations and interests dependent on the existence of peace in the island; but they seem incapable of reaching any adjustment, and both have thus far failed of achieving any success whereby one party shall possess and control the island to the exclusion of the other. Under the circumstances, the agency of others, either by mediation or by intervention, seems to be the only alternative, which must, sooner or later, be invoked for the termination of the strife."

In the last annual message of my immediate predecesor, during the pending struggle, it was said:

"When the inability of Spain to deal successfully with the insurrection has become manifest and it is demonstrated that her sovereignty is extinct in Cuba for all purposes of its rightful existence, and when a hopeless struggle for its re-establishment has degenerated into a strife, which means nothing more than the useless sacrifice of human life and the utter destruction of that very subject matter of the conflict, a situation will be presented in which our obligations to the sovereignty of Spain will be superceded by higher obligations which we can hardly hesitate to recognize and discharge."

In my annual message to congress, in December last, speaking to this question, I said: "The near future will demonstrate whether the indispensable condition of a righteous peace, just [illegible] to the Cubans and to Spain, as well as equitable to all our interests so intimately involved in the welfare of Cuba, is likely to be attained. If not, the exigency of further and other action by the United States will remain to be taken. When that time comes that action will be determined in the line of indisputable right and duty. It will be faced without misgiving or hesitancy in the light of the obligation this government owes to itself, to the people who have confided to it the protection of their interests and honor and to humanity.

"Sure of the right, keeping free from all offense ourselves, actuated only by upright and patriotic considerations, moved neither by passion or selfishness, the government will continue its watchful care over the rights and property of American citizens and will abate none of its efforts to bring about by peaceful agencies a peace which shall be honorable and enduring. If it shall hereafter appear to be a duty imposed by our obligation to ourselves, to civilization and humanity, to intervene with force, it shall be without fault on our part and only because the necessity for such action will be so clear as to command the support and approval of the civilized world."

The long trial has proved that the object for which Spain has waged war cannot be attained. The fire of insurrection may flame or smoulder with varying seasons, but it has not been, and it is plain that it cannot be, extinguished by present methods. The only hope of relief and repose from a condition which can no longer be endured is the enforced pacification of Cuba. In the name of humanity, in the name of civilization, in behalf of endangered American interests, which give us the right and the duty to act, the war in Cuba must stop.

In view of these facts, of these considerations, I ask the congress to authorize and empower the president to take measures to secure a full and final termination of hostilities between the government of Spain and the people of Cuba, and to secure in the island the establishment of a stable government capable of maintaining order and observing its international obligations, insuring peace and tranquility and the security of its citizens as well as our own, and to use the military and naval forces of the United States as may be necessary for these purposes.

And, in the interest of humanity and to aid in preserving the lives of the starving people of the island, I recommend that the distribution of food and supplies be continued, and that an appropriation be made out of the public treasury to supplement the charity of our citizens.

The issue is now with the congress. It is a solemn responsibility. I have exhausted every effort to relieve the intolerable condition of affairs which is at our doors. Prepared to execute every obligation imposed upon me by the constitution and the law, I await your action.

Yesterday and since the preparation of the foregoing message, official information was received by me that the latest decree of the queen regent of Spain directs General Blanco, in order to prepare and facilitate peace, to proclaim a suspension of hostilities, the duration of which have not yet been communicated to me. This fact, with every other pertinent consideration, will, I am sure, have your just and careful attention in the solemn deliberations upon which you are about to enter. If this measure attains a successful result, then our aspirations as a Christian, peace-loving people will be realized. If it fails, it will be only another justification for our contemplated action.

William McKinley.

Executive Mansion, April 11, 1898.

Willie's Heroism.



Mamma—How did you get your clothes so badly torn?

Willie—Tryin t' keep a little boy from bein licked.

Mamma—That was a brave deed. Who was the boy?

Willie—Me.—Up to Date.

A Business Deal.



"What'll yer give me ter look after yer while yer is in de city?"—New York Journal.

The New English Curate.



"Wonderful fluent, weren't he? When he told us about Balaam and the ass, why, you could a'most hear the ass talking!"—Ally Sloper.

Muscle Oil Will Cure Your Rheumatism

Your Druggist sells it at 25¢ and 50¢ a bottle.

JOHN EVANS,

Auctioneer and Appraiser.

Prompt Settlement.

24 COPELAND STREET, QUINCY

Feb. 26. tf

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt. A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Old Colony News Stand after 3.30
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
Souther's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
S. A. Pierce, corner Hancock and School Sts.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand.
Loring's Pharmacy, Wollaston Park.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
News Agent, Weymouth Heights.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 4:35 p. m. | New Moon 20 5:37 p. m.
Third Quarter 13 9:44 a. m. | First Quarter 28 9:21 p. m.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

One person was baptized at the First Baptist church, Wollaston, on Sunday.

The historical pageant comes off tomorrow night at Music hall. Have you secured your tickets?

The order of dances for the Knights of Columbus ball, and also for the St. Jean Baptiste ball were printed by George W. Prescott & Son.

In the Senate Monday the bill to enable cities and towns to manufacture gas and electricity for municipal purposes was taken from the table and rejected.

W. F. Lofgren is making extensive alterations to the building of Mrs. Owen Jones on Granite street which is shortly to be opened as a stationery and gentlemen's furnishing store.

The drama by local talent always takes well in Quincy, and "Innisfail, a wanderer's dream" which was so successful recently at Atlantic, will be repeated at Quincy Music hall next Monday evening under the auspices of the Tubular Rivet and Stud Athletic Association.

The Quincy & Boston street railway opened up its Houghs Neck line Sunday and run hourly trips during the day. The travel was not heavy and was confined largely to those who desired to go down and look over their cottages preparatory to opening them up for the season.

Among the appointments announced at the New England Methodist Conference at Worcester Monday were the following of interest to Quincy: H. C. Wright to the Atlantic church; C. W. Wilder to the West Quincy church, J. E. Whitehouse to the Wollaston church and Hilmar Larson to St. Paul's Swedish church, Quincy.

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Position of Democrats as to Appointment of Registrar.

The following open letter is self-explanatory:

To Citizens of Quincy:

It seems only fair at this time that the citizens of Quincy should be enlightened as to the position which the Democratic city committee has taken in regard to the appointment of registrar, which is now pending before the City Council. The attempt seems to have been made to place the committee in a false light by representing that they had been dictating to the Mayor.

They wish it to be understood that there was no attempt at dictating.

They simply recommended the name of a qualified Democrat for the office, namely, Mr. Harrison A. Keith, formerly city clerk, a man whose qualifications and integrity cannot be questioned.

The Democratic city committee is better qualified to speak of the Democracy of a candidate than a Republican Mayor.

The committee takes the ground that this important office, which is, above all, judicial in its character, should not be included among the other municipal offices that are distributed for political services rendered.

The Democratic party has made no objection to the party appointments of the Mayor. It did not raise its voice when good and tried men were set aside for purely political reasons.

It has made no objection to the fact that there is not a Democrat on the board of assessors, a state of affairs which now occurs for the first time.

But in an office where, according to law, the Democratic party should have an equal representation, the committee can justly claim the right to express its opinion in regard to the Democracy of any one put forward to represent the Democratic party.

The justice of the law providing for equal representation cannot be denied. The law was framed by a Republican legislature to avoid corruption and all the appearance of corruption and it is eminently important that the members of the board should have the complete confidence of their respective parties as well as the community at large.

The Republican members of the Council should see the fairness of the stand the committee has taken.

It does not dictate to the Mayor as to who the man should be. It only asks in all fairness that he be a Democrat in good standing with his party.

Edward J. McKeon the man recommended by Mayor Sears, is not in good standing with his party. He resigned from the Democratic city committee last year and left his party to come out openly in opposition to it. He publicly announced himself as an independent voter and as such cannot now represent the Democratic voters of this city.

The Council should also bear in mind that the registrars also register voters for the city election as well as the state election. The chairman and secretary of the Democratic city committee after some correspondence with Mayor Sears, waited upon his honor on learning that it was probably his intention to appoint Mr. McKeon, and strongly objected to such action.

The Mayor took the ground that even if Mr. McKeon did vote the Republican ticket in the city election he considered him a Democrat on national questions, and that the appointment would comply with the law.

Another excuse which the mayor offers is that ex-Mayor Hodges appointed Howard Rogers an election officer to represent the Republicans of Ward 1. The fact is that Mr. Hodges made the appointment without any opposition from the Republicans. When, however, as it did happen last year, that the chairman and secretary of the Republican city committee waited upon Mayor Adams and objected to the reappointment of Mr. Rogers on the ground that he did not represent the Republican party, Mayor Adams requested them to suggest a name, and appointed the man they recommended. Does Mayor Sears want to be regarded as less fair in his interpretation of the law than Mayor Adams?

In our position we are simply following the precedent set by the Republican city committee.

M. T. SULLIVAN,
Chairman of the Democratic City Committee of Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Marden and James Bennett were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Patrick Bird was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Walter Greenough, Warren Buckhampton and Fred Stanford were arraigned for riding bicycles on the sidewalk at Quincy Point. The court fined them $2 each, the fact that the streets were in a bad condition being taken into consideration.

Patrick Donoland was fined $6 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Francis H. Maguire was arraigned for illegal seining of smelts at Weymouth and was fined $50.

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There was absolutely no demonstration either in approval or disapproval from the crowded galleries of the house throughout or at the conclusion of the reading of the message, but there was a sharp burst of applause from the Republican side when toward the close the president said the war in Cuba must cease. At the conclusion about half the Republicans applauded and several of the Democrats groaned.

Under a Call For Men.

Washington, April 12.—In anticipation of the possibility of a call on the national guard of the states and territories to assist in the national defense in the case of war with Spain, Adjutant General Corbin has compiled a mass of interesting information in connection with the strength of the national guard and the quota each state and territory would be expected to furnish under calls from 50,000 to 200,000 men. The following is the official apportionment of the New England states on a basis of a call for 50,000 men, the proportions being maintained according to the same ratio in the case of calls for 100,000, 150,000 and 200,000 men:

Connecticut—Strength of national guard, 3800; on basis of national guard, 1220; on basis of population, 643.

Maine—Strength of national guard, 2400; on basis of national guard, 656; on basis of population, 502.

Massachusetts—Strength of national guard, 8500; basis of guard, 2290; basis of population, 1889.

New Hampshire—Strength of guard, 2600; basis of guard, 703; basis of population, 301.

Rhode Island—Strength of guard, 1900; basis of guard, 452; basis of population, 284.

Vermont—Strength of guard, 1300; basis of guard, 344; basis of population, 253.

It is stated that in case a call for troops becomes necessary it will be based upon the population of the different states and with very few exceptions the national guard of the various states and territories is equal to a demand for 200,000 men.

Bernabe Lets Loose.

Washington, April 12.—The Spanish minister has written a letter to Henry E. Burton of Middletown, Conn., which, although personal in character, presents the Spanish situation from his standpoint. It was in response to a letter from Mr. Burton commending the recent interview of the minister asking for fair play. Mr. Bernabe says: "The newspapers have, with very few exceptions, refused to publish anything on our side of the question, or have done so in such a way that it has not attracted the public notice. People have made up their minds already on the Cuban question, and anything that is contrary to their belief is supposed to be a Spanish lie.

"It is also next to impossible to make most Americans understand that if the insurrection of Cuba exists the United States have a great deal to do with it, and the present situation here, certainly not created by Spain, instead of helping to end the sad state of affairs in Cuba only favors a rebellion that has no means of assuring success and has detained the very strong movement for autonomy amongst the insurgents that are not adventurers or soldiers of fortune. There is a talk of war all the time, and while the probability of a conflict hangs on, that strong movement of course is held back waiting events. I regret to say it seems to me too late to change now American public opinion, misled to such an extent in the Cuban question that it has actually arrived at the verge of insanity."

Damaging Admission.

Madrid, April 12.—The Herald publishes an interview with Admiral Beranger, former minister of marine, in the course of which he expressed his confidence in the ability of the Spanish navy to win in the event of a war with the United States.

"There is no fear," said Admiral Beranger, "of our Cuban ports being exposed to a night attack, inasmuch as Havana, Cienfuegos, Nuevitas and Santiago de Cuba are defended by electric and automatic torpedoes, with a large radius of action. The late Canovas del Castillo, who paid attention to these matters, decided, in accord with myself, to send to Cuba 190 torpedoes, which must have been placed in that harbor. Chacon, the well-known torpedo expert, undertook to construct and place these engines.

"I have already said that by sea we shall be victorious. I will give you my reasons. The first is, the excellent discipline maintained on our warships; the second is that on board the American vessels, as soon as firing is opened, a panic will set in, since it is common knowledge that their crews comprise men of every nationality. Pitted ship against ship then, we have nothing to fear."

The Impartial, commenting on this interview, says: "That those torpedoes should be sent in case war should break out is very natural; but that as much should be admitted at this moment constitutes a two-fold imprudence, in the first place because it warns the enemy and, the enemy being warned, it will do its best to cripple those defenses; and, secondly, because the jingoes, availing themselves of the evidence afforded by the minister of marine of the late Mr. Canovas, will assert that one of the torpedoes he describes caused the Maine explosion."

Created Great Excitement.

Madrid, April 12.—While many persons for several days past suspected that something was brewing, the cabinet's decision Saturday to grant an armistice was a complete surprise to most people and created great excitement. The general public asked: "What security is there of the insurgents accepting an armistice? Won't America wish to compel the insurgents to submit by armed intervention? If the Yankees were once in Cuba, who will turn them out?" The general comment appears to be one of disappointment, it being alleged that the United States is getting everything she asked. The Spanish officials are throwing oil on the troubled waters by representing that the government has simply made submission to the will of the pope, which carries tremendous weight with the people in this country. Besides, many families who are fast losing relatives and friends owing to the prolongation of the war hail the prospect of peace with delight.

Some of the diplomats here express the opinion that the United States is now in a better position than she would have been had Spain accepted the terms outlined in General Woodford's note presented at the last conference, which, it is said, only asked for the immediate cessation of hostilities and permission to relieve the reconcentrados. Both of these requests, it is pointed out in some quarters, have now been accepted and, it is added, General Woodford has a free hand. It is further alleged that his efforts will continue until one of three things happens, the establishment of an autonomist government satisfactory to the insurgents, the recognition of the independence of Cuba by Spain, or the practical annexation of Cuba to the United States.

Stoned the Flag.

Kingston, Jam., April 12.—A few nights before Pulaski Hyatt, the United States consul at Santiago de Cuba, left that port under instructions for Port Antonio, Jam., a mob of Spaniards made a demonstration before the consulate and threw stones, tomatoes and eggs at the stars and stripes floating over the consulate. The Spaniards surrounded the consulate, shouting, "Death to Americans," "Long live Spain," and in so doing pelted the flag as already described. The mob was eventually dispersed by the police.

OVER 4,400 NOW.

School Attendance Yesterday in the City by Buildings.

The attendance at the public schools of the city Monday was 4471, including 209 new pupils distributed as follows: 14 at Adams, 14 at Coddington, 22 at Gridley Bryant, 33 at John Hancock, 27 at Lincoln, 11 at Massachusetts Fields, 7 at Quincy, 19 at Washington, 45 at Willard, 16 at Wollaston and 1 at the High.

The Willard now has over 800 pupils, the Coddington, John Hancock and Adams over 400, and the Massachusetts Field school is the only building with less than 300. The number per grade and per room in each building is shown by the summary which follows:

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John Hancock,	65 61	61	59	47	40	38	33	30	434
Lincoln,	27 49	47 62	48	45	47	34	24	14	397
Mass. Fields,	54	46	34	43	27	30	24	18	276
Quincy,	92	50	46	39	41	47	36	26	377
Washington,	72	44	37	31	33	27	29	28	301
Willard,	46 59 60	43 43 43 46	42 44 87	48	44	39	38	39	819
Wollaston,	96	44	34	30	34	36	33	29	306
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New Pupils.

Washington—Joseph Lincoln, Irving Hayden, Ella Mitchell, William Dorley, Harold Winslow, Roy Dorley, Lewis French, Annie O'Neill, Ellen Starr, Josephine Keirnan, Russell Oliver, Joseph McGovern, Maggie Veno, Helen Sturgis, William Keenan, Joseph Pinel, William Cranshaw, Robert Cranshaw, James Callahan.

Gridley Bryant,—Eula Keast, Julius Fuller, Enoch Fuller, Helen Murphy, Wallace Hunter, Robert Crowley, Dorothy Barry, Esther Cannavan, John Connelly, Margaret Henry, Kate Hagerty, Winnie Flaherty, George Nimeskern, Elizabeth Donovan, Teresa Murphy, Katherine Ferriter, Katherine Manning, Marion Taylor, John Sheahan.

Lincoln,—Ethel Rendle, Willie Crammond, Ernor Lundin, Bella Rennie, Thomas Veal, Marion Phillips, Gertrude Johnson, John McLean, Eric Anderson, Elsie Carlson, Charles Bishop, Russell Kenn, Leo Brault, John Warner, Felice Martini, Eva Scarborough, Ethel McDonald, Daniel McVay, Minnie Giles, Helen Cumming, Antoine Cappeteri, Lillie Collins, Fred Thayer, Celina Lorando, Jalma Johnson, Mary Besanko, Henry Bizzozero.

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CONSIDER WAR INEVITABLE.

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The Likely Effect of the Two Resolutions.

Spain's Surrender of Cuba a Guarantee of Peace.

Discovery of a Little Piece of Chicanery by the Spanish In Translating the Decree Establishing the Supposed Armistice—Truce For a Few Days Only Ordered—How Money Is to Be Raised to Meet the Necessities of the Government In the Event of War—Mr. Lee on the Maine Tragedy.

Washington, April 13.—There is a general feeling among public men that the action of congress as foreshadowed in the resolutions render the situation extremely critical. Conservative leaders of both parties consider war inevitable as a result of their adoption unless Spain makes a final and complete surrender by giving up Cuba.

The situation is regarded as so critical that the Republicans of the ways and means committee, as a result of private conferences, have reached an agreement as to a method of raising $100,000,000 additional revenue annually for the prosecution of the war by increasing the tax on beer and tobacco and placing a tax on tea and coffee. They also agreed to authorize the issue of a popular loan of $500,000,000 and the issue of certificates of indebtedness to meet emergencies.

The president is authorized, directed and empowered to intervene at once to restore peace on the island of Cuba and secure to the people thereof a firm, stable and independent government of their own, and is authorized to use the army and naval forces of the United States to secure the end. This substantially is the resolution agreed upon by the Republican members of the foreign affairs committee of the house. Before finally deciding upon the wording of the resolution, the committee carefully considered several other forms. Information was conveyed to the committee, however, that a strong resolution was demanded, and several members made the contest for the resolution that was finally agreed upon.

The only way Spain can avoid fighting is by running away. If she keeps her armed forces in Cuba the president will have to obey the mandate of congress and drive them out. The course of the president after the passage of the resolutions by congress has been considered and partly outlined. He will cable the resolutions to the Madrid government, and he will probably accompany them with a short note, which will have all the force and effect of an ultimatum. Spain may be given a brief period measured in hours in which to obey the order of ejectment. Failing to comply, force will be employed, and the fleets will move with Havana as their objective point.

President McKinley has undoubtedly been hopeful that, in view of the pressure of the great powers upon Spain, a few days of delay now might mean a peaceable settlement, and as his unvarying purpose has been to avert war and maintain peace, if it could be done without prolonging the present conditions in Cuba indefinitely, he has gladly listened to the assurances on this line. It must be said, however, that his confidence was shaken when he got a translation of the complete report in Spanish of the new proposition handed Judge Day by the Spanish minister on Sunday, and found that it did not bear out the summary in English which the minister furnished at the same time, and which the president; in the cabinet meeting of Sunday night, determined to bring to the attention of congress in the addendum which he tacked on to his message, and the copy of the official proclamation of Captain General Blanco, which he received Tuesday, gave him an even more unfavorable impression of the concessions toword the peaceful settlement proposed by Spain.

The fact that what was termed, in the English summary submitted by Mr. Bernabe, an "armistice," turns out in these official declarations to be only a "suspension of hostilities," puts a different face upon the matter, and robs it of much of its hopeful significance. President McKinley got word from an apparently authoritative source that the Cuban insurgents would not make any suspension of hostilities corresponding to that proposed by the Spanish, although they might have considered an armistice of a genuine and mutual character, and that they had no more confidence in the good faith of the Spanish government in this new move than the majority of congress has.

The Spanish Unmasked.

Madrid, via Biarritz, April 13.—The so-called armistice, which the government carefully concealed Monday until after the time for sending dispatches to the frontier had passed, is simply an additional insult to the United States and a deliberate attempt to give the European powers a standing in American affairs, in defiance of the Monroe doctrine.

General Correa, minister of war, has made a formal declaration in the name of the government that Spain has not authorized an armistice at all, but has simply instructed Captain General Blanco to suspend hostilities long enough to let the insurgents surrender, and that if they do not lay down their arms and accept autonomy fighting will be at once resumed.

Lee on the Maine Wreck.

Washington, April 13.—Consul General Lee told the members of the senate committee on foreign affairs that he had no doubt that the destruction of the Maine was brought about by a Spanish agency. "I think some of the officials were cognizant of the plans to destroy the vessel," he said, "but I do not believe that the captain general was." General Lee had no konwledge of a report that a mine had been discovered by a diver under the Montgomery while that vessel lay in the harbor at Havana.

CUBA AT THE CAPITOL.

Mr. Mason Declares Anew His Desire to Stamp Out Spanish Tyranny.

Washington, April 13.—Senators Pettus, Mason and Butler delivered speeches Monday on the Cuban question, on which three resolutions were presented. "As before announced to you in language which could not be misunderstood, I am for war and have been since the hour our flag was lowered in Havana harbor and the lives of our citizens taken by the government of Spain," said Mr. Mason. "I have no desire to destroy the Spanish nation, but her flag must be dishonored by surrendering her sovereignty over Cuban territory as an atonement for lowering our flag, sinking our ship, and murdering our men. While I am for war, I stand ready in this hour to uphold the hands of the executive and take the best I can get. I have been indulging in a hope that the executive would recommend intervention and independence to the Cuban republic. Intervention by force of arms, as recommended by the president, is war. To declare for intervention without declaring directly or openly for war seems to lack frankness and savors too much of Spanish diplomacy. If we can have armed intervention without recognizing the independence of Cuba and can have nothing else, I must accept the will of the majority, reserving to myself the right to respectfully protest and also reserving the right to fight for the independence of the brave men, women and children in the island of Cuba."

In the present circumstances we would, in the opinion of Mr. Butler, be justified in driving every Spanish vessel from the seas and laying waste every Spanish city and town of Spain, and this was because of the destruction of the Maine—one of the foulest crimes in history. He maintained that the United States had even more exalted reasons for the establishment of Cuban independence—the reasons of humanity and liberty. "I am for avenging the Maine, however," declared Mr. Butler, "and would be if Cuba did not enter into the matter. I would secure atonement from Spain for the destruction of the Maine and so many of her gallant crew, not by conquest, not by indemnity, for we cannot make a merchandise out of the bones of our dead, but let us say to Spain that we will establish a Cuban republic as a monument to our dead of the Maine. If Spain will not accede to this, let us make good the proposition with our army and navy."

General Grosvenor of Ohio, now generally regarded as the spokesman of the president on the floor of the house, in reply to an attack upon the policy of the administration yesterday, interpreted the recommendations in the president's message to mean a request for authority to use the army and navy to establish in Cuba a government independent of Spain. It was regarded as an exceedingly important and significant announcement.

Mr. Lentz of Ohio, who drew the fire of General Grosvenor last Thursday, attacked what he termed the "vicillating" policy of the president, the "midnight conference" at the White House with Senator Elkins and John J. McCook, and asserted that the president's recommendations really meant that the United States should coerce the Cuban insurgents into an acceptance of Spain's scheme of autonomy.

Mr. Hepburn jumped to his feet as Mr. Lentz sat down. "Mr. Chairman," he said, "sometimes misstatement is so gross that it becomes mendacity, and mendacity so foul that it becomes scoundrelism. The president has never said that he desires the use of the army and navy at the hands of congress in order to establish Spain's supremacy on the island of Cuba. The president's whole argument leads up to the proposition that the conduct of Spain on that island, 50 years of misrule, 50 years of outrage, 50 years of tyranny, has brought about such a condition that it is now intolerable and insupportable, and mus cease. The president asks the use of the army and navy to put an end to that intolerable and insufferable condition. Every sentence in the message teaches us that this is his purpose, and yet gentlemen say, in view of the recital of the infamous and despotic conduct that he has called to our attention, that it is the purpose of the president to become the ally of the Spaniards. There is no word in that whole message that justifies any honorable man in making a declaration of that kind. We are going there to fight Spain. We are going there, if we go, to establish a stable and a permanent government. What does that mean? Here we have had 50 years of Spanish government not stable, not permanent except in the villainy of its outrages. That character of outrage and villainy has become insufferable, the president says, creating such an emergency as compels us to go to the extreme of war in bringing an end to these insufferable conditions produced through the acts of Spain."

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio took the floor. "I am going to refer now to only one thing that the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. Lentz) has said on this occasion," said he. "The time is coming when gentlemen will have a full opportunity to assail the president, to send their bitterness and their opposition across the water to our enemies. The gentlemen shall have a full opportunity to abuse his own constituents at home for any conservative expressions which they may have made through the telegraph or the mail. I wish simply to say that the president has asked of congress the power to use the army and the navy for the purpose of establishing in Cuba an independent government——

Mr. Lentz—Why didn't he say so?

Mr. Grosvenor—Will my friend from Ohio try for a minute to keep his mouth shut?

Mr. Cannon—Oh, that is impossible.

Mr. Handy—I want to know what you understand the president to mean by this sentence in his message: "It involves, however, hostile constraint upon both the parties to the contest, as well to enforce a truce as to guide the eventual settlement."

Mr. Grosvenor—You had better go and ask the president.

Mr. Gaines—Don't you think you had better go and see Hanna?

Mr. Grosvenor—There comes in another exhibition. I state that the president has asked for the use of the army and navy to establish on the island of Cuba an independent government and has said so in the plainest kind of English. (Cries of "Where?" on the Democratic side). You will find this language used by the president, and I will leave it to the most acute analytical mind on the other side to say if that is not a proposition to establish on the island of Cuba a government independent of Spain; "in view of these facts and of these considerations I ask congress to authorize and empower the president to take measures to secure a full and final termination of hostilities between the government of Spain and the people of Cuba, and to secure in the island the establishment of a stable government, capable of maintaining order and observing its international obligations." Now I ask any gentleman on the other side to tell me how a government on an island of any country controlled by a foreign country, like Cuba is now, can have a government capable of discharging its international obligations. Do colonies have international obligations? The president understands that there could be a colonial condition in Cuba by which there would be international obligations from that government. What international act does Canada do? What international act has any of the West India islands ever done? What representative of this government goes to Jamaica, Porto Rico or any islands except those independent? The very language of the president as understood by every intelligent man is that the object and purpose of using force is to establish a government with international obligations and with the power to discharge those international obligations. So the whole appeal of the gentleman from Ohio is like the picture of a painted ship upon a painted ocean.

Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, replied to General Grosvenor in a brief speech which aroused intense enthusiasm on the Democratic side. It was somewhat remarkable, he said, that the president in sending to congress one of the most important messages upon one of the most important questions which had been before the country in years had concluded with a recommendation ambiguous that it could be the occasion of controversy. Other portions of the message showed that the president was a master of clear and lucid English, yet in presenting his recommendations he had done so in words that taxed the ingenuity of the gentleman from Ohio to make clear what he meant. If the president meant the freedom and independence of Cuba, why had he not said so?. "I do not believe," said Mr. Bailey, "that the president deliberately veiled his meaning, and in saying that I do him more credit than others on this floor. I believe if the president had designed the establishment of a free and independent republic on the island of Cuba he would have said so. Mark my words," said Mr. Bailey in conclusion, with uplifted arm and ominous gesture, "no president that sends the army and navy of the United States to force the patriot soldier Cubans to lay down their arms will live, nor will his children live, to survive the odium which the American people will fix upon him."

House Republicans Agree.

Washington, April 13.—By a practically unanimous vote the Cuban conference of Republican representatives decided last night to work in harmony with the house foreign affairs committee on representations of the latter's resolution to be incorporated in a report to the house. This is the most significant step yet taken by the body of about three score, aggressive Republicans whose course has been towards radical action. They were in session for an hour after the adjournment of the house, and, after vigorous speeches and the consideration of a report on how the foreign affairs committee stood, they decided that they would be satisfied with the report.

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Thursday	—	49	66
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New Advertisements Today.

Boston Bargain Store.
Dancing party.

Good Afternoon.

The time is ripe for the widening of Hancock street, between School street and Adams street, and the city cannot afford to longer delay the improvement. The street is not uniform in width and there are several congested points. The two petitions in circulation which would take a slice from the Priesler estate, and again on the westerly side between School street and Music hall, are all right as far as they go but the street must be widened in the near future and there should be no job work. There is great public need of widening from Cottage avenue to Chestnut street and from Saville street to Adams street. Hancock street has made great advancement as a business street in recent years, and several more large blocks will probably be erected in the near future. The appearance of Quincy would be greatly enhanced if the street was widened and straightened. When this is done wide sidewalks should be built and the street paved. Now is the time.

Bank Officers.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Savings Bank was held Tuesday evening and the following officers elected:

President,—Rupert F. Claflin.
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Thomas Parker, a young man about 18 years of age, met with a serious accident shortly before noon today, at the manufactory of the Old Colony Boot & Shoe Co. on Union street, where he is employed.

His particular part of the work was to run what is known as a moulding machine which is set in motion at the will of the operator by a small lever on the bottom of the machine. Just how the accident happened is not known, but it is supposed that he stooped to pick something from the floor and in some way touched the lever setting the machine in motion. When the machine started it caught Parker's head in the machine and before it could be stopped it was crushed in a horrible manner.

Physicians were telephoned for, but it was some time before one could be found. As a last resort the City Hospital was called, and Dr. Sheahan who happened to be there hastily responded. When he arrived he ordered the unfortunate young man removed to the Hospital.

When examined there it was found that his head was crushed in a horrible manner, and although alive at 2 o'clock the physician in charge said he could not recover.

The particular machine at which Parker was at work was used in corrugating or moulding bicycle shoes, and the lever which operates it is very sensitive, so that the slightest touch sets it in motion. When the machine starts the parts come together leaving but a small space between them, and it was here that the young man's head was caught and crushed.

The young man is in his eighteenth year, and the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Parker of Canal street. He had been employed in the shoe shops since leaving school. Being the oldest of a large family, he was called upon to do his share toward the maintenance of the family, and is known in the neighborhood as an industrious and dutiful boy.

Ladies' Night.

John Adams Council, Royal Arcanum, enjoyed a delightfully social occasion on Monday evening. It was ladies' night with the council, and the goodly number of members present, together, with ladies and friends, made the evening one long to be remembered.

Miss Hastings sang several selections which well maintained the high standard she has already achieved in the musical world. Miss Adelaide Barrett of the Emerson college, captivated the audience by her rendering of "A Sisterly Scheme" by Bunner, and "Trying the Rose Act" by Josiah Allen's Wife. We predict a bright future for Miss Barrett in her chosen field, and shall be anxious to again hear her in our city.

Past Grand Regent and present Supreme Chaplain, Henry Goodwin of Boston, gave a very stirring address on the work of the order, after which refreshments were served, and a social hour was enjoyed by all.

A Stone Dock.

It was reported at the meeting of the Boston Associated Trades this week by Secretary Sayward that six quarry owners had signed an agreement to build a stone dock for Boston for the same appropriation which it is proposed in Congress to set apart for the wooden one. Timber construction is expressly directed in the bill before Congress. Mr. Sayward added that the quarry owners agree, in the event of war, to build the dock for less than a timber dock would cost. Alex. S. Porter said that Senator Chandler of New Hampshire held the situation in the palm of his hand, and he added that if Senator Chandler were approached in the right way the suggestion for a stone dock could be carried out. Alden Speare stated that, from what he had learned, it would be impossible for Boston to get a dock unless Portsmouth also got one.

Grand I. O. O. F. Parade.

The Sovereign Grand lodge of Odd Fellows will meet in Boston the latter part of September and will include a grand parade of Odd Fellows on September 21. The procession will be divided into four divisions, the Patriarchs Militant, the encampment members, the lodge members and the Grand Representatives.

New Pupils.

Wollaston,—Howard Berry, Catharine Hurly, James Meany, Arthur Sanderson, Louise Nash, May Elizabeth Dinneen, Mabel Louise Anderson, Lillian Jane Adams, Gladys Lillian Shurtleff, Dorothy Flahive, William Flahive, Clara Cox, Juanita May Metherell, Anthony Ross Cain, Ernest Burns, Lawrence James McGrath.

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HOUSE WARMING.

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This gathering was to afford the citizens an opportunity to view the house and become better acquainted with the members of the company. The citizens turned out in good numbers and besides local callers there were present Mayor Sears, Chief Engineer Packard, Assistant Engineers Ripley and Newcomb, Capt. Burrell of Hose 4, and Capt. Merritt of Hook & Ladder 1, Councilman Hill, ex-Councilmen Barker and McKeon.

After an inspection of the building an adjournment was made to the hall on the second floor where refreshments were served and cigars issued.

Assistant Engineer Nyham, acting as toastmaster, called the assembly to order and after a few brief remarks of welcome called upon Mayor Sears.

His Honor said it was an unexpected pleasure to be called upon and he could congratulate the citizens of Ward Six upon such a fine looking house and such a fine looking set of men. Quite a change has been made in the appearance of the building since his last visit. He had confidence in the fire department of the city and believed it was never any better than today, and if called upon would show its ability. He hoped every citizen would do all they could to have harmony in the company which he felt sure was as good as it looked.

Councilman Hill said he took pride in the company and felt sure that the company would keep the house looking as well as it did now.

Ex-Councilman Barker was pleased to meet and shake hands with the citizens of the ward, many of whom he had not met before. He took an interest in the ward and the fire department whom he congratulated on their building.

Ex-Councilman McKeon thought the citizens had heard enough of him of late through he Ledger. He had always believed the fire department should be to protect property and not for political purposes. If the citizens could say no more against him than that he voted for the present executive he was willing to stand upon that ground.

Assistant Engineers Ripley and Newcomb, and Capt. Burrell of Hose 4, also made brief remarks. The balance of the evening was given up to social intercourse.

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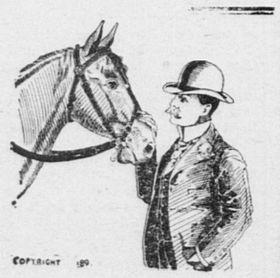
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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The joint Committee on Finance and Legislative Matters of the City Council met at City Hall Monday evening.

The clerks at City Hall are very fond of music. Two days in the week the hurdy gurdy men wheel their organ in front of the police station and commence to turn the crank. The window is raised and the sweet strains of Chopin, Mendelssohn and "Maggie Murphy's home" are irresistibly wafted through all the tax bills. The grinder plays for most half an hour and as he receives his pennies, lifts his cap and says "Bono Juno." He goes away and comes back some other day.

Commissioner Knowlton is making some necessary repairs to the office at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The city officials were largely represented at the Knights of Columbus ball.

The Committee on Finance has called a meeting for Thursday evening.

A meeting of the joint Committee on Streets and Public Buildings will be held Saturday evening.

The Board of Health held a meeting Tuesday evening at which a number of charges were preferred against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley. No action was taken other than to lay them on the table for a week, as it was understood that other charges were also to be made. When these are all in the board will appoint a day for a hearing. It is also understood that the persons filing the charges have engaged counsel to present their cases, also that Mr. Keniley has secured counsel, while the interests of the board will be looked after by City Solicitor McAnarney.

Chief of Police Litchfield and City Messenger Tirrell went on a quiet junket Tuesday night, which included a dinner at one of the Boston hotels and then the theatre. City Clerk Cleaves and Chairman Gay of the Board of Health were to join the party but backed out at the last minute.

The pleasant manner in which Mayor Sears is received and the courtesies shown him wherever he appears, make his social duties as chief executive a source of pleasure.

It is said the City Council committee, to whom was referred the order to petition the Legislature for the refunding of the city debt will report adversely.

Adams Descendants.

Among the books lately added to our Public Library is one, the gift of Hon. Charles Francis Adams, chairman of its Board of Trustees for many years. The work—"A Genealogical History of Henry Adams of Braintree, Mass., and his Decendants," extending from 1632 down to the present, is a large octavo volume of 1238 pages. While too large and valuable for general circulation, it may be freely consulted at the library and should be of great interest to very many of our citizens who may therein trace their line of descent from that early settler in this part of the Massachusetts Bay. The following indexes are very full, showing the comprehensive nature of the work:—

1—Names of male descendants of Henry Adams, with name of father.

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3—Names of persons related by marriage to descendants of Henry Adams.

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Prize speaking on Friday evening.

Miss Rena Brodte of New York is the guest of Mrs. E. Rigby of Montclair.

Mr. William A. Hodges has sold his baker shop to William L. Chase of Taunton.

A dancing party for young people opens at Faxon hall next Tuesday afternoon.

It is said that Bay View lodge is not alone in its protest against a lecture by Ingersoll.

The Tubular Rivet & Stud A. A. will hold a social at Atlantic Saturday evening, April 50.

The grocery clerks of Atlantic will hold a social dance in Music hall one evening next week.

"Standing Room Only" may be displayed early this evening at the historical pageant at Music hall.

The measles are starting on their journey among the children of Atlantic once again. Several cases are reported.

Mr. George Ames is to open a first class hardware store in connection with his plumbing business in the Adams building.

Milk Inspector Hallowell reminds peddlers and sellers of milk that the season has arrived to obtain new licenses.

There is plenty of room in the electric cars which are running to Hough Neck, as but few people are travelling that way now.

Representatives Thompson and Newcomb were not together Tuesday on the vote to reconsider the action on the telephone bill. The former voted yea and the latter nay, and the bill stands rejected.

The international ballet in costume by fifty children will be one of the pretty features tonight at Music hall. Uncle Sam, Columbia, Goddess of Liberty, Cuba and Spain also receive due attention and Company K are to give a drill.

There is a large attendance at the commencement of this spring term at the Washington school, Quincy Point. There are more pupils in the lower grades than has been recorded for a long time. In one room alone there are 75 scholars.

A bill was reported in the Legislature Tuesday providing that towns and cities outside of the Metropolitan Water District may be supplied with metropolitan water on such terms as the board may decide, and after any private water works have first been acquired by said city or town.

Everyone is waiting impatiently for the pageant this evening to see the impersonations of king and queen by Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson, of the stately Columbus by Mr. Henry M. Faxon, the dignified Chancellor by Mr. Charles A. Howland and the array of court ladies and nobles by well known young people.

The candidates at the High school prize speaking on Friday evening will be: Miss E. Gertrude Ward, '98; Miss Edith M. Greenerd, '99; Miss Bertha Austin Hayden, '99; Miss Julia J. Ford, '98; Miss Lucy D. Luard, 1901; Miss Christina P. Mitchell, '99; Miss Ethel E. Douglas, 1901; Miss Norma Cutter Lowe '99; Mr. Carle R. Hayward, 1900; Mr. Elijah Swift, '99; Miss Bertha M. Miles, 1901; and Miss Fannie C. Beckwith, '98. The programme will include vocal and instrumental music under the direction of Mrs. Smith.

—The will of Daniel W. Parker of Westwood makes several public bequests to Westwood and Dedham institutions.

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On sale at BOX OFFICE at MUSIC HALL after seven o'clock.

There still remain a few good seats. Buy at once if you do not want to stand up.

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Prompt attention given to the sale and repairing of bicycles. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices the lowest.

March 30—ws 8t apr9-4w P

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
IN INSOLVENCY.

MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

NORFOLK, ss. DEDHAM, April 4, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Warrant in Insolvency has this day issued from the Court of Insolvency, from said county of Norfolk, against the estate of

LORA C. MERRILL,

of Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, Insolvent Debtor. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Insolvent Debtor to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the Creditors of said Insolvent Debtor to prove their debts, and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of insolvency, to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of April, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

GEORGE H. FIELD,
Deputy Sheriff,
Messenger.

April 6. 2t—6-13

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Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

If you have any trouble with your eyes, go to

WILLIAMS,

Refracting Optician,

QUINCY.

HANCOCK ST.

Eddy Refrigerators

— AND —

Meadow Brook Ice

KEEP MILK COOL AND SWEET.

FRANK F. CRANE, Agent,

4 Chestnut Street.

Quincy, March 23. 1m

Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.

H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.

April 12. 12t

Thomas Crane Public Library.

CITY OF QUINCY.

New Catalogues for a Dime.

A new Catalogue of all prose fiction in the Library on Jan. 1, 1898, has just been issued by the Trustees. It is a book of 136 pages, with books indexed by authors and by titles. There is also an index of short stories, and an annotated list of historical fiction arranged alphabetically, and under the larger countries, chronologically. French fiction takes two full pages.

The Catalogues will be sold at 10 and 20 cents, according to the binding, and may be obtained of the Librarian.

Per order of the Trustees.

Quincy, April 8, 1898. 6t 9-3w

FRANK F CRANE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass.

Oct. ly



Savings Bank Building Quincy.

Singular Signs.

A man who runs a small store in a small New Hampshire town displays a sign in his window five days in the week which reads: "Closed, open on Mondays and Saturdays."

That man had one trait that we admire---nerve to do business in his own way, no matter what his neighbors do; and as he thinks he can make more money in two days' storekeeping than he can in six, he does it. This idea we strongly recommend to stores who sell goods at cost or less than cost. They won't lose as much in two days as in six. Think of the terrible strain on a storekeeper to be sacrificing six days in the week, and then the terrible slaughter. People would have a chance to clean up the gore and blood and get their abbatoirs into shape once a week at least.

The signs of the past two weeks are that the people of Quincy appreciate the new store and the good it is doing for them. We're making something, and they're saving a good deal. We will not sacrifice; we shall not slaughter. No mark-up or mark-down; but plain, straight forward business all the time, and if that is what you are looking for, you'll find it here.

ALL WORSTED SUITS YOU WILL FIND IN ALL CUTS AND STYLES, MARKED $9.50 NOW, TOMORROW, NEXT WEEK, ANY TIME, TILL THEY ARE ALL SOLD. WE MAKE CUSTOM PANTS FOR $3.25, $3.50, $4.00 AND UPWARDS TO $7.00, AND DEFY ANY TAILORS IN IN THIS SECTION TO EQUAL THE GOODS AND MAKEUP FOR THE MONEY. IF YOU LOOK AT OUR GOODS IT IS A SIGN YOU WILL BUY. MONEY BACK IF YOU WANT IT.

Quincy Clothing Co.,

RELIABLE, ONE-PRICED CLOTHIERS, MUSIC HALL BLOCK.

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Dealers in

Swift's Best Beef,

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NATIVE CHICKENS AND FOWL,

Fruit, Vegetables,

And Everything Carried in Stock by a First-Class Market.

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President's Hill Annex.

Cranch Hill.

Choice Lots and Improved Property for Sale in West Quincy, Wollaston, South Quincy, Quincy Point, Quincy Centre.

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LAST CALL THIS SEASON.

BLANKETS from 39c. to $7.00 per pair.

COMFORTERS from 39c. to $4.00.

Come Early and get the best Bargains.

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NO. 4 ALLEYNE TERRACE.

TO LET for a term of of 3 or 5 years to a private family (not for business); house is in first-class condition, with modern conveniences, pleasantly located, fine neighborhood, opposite High School.

Apply to E. STODDARD, 28 Bromfield St., Boston, between 1 and 2 P. M.
Dec. 22 wtf 25-tf

☞ Furniture Reupholstered. Mattresses made over. Careful, experienced men only. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

B. F. CURTIS,

40 Elm Street, Quincy.

Houses for Rent and for Sale.

Tenement of 7 rooms, No. 10 Elm place, near Universalist church, south side of house, city water. Rent, $12.50 per month.

House, Union street, opposite Whicher's factory, of 8 rooms, with city water. Rent, $10 per month.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter place, with city water. Rent, $8.50 per month.

DESIRABLE

Cottage House and Farm TO LET.

Cottage House, No. 6 Coddington street, one of the most desirable locations in Quincy, with all modern improvements, containing 8 rooms and bath; together with stable, large yard and fruit trees; three minutes' walk from depot.

Slated roof house, 9 rooms, for one or two families, city water with sheds and stable for, horses and cows, hennery and five acres of land suitable for a milk farm. Situated on North St., near electric railroad, fifteen minutes' walk from Quincy Centre station, Old Colony R. R., and within 6 minutes' walk of Quincy Point stores, schools and churches. $20 per month for whole house. Ten acres extra land to let with same if desired.

HENRY H. FAXON.
Quincy, April 7. 12t

YOUR BOY

Can have one of those elegant Ties that you see in the window—

Absolutely FREE . . .

If you buy a Spring Suit for him at the—

Granite Clothing Store,

QUINCY.

☞ No better goods on earth than those at the GRANITE.

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MAGAZINE EXPLODED!

That is what a man said as he handed us his watch the other day.

An Investigation

showed that the Main(es) spring was broken.

DIVERS

were not required. We removed the

Revolving Turret

and mounted a new

100-CENT MAIN-

spring, and warranted it for two years in either

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All ordinary American or Swiss Watches cleaned or main-spring for ONE DOLLAR.

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QUINCY.

HANCOCK ST.

☞ Carpets taken up, thoroughly machine beaten and laid by experienced men. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Mr. Samuel Oxford of River street is confined to the house by sickness.

The Ledger will have an extended report tomorrow of the grand historical pageant at Music hall, this evening. The final rehearsal last evening gave great promise of success.

Miss Elmira C. Mayo, a teacher at the Massachusetts Fields school was unable to resume her duties at the opening of the term. She is seriously ill at the residence of her sister in Somerville.

The members of Woodbine lodge, K. and L. of H., of Wollaston, and their friends held a delightful dancing party at Brasee's hall on Tuesday evening. About thirty couple participated. Lunch was served after the dance.

Petitions are in circulation for the widening of Hancock street at the corner of Granite street, by taking a slice from the Briesler corner; also the widening of Hancock street on the westerly side between School street and the Music hall building.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Sportsman's club, of Wollaston, at the Duck's Nest on Tuesday evening, Steward Williams served one of his appetizing oyster stews. The club is very prosperous and is rapidly increasing its membership list.

Alan Miller, the young son of Mr. L. A. Miller of Bigelow street has learned his way to the Candy Kitchen. He strayed away this morning from home and caused considerable anxiety. It was not until after the police had been notified that he was found at the above place and taken home.

Thayer Academy Ball Games.

The Thayer Academy ball team for 1898 is organized as follows: Tinkham and Wales, catchers; Arnold and Belcher, pitchers; Freeman, first base; Belcher and Chase, second base; Perry, third base; Sweeney, short stop; Nixon, right field; Loud, centre field; and Brigham, left field.

It is a strong team and some good games may be expected. The following schedule is announced:

April 15—Posse Gymnasium of Boston, at Braintree.
April 16—Boston Latin School, at Braintree.
April 19—Rockland High, at Braintree.
April 22—Adams Academy, at Braintree.
April 23—Bridgewater Normal, at Bridgewater.
April 29—Burdett College, at Braintree.
April 30—Concord School, at Concord.
May 6—Adams Academy, at Quincy.
May 13—Adams Academy, at Braintree.
May 14—Concord School, at Braintree.
May 20—Adams Academy, at Quincy.
May 21—M. I. T., 1900, at Braintree.
May 27—Newton High, at Braintree.
May 30—Powder Point School, at Duxbury.
June 3—Adams Academy, at Braintree.
June 4—Taunton High, at Braintree.
June 16—Taunton High, at Taunton.

☞ Glenwood Ranges alone, give universal satisfaction. $18 to $33. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

—The Randolph public library has 13,717 books, an addition of 727 the past year. The number loaned during the year was 22,764.

A GREAT SURPRISE

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Price 25 and 50

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Mrs. Sarah Bagley of East Weymouth, is attending the convention of Good Templars at Boston this week.

The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church of East Weymouth, will hold their first social this evening in the church vestry. An excellent supper and entertainment has been prepared by the Juniors.

The East Weymouth W. C. T. Union will hold an important meeting this afternoon with Miss B. Briggs at her home on Granite street, East Weymouth.

The Ladies' Social Union of the Congregational church, East Weymouth, will hold a "Dollar party" in the church vestry this evening. Some amusing incidents will be recited when the ladies tell how they earned their dollar. Supper will be served at 6.30.

The Steadfast Rebekah lodge, D. R., will hold their anniversary in the lodge rooms this evening at Odd Fellows Opera house, East Weymouth.

There will be a rehearsal of Kokakola tonight at Hunt's hall, East Weymouth.

The New England Southern Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, will begin its session at Attleboro, today.

The Daily Ledger is for sale at the Old Colony depot in Boston after 3.30 each afternoon.

Weymouth probate business will be found in the report of probate court in this issue.

Andrew Coleman is confined to the house by pneumonia.

Samuel Cushing will spend the next three months at the house of correction, for the larcency of fowl.

Mrs. O. M. Willoly of Nashua, New Hampshire, is visiting her son, H. W. Willoly of this place.

The Y. P. S. C.E. of the Union Congregational society held a costume party at Pythian hall, Monday evening. All present were supposed to represent a book. The affair was very successful. Ice cream and cake were for sale. The proceeds will go toward furnishing the new church.

Miss Kate Cushing is suffering from a shock received Saturday.

A Popular Novel.

"Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," Dr. S. Weir Michell's novel of the American Revolution, has been the great success of American literature during the past year. Although published but a few months by the Century Co. has already gone through eight editions, and is now in its fiftieth thousand. The leading critics of America and England have declared with practical unanimity that it is the most important novel of the American Revolution thus far written, as well as one of the few really great historical novels. The Cincinatti Commercial Tribune says: "It may be classed with



the greatest novels of any country, or any literature." The Birmingham, Eng., Post, no less enthusiastic, says: "Beyond all question this is one of the finest romances founded on a grand national theme that it has been our privilege to notice for many years." Dr. Mitchell has been engaged for several years upon this work, and he has made a close study of the period. He also visited all the scenes mentioned in the book, in order to get the correct local coloring. The story deals with social life in Philadelphia during and before the Revolution, and with the exciting scenes of the Revolutionary War itself, the time covering a period from 1753 to 1783. Among the characters in the story are Washington, Franklin, Lafayette Benedict Arnold and Major Andre. The hero, Hugh Wynne, is the son of a Philadelphia Quaker, descended from good English stock, and his mother—a most exquisite character—is French. Hugh chafes under the restraints of the Society of Friends, and is finally read out of meeting. He becomes a soldier, serving at one time on the staff of Benedict Arnold when the latter was in command of the American forces in Philadelphia. He is captured at the battle of Germantown and suffers for months in a British prison. Later, while on the staff of General Washington, he takes part in the battle of Yorktown, and witnesses the surrender of Cornwallis. The story is told in the first person. A strong love element runs through it, and early Philadelphia society is most delightfully portrayed. Howard Pyle draws a frontispiece for each volume.—The Century Co., publishers, New York.

PROBATE COURT.

Many Wills and Administrations at Quincy Session.

Judge Harriman held Probate Court for Norfolk County at Quincy today and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Josiah Randlett late of Quincy, William E., and Nellie B. Badger executors; bond $8000 each.

Of Catherine Hurley late of Quincy, Catherine F. Pendis executrix; bond $2000.

Of William Withington late of Canton, John Everett executor.

Of Joseph R. Totman late of Weymouth, Silas B. Totman and John A. Raymond executors; bond $150,000 each.

Of Ethan Allen Cushing, late of Milton, Sarah R. Cushing, executor; bond $50,000.

Of William Hodgkinson, late of Quincy, Edith Hodgkinson, executor; bond $3,000.

Of Joseph Assmus, late of Dedham, Katherine Assmus, executor; bond $1,500.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Susan E. Bates, on estate of Penelope R. Turner, late of Weymouth.

Emeline A. Williams, on estate of Mary A. Spear, late of Quincy, bond $20,000.

Mary F. Webster, on estate of Charles C. Webster, late of Braintree, bond $200.

Mary Davis, on estate of Henry C. Davis, late of Canton, bond $5,000.

Thomas J. Dunphy, on estate of Susan Dunphy, late of Quincy, bond $2,800.

John F. Rafferty, on estate of Hugh Rafferty, late of Braintree. bond $200.

Mary Davies, on estate of William Davies, late of Quincy, bond $500.

Stephen A. R. Pratt, on estate of Eliza R. Pratt, late of Weymouth, bond $1,500.

Arthur B. Cutter, on estate of Esther E. Cutter, late of Dedham, bond $2,000.

Gilman B. Loud, on estate of Loring Pratt, late of Weymouth, bond $5,000.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

Granville A. Sweetland was appointed guardian of Edwina R. and Dorothy D. Sweetland, minor children of Lizzie A. Sweetland, bond $2,000.

Sarah J. Goodale was appointed guardian of Ella F. Goodale, a minor of Stoughton, bond $400.

Annie M. S. Fay was appointed guardian of Leslie C. Fay, a minor of Quincy, bond $1,500.

Edward P. Paine was appointed guardian of Lucy A. Holbrook, an insane person of Weymouth, bond $1,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First of Esther A. Drake, administratrix of estate of John E. Drake late of Quincy.

First and final of Patrick F. Downey, administrator of estate of Mary F. Downey, late of Quincy.

First of John A. Raymond, administrator of estate of Elbridge Lovell, late of Weymouth.

First and final of Orin Pool, executor of will of Freeman S. Pool, late of Weymouth.

First and final of William T. Rice, administrator of estate of Abbie A. Rice, late of Weymouth.

First of Henry H. and Frank A. Townsend, trustees of the will of John Townsend, late of Brookline, for the benefit of Caroline F. Townsend.

Fifth and final of Andreas Blume, trustee of will of Whiting Hewins late of Roxbury, for the benefit of Olive E. Hayden.

Fourth of Andreas Blume, trustee of will of Whiting Hewins late of Roxbury, for the benefit of Olive F. Hayden.

INVENTORIES FILED.

On estate of Maria Torrey, late of Weymouth; personal estate, $539.94; real estate, $525.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A partial distribution was ordered of the estate of Elbridge Lovell, late of Weymouth, for the benefit of the heirs.

Sarah J. Goodale, guardian of Ella F. Goodale, a minor of Stoughton, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $300.

TODAY'S COURT.

John A. Billings was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Billings was too drunk to understand his position and the case was continued until Thursday.

Robert Walch was fined $5 for assault on Christie A. Campbell at Quincy.

☞ Wall papers; delightful New York designs. Order left for painting, tinting and paper hanging, promptly attended to. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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Norfolks, 25 cts. quart.
Providence River, 35 cts. quart.
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Fancy Cape's, opened here, 50 cts. quart.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

FISH.

Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

Temple Street.

Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

Peddler's Parade.

FAXON HALL,

THURSDAY EVENING, April 14,

under the auspices of

PAUL REVERE, W. R. C, NO. 103.

Entertainment at 8 P. M. by

Punkinsville Band,

Dancing from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Tickets, 25 cts.

Quincy, April 12. 2t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—A bunch of keys marked "J. H. E. Return to the West Quincy Post Office." If the finder will return to ELCOCK & SONS, West Quincy, they will pay them well for their trouble. apr11-3t

WANTED.

WANTED—Experienced Wrapper Makers to work in shop, steam power, steady work. Also a few girls to learn and sewers to take work home. Apply at factory, Badger's building, Willard street, West Quincy.
April 11. 6t

WANTED—By a lady and gentleman, three unfurnished sunny rooms, a sitting room, two bed rooms, together with the use of bath; also good board. The location must be central. Address W., Ledger office.
Quincy, April 6. tf

$2.50 A DAY easily made. Solicit subscriptions. Boston Monthly Pocket manual sells at seventy-five cents a year, including seal leather card case and cover with name stamped in gold. Apply at 21 Milk St., Boston. 3t 7-11-13

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

TO LET.

TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises.
March 29. eod-tf

TO LET—8 small tenements with all improvements, four and five rooms and bath with set tubs and set range, curtained and screened; just the kind for man and wife; will rent very low. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station and on line of electrics; will be ready May 1. T. H. KINGSTON, Rawson road, Norfolk Downs, or 67 Milk street, Boston.
April 12—6t 16-1w

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.
Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—In Wollaston, new house, 8 rooms and bath, corner of Brook street and Highland avenue; 4 minutes to steam, 1 to electrics. Price, $3,600 cash. Rent, $25 per month. Apply to HENRY FENNO, 15 Winthrop avenue, Wollaston, and 38 South street, Boston.
April 12—3t 16-1w

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St. Quincy, March 31. tf

FOR SALE.

Bigelow St. Fine New Residence, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, fireplace, etc.

Washington St. Attractive NEW HOUSE, 7 rooms, sewing room, bath, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

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Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

Houses, Land and Rooms TO LET.

Cottage house, 9 rooms, with modern conveniences, No. 6 Coddington street.
House, 10 rooms, city water, No. 59 North St.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 7 Granite street.
House, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
Double house, 8 rooms, No. 15 Brackett St.
Three tenements, No. 51 Howard street.
Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
Large building on Brackett's Wharf.
Tenement, 3 rooms, Newport avenue.
Stable, 3 stalls, junction of School and Franklin streets.
Stable and shed, No. 28 Howard street.
Room No. 12 Washington street.
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Basement, No. 11 Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage and pasturing.
Gravel, sand and loam for sale.
For particulars inquire of or address
HENRY H. FAXON.
Quincy, March 15. 1m

The Woman Of the Home

Does the purchasing for the family. She reads the local paper religiously. Many in Quincy read only the Patriot, which has been a weekly visitor to their house for upwards of fifty years.



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MILLINERY OPENING!

Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2.

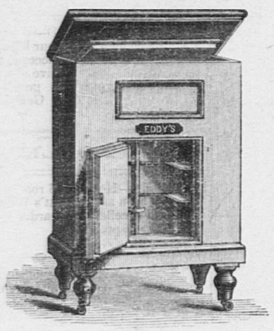
You are cordially invited to an inspection of our assortment of Easter Hats and Imported French Novelties in Toques and Bonnets; also, of our own attractive styles in Hats, Bonnets and Turbans, of Straw, Lace and Jet.

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4 FAXON BLOCK, - - QUINCY.

March 26. 2w

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Eddy Refrigerators are the standard and best in the world, that's something worth knowing—but what is better than all the rest, they cost no more than other kinds when you buy them here. Rock bottom market prices guaranteed.

A catalogue for the asking.

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Isn't He a Fool

To go out with his shovel and hoe, with the ground all covered with snow,

To Plant Peas?

Why not wait until tomorrow or next day, and then put in Peas, Onion and other hardy seeds. You can go today to

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and find a nice variety of Garden and Flower Seeds, fresh and bright, and warranted to come up if it does snow.

Quincy, April 6. tf

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The only Poultry Food composed of ground GRAINS, FISH and MEAT.

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Increases Egg Production.

SEND FOR SAMPLE.

Green Cut Beef Bones.

All kinds of Grain and Poultry Supplies.

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Jan. 13. 1p tf

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Feb. 14. 1y

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Laces,
Veilings,
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All Shades in Chiffons.

MISS C. S. HUBBARD,

CITY SQUARE,

QUINCY.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of EDWARD H. ADAMS,

late of Milton in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Ezra W. Wentworth of Woburn and Adelaide J. Emery of Boston, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

April 6. 6-13-18

CONSIDER WAR INEVITABLE.

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which embodies a preamble reciting the conditions in Cuba, consisting largely of quotations from the president's message, which constitutes a scathing arraignment of Spanish misrule and the barbarities of the war; a vigorous reference to the blowing up of the Maine; and a resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the president to intervene at once for the purpose of restoring peace and order, and the establishment of a firm, stable and independent government in Cuba with the free consent of the people of the island, and empowering the president to employ the army and navy forces of the United States for this purpose.

The Democratic members of the foreign affairs committee held a meeting and adopted unanimously the following resolution as a substitute for the majority report:

"Resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the United States in congress assembled:

Section 1—The United States government hereby recognizes the independence of the republic of Cuba.

Sect. 2—That, moved thereto by many considerations of humanity, of interest additional tax on beer of $1 per barrel, estimated to yield $35,000,000; a bank stamp tax on the lines of the law of 1866, estimated to yield $30,000,000; a duty of 3 cents per pound on coffee and 10 cents per pound on tea and a like amount of internal tax on stocks of coffee and tea on hand in the United States, estimated to yield $28,000,000; additional tax on tobacco, expected to yield $15,000,000 The committee also agreed to authorize the issuing of $500,000,000 bonds. These bonds are to be offered for sale at all postoffices in the United States in amounts of $50 each, making a great popular loan to be absorbed by the people.

To tide over emergencies, the secretary of the treasury will be authorized to issue treasury certificates. These certificates or debentures are to be used to pay running expenses when the revenues do not meet the expenditures. These preparations are distinctly war measures and would be put in operation only should war occur.

A Greeting to General Lee.

Washington, April 13.—When General Lee stepped from the train yesterday afternoon he was greeted with a tremendous outburst of applause. Women waved their handkerchiefs and men their hats, and altogether the demonstration was a notable one. Washington crowds as a rule are not demonstrative, but this occasion was a conspicuous exception. One of the ladies presented him a bouquet of roses tied together by ribbon of the national colors and bearing a tiny Confederate battle flag. Immediately the crowd began to cheer, and round after round of applause greeted him as he walked slowly and uncovered down the long platform of the station. General Lee entered a state department carriage and was rapidly driven up the avenue to the state department.

As the elevator came to a stop and the consul general stepped out a scene occurred unprecedented in the history of the great building. Hat in hand, General Lee passed into the corridor, and someone said: "Now, boys," and three rousing cheers went echoing down the long halls. Then there was another outburst, and people poured forth from every room. After a few minutes the consul general, Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretary Day entered a carriage and were quickly driven to the White House, General Lee getting another ovation on his way over.

The party was shown at once to the library, where the chief executive accorded a hearty reception to the general. After being with the president fully an hour Judge Day and General Lee took their departure, the latter going to his hotel. As their carriage was being driven away someone fastened a Cuban flag to the front of the vehicle, and this was the cause of additional enthusiasm.

The night demonstration was almost as quick and unpremeditated as that which had greeted General Lee at the depot and state department. The United States marine band had been secured, and the Seventy-first regiment band came from New York. Ten thousand persons greeted the consul when he appeared on the balcony. "I have not come to talk of war," said Mr. Lee, "but if war comes in a few days, the present crisis has proved that it will find us a united people, and the only contest will be as to who can carry the flag farthest and fastest."

A Bitter Impression.

London, April 13.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "The message has produced a very deep and bitter impression. Many friends of the cabinet share the sentiments of general discontent. I am assured on good authority that Mr. Sagasta is very much disgusted at the message, seeing the difficulties ahead as a consequence of it. The comments in political circles are very heated. Many people believe that the government ought to show greater energy. Mr. Moret, a leading and the most conciliatory member of the cabinet, is said to have expressed the opinion that the message was "not so bad as anticipated." The influential press is rather reserved in its comment; but the impression hich the message has made on the people at large is very unfavorable. They, however, appreciate the gravity of the situation.

"Notwithstanding the rumors that the Carlists have been fomenting the war feeling, this is not so. They have never expressed any sympathy with the popular movement. On the contrary their leaders have exhorted their followers to remain quiet. The ringleaders in the recent disturbances will be proceeded against in the ordinary tribunal."

A Senator's Interpretation.

Washington, April 13.—A senator close to the president says that the greatest criticism upon the message of the president is that it did not say anything about independence. He refers to those words near the end of the message: "And to secure in the island the establishment of a stable government capable of maintaining order and observing its international obligations." The senator added that "a stable government," capable of observing its international obligations, must be independent. If it was an independent government it would have no international obligations. The senator insisted that this part of the message meant independence, but the president was writing a document that meant history and precedent, and he had to confine himself to diplomatic language.

A Dearth of News.

New York, April 13.—A letter from Hong Kong says: It is now just a month since the terrible explosion which wrecked the Maine, and yet officers of the United States warships here have none but the most meager general news of the sad event. Unable to stand the strain of uncertainty any longer, about a week since the officers and men made up a purse and cabled home for some news. The reply informed the Americans that "great excitement prevailed; sinking of Maine suspected not accidental; war preparations active; commission inquiring into matter," and gave the names of officers who lost their lives. That is the sum total of the information received to date, and yet the United States squadron is kept in readiness to move at a few hours' notice.

Refugees on Safe Ground.

New York, April 13.—The steamer Uto has brought seven refugees from Spanish persecution at Matanzas. They are Charles Rodriguez and family, and John Clark, an American boy. Mr. Rodriguez was at one time a man of considerable wealth, but was obliged to abandon everything in order to save his family. The crew of the Uto say that all was in confusion at Matanzas. The people were greatly excited and the Spaniards were loudly clamoring for war with the United States.

On the Herman Wedel Jarlsberg were United States Consul Brice and his staff and their families. Consul Brice said that for three days before leaving Matanzas the people threatened his life, and at all times his property was in danger. His secretary, Frederick Delgado, was obliged to flee for his life, as they threatened to drag him through the streets.

Boston Briefiets.

Boston, April 13.—The mangled body of an unknown man, evidently a tramp, was found on the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad.

The New England Association of the Alumni of Phillips Exeter academy held its annual meeting at the Parker last evening. William A. Bancroft presided.

Bram, the alleged murderer of three people on the Herbert Fuller, was on the stand for five hours yesterday.

As a result of the fish war between Boston and Gloucester dealers for the control of the retail fish business, plans have been completed for the formation of a large corporation in this city similar to that in Gloucester, to compete with the latter company.

An explosion shattered the windows and shook the houses to their foundations for several blocks around the plant of the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber company in Cambridge. Serious injury resulted to several of the workmen, one of whom is not expected to recover.

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HEALTH CATECHISM.

To be Committed to Memory by All Dyspeptics, Invalids, Consumptives.

What is the first cause of nine-tenths of all disease?

Imperfect digestion of food.

Why does imperfect digestion cause disease of other organs?

Because blood, nerves, muscles, bone and flesh are derived from the food we eat and digest If digestion is perfect the blood is pure, nerves and muscles strong, flesh firm. If the digestion is poor, the blood is supplied from half-digested fermenting food, irritating every nerve and organ. The result is, sooner or later, organic disease, because every organ being poorly nourished the weakest gives way first and we have liver trouble, kidney complaints, heart disease or consumption.

Is not dieting the usual and best treatment to cure indigestion?

No, because the dyspeptic has been starved long enough; what is needed is abundant nourishment not the lack of it. The stomach and blood demand nutriment, not bran crackers.

What is the best method of cure?

Plenty of wholesome food well digested.

But how can a weak stomach digest plenty of wholesome food?

By taking with the food after each meal certain harmless remedies which are known to digest food and thus nourish the blood and rest the weak stomach.

What are these harmless remedies?

The most valuable are vegetable ferments, pure pepsin, Golden Seal and fruit salts. All of these are now combined in the form of pleasant tasting tablets sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, APRIL 14.
Sun rises—5:05; sets, 6:25.
Moon rises—1:47 a. m., 5:15 p. m.
High tide—6 p. m.

The unsettled weather will probably have passed over New England by Thursday morning or noon, followed by fair or clearing and cooler weather and westerly winds. Friday promises fair weather.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Antonio Terry, formerly Sybil Sanderson, critically ill in Paris with paralysis.

The 58th session of the New England southern conference opened this morning in Attleboro, Mass. Bishop John H. Vincent of Topeka presided.

The city election in New Britain, Conn., resulted in a complete Republican victory, though Morris C. Webster, mayor-elect, defeated Robert J. Vance, the Democratic mayor, by only 54 votes. The city is ordinarily Republican by 1000 majority.

The initial steps toward the formation of one of the biggest combinations in the history of the iron business were taken at a meeting in Cleveland. Practically the manufacturers of foundry iron between the Allegheny and Rocky mountains were represented.

The annual encampments of the New Hampshire division of the G. A. R. and the Woman's Relief corps opened in Concord today. The councils of administration and the committees on credentials held meetings last evening and perfected arrangements.

The extensive plant of the Pennsylvania Plate Glass company in North Irwin, Pa., is a complete ruin. Fire started near the new casting hall, caused by the blowing out of a gas converter. The loss is estimated at $750,000, with insurance of about $450,000.

Robert Barr, the English novelist, has obtained a verdict of $1000 damages in a libel suit against the New York Sun. On May 17, 1896, The Sun published a paragraph, saying that Mr. Barr had been "removed to an asylum for inebriates." This was the statement complained of.

Charles A. Boiney, the murderer of George Marcus Nichols of Trumbull, Conn., will pay the penalty for his crime at the state prison between midnight and 1 o'clock tomorrow morning. He is quite self-possessed and has spent his last days in letter writing, which seems to have relieved his mind.

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BOSTON OPINION.

Resolutions Stopped Short of Official Recognition of Cuba.

Boston, April 13.—"It is evident from news from all sources in Washington," says The Post, "that congress proposes, while acting in the general line of the president's recommendations, to go several steps beyond them. To authorize the executive to intervene in a neutral way, when and as he pleases, does not appear to meet the full measure of the necessities of the situation as viewed by both parties in congress. It is extremely probable that congress will demand immediate armed intervention; and, secondly, that it will declare either by preamble or by main resolution that the Cubans should be a free and independent people. Such a resolution or preamble stops short of the official recognition of Cuba, but is indicative of the character and purpose of the immediate

"Armed intervention has ceased to be the subject for controversy," The Journal argues. "The message has made it the fixed, established policy of the United States. All who have opposed it must, if they are good citizens, now fall loyally into line. Support the president! Sustain the government!"

Says The Advertiser: "The message is interpreted in the light of the whole of the known facts. These include the situation in Cuba, the long and lurid history of Spain's domination of the island, the president's intentions and fixed purposes as frankly revealed by him from time to time to leading men in congress, and the publicly declared attitude of a majority of the members, in both branches, of that congress to whose wisdom and patriotism the president, knowing that attitude full well, has confidently appealed. The message means free Cuba. True, it does not say that in expressed terms. Because it does not, some people are, and more pretend to be, terribly disappointed."

Congress having committed itself in the past to intervention as the only means of peace, The Globe says, "it can act now without risking an impeachment of its good faith at home and abroad; but it should act quickly and decisively, and thereby spare the country the peril of European interference and all the countless vexations of further delay."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 13.—In the house yesterday Mr. Mead moved a reconsideration of the rejection of the telephone bill, saying that if the motion prevailed an investigation would be asked for into the methods of the telephone lobby. The bill provides that the gas and electric light commissioners have power to fix telephone rates in the state. The motion was defeated.

The committee on ways and means reported ought to pass on the bill to allow the governor and council to take in fee or purchase 1000 acres of waste and unused land for the purpose of improving the same with the labor of prisoners from the jails and houses of correction.

The committee on railroads reported ought not to pass on the bill to grant all express companies equal facilities on their railroads.

The committee on public charitable institutions has turned down the plan for a separate children's bureau.

The senate yesterday afternoon listened to a continuation of the discussion of the proposed payment of money to George P. Smith of Ipswich, which was ordered, and to brief eulogies on Congressman Simpkins.

Only Corbett Not Signed.

Baltimore, April 13.—Kelly, Jennings and Keeler, three of the four recalcitrant Baltimore ball players who had held out for increased salaries, reported for duty yesterday on Manager Hanlon's terms. All three appeared to be in fine playing form. The former took his position in left field in the Baltimore-Toronto game and made a clean batting and fielding record.

"Brother Joe" Corbett was given a $300 increase, but insisted on $900 more. Nothing has been heard from him by the management since the first of March when he refused to sign his $2100 contract.

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Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 23 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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PROPOSES TO ACT PROMPTLY.

President Not Desirous of Further Delay.

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Said to Favor the Ideas of the House as to the Course to Be Pursued.

Scathing Arraignment of Spanish Rule and Conduct by the Senate's Committee on Foreign Relations—Case of the United States Argued With Telling Force—Resolution Adopted by the House Declares For Armed Intervention at Once—Hot Time In the Lower Branch, Growing Out of the Cuban Question—Spanish Purpose.

Washington, April 14.—President McKinley, undeceived as to the Spanish offer of Easter Sunday, and with little hope that Spain will do anything else to keep the peace, but believing that she will withdraw from Cuba without serious resistance, is not seeking delay, but desires prompt action in congress, and proposes to act promptly himself. If he must make war under the restricted form of armed intervention in order to make peace, he wants to do it as quickly as possible, in order to attain its end as quickly as possible.

Naturally, he has his preference as to the form of words in which congress shall instruct and empower him, and, naturally, he prefers the resolution adopted by the house, or that offered by Senator Hale, to that now advocated by Senator Foraker, or that of the committee on foreign relations, made out of the Foraker resolution, and simply omitting the recognition of the Cuban republic. Because of this preference there is good reason to believe that the house resolution will be the one that will ultimately be adopted by the senate and sent to the president.

It does not demand the withdrawal of Spain from Cuba, or declare the independence of the people of Cuba, as the resolutions of the committee on foreign relations do, in terms; but it does provide in effect for both of those things. Speaker Reed's hand is seen in the framing of this resolution, and in preventing the house committee on foreign affairs from taking the senate committee's resolution, as it seemed likely to do, but he was unable to keep the house from adopting some resolution, and made no attempt to prolong the debate, in view of President McKinley's acquiescence in the desire of the majority for action.

The "peace-at-any-price" senators—and, strange to say, in spite of the rising tide which even they must feel, their voice is not silenced—describe it as a "villainous" document. This is the adjective which Senator Elkins used, and which he applied also to the accompanying resolutions; but the convincing array of terrible indictments against Spain which the report presented went straight to the hearts of those who heard it read, and who looked upon it as the formal summing up of the case of the United States upon which we are to ask the considerate judgment of the world. Had the senate been able to register its will at once, the resolutions would have been adopted with few dissenting votes, and they might have been accompanied with another resolution recognizing the independence of the Cuban republic; but there are traditions, rules, and precedents in the senate which must be observed even in times of great crisis like these, and when Senator Hoar exercised his undoubted privilege under the rules and demanded that they go over for a day, there was no appeal. The postponement will not balk the senate in its purpose, for a vote will come speedily, and it will be no less emphatic than it would have been if taken on the spot.

The Spanish cabinet affirms that the government refuses to acknowledge the right of the United States to interfere in Cuba, and says that it is not called upon to take action until the recommendations of President McKinley or of the congress have become specific acts. The government considers that, apart from its solemn affirmation of Spain's rights as a nation, the ministers are not called upon to make any declaration so long as the resolutions of congress or the initiative of President McKinley do not lead to concrete acts. The official note also says: "A firm consciousness of its rights, united with the resolution to maintain them, will inspire the nation, as they inspired the government, with the serenity necessary in these difficult moments to direct successfully and defend energetically the sacred interests which are the patrimony of the Spanish race."

REASON OF IT.

Why the United States Should Stop the Spanish Barbarities.

Washington, April 14.—The foreign affairs committee of the senate, in its report to that body, says that upon due consideration being given to all of the relevant facts of the relations of this government with Spain, including the destruction of the Maine and the history of the rebellion, it is the opinion of the committee that the United States ought at once to recognize the independence of the people of Cuba, and also ought to intervene to the end that the war and its unexampled atrocities shall cease, and that such independence shall become a settled political fact at the earliest possible moment by the establishment, by the free action of the people of Cuba, when such action can be had, of a government independent in fact and form. It is believed that recognition of the belligerency of the insurgents in Cuba, if it had been given seasonably, when it was suggested by concurrent resolution to that effect passed by congress, would have insured the speedy termination of the war without involving the United States in the contest. Such recognition was not given, and conditions have changed so materially since it was thus proposed that, if given now, it would fall far short of supplying the requirements of the present situation in the light solely of the interests of the United States.

The recognition of the independence of the people of Cuba is justified and demanded by the highest considerations of duty, right and policy.

The opinion is expressed that it was the intention of the contriver of the Spanish policy to depopulate the island and repeople it with Spaniards. It is also asserted that the Spanish government has violated the laws of civilized warfare in the slaughter of prisoners and the massacre of sick and wounded.

When publicists and jurists speak of the right of sovereignty of a parent state over a people or a colony, they mean that divinely delegated supremacy in the exercise of which man should show "likest God." They never mean that a usurpation of diabolism shall be sanctified upon the plea that this sovereignty is none the less than that of a well ordered and humane government. Against such reasoning the moral laws of nature and of nations speak aloud and declare that the state which thus perverts and abuses its power thereby forfeits its sovereignty. This principle has been the foundation of the repeated interventions by the states of Europe in the affairs of Turkey who, abominable and atrocious as her cruelty has been toward her subjects in Greece and in the northern part of her dominions in Europe, and in Armenia, has not approached the eminence at which Spain stands in solitary and unapproachable infamy.

On the subject of intervention the committee says: "Justification for intervention is strengthened in such cases as the present, where the oppressions by a state of its subjects have been so inveterate, atrocious and sanguinary as to require intervention by other nations in the interests of humanity and the peace of the world, for the purpose of overthrowing that government and establishing or recognizing another in its place as the only means of extirpating otherwise incurable and dangerous evils." The autonomy scheme which was promised, and which was alluded to by President McKinley in his last annual message, is pronounced "specious and illusory." Conflict of opinion among jurists upon the subject of intervention is very great. Quoting from Professor Hall and others in support of the right of intervention in cases similar to that of Cuba, the report continues as follows: "If these opinions state the correct rule, as we believe they do, the right of intervention by the United States in the present instance is indubitable."

The committee quotes from the messages of President Cleveland of Dec. 27, 1896, and from President McKinley's message of Dec. 6, 1897, in support of the committee's contention that the attitude of the United States toward the present question has been based upon the right of intervention and the intention to exercise it in certain contingencies.

"These declarations," the committee says, in conclusion, "more than implied that this government would interpose in the event of failure within a reasonable time to conquer the insurgents or to induce them by concessions of home rule to lay down their arms. They have not been subdued. The autonomy proffered has been rejected by the insurgents not because it was specious and illusory, but because they will accept nothing short of complete national independence. They declare to the United States and Spain alike that no terms short of independence, which those powers may attempt to prescribe to them will be accepted. Spain refuses to grant independence. The war, then, must go on, and the misery which has shocked the civilized world must continue and increase unless it is terminated by the triumph of Cuba or Spain, or by the interposition of the United States."

VIGOROUS SPEECHES.

Management of Cuban Affairs Inspires the Senate's Orators.

Washington, April 14.—The senate was first to report its resolution and at the beginning of the session Senator Davis, chairman of the committee, presented the resolution and a report which, in dealing with the management of Cuban affairs by Spain, was a vigorous and scathing denunciation of that country and its military methods, and demanded intervention by force if necessary.

The purpose of delay on the part of some of the members was shown in the objection to the consideration of the report which sent it over to another day, but this did not prevent a most exciting and vigorous debate upon the resolution and the Cuban attitude. All day long the senate listened with the galleries, while vigorous speeches were made for and against the proposition. The minority report was presented by four members of the foreign relations committee—Senator Foraker of Ohio, Republican, joining with three Democratic members, who are in favor of the recognition of the independence of the present government of Cuba, at once. It is an interesting fact that there seems to be quite a beneral feeling that the minority report of the senate committee may, when the vote is taken, be the action of the senate. Debate and discussion may alter the condition which seems to exist now, but the temper of senators on both sides seems inclined in that direction.

Following the presentation of the report and after Mr. Hoar had insisted that consideration of the resolution go over on a point of order, came two of the most remarkable speeches yet delivered on the Cuban question. Mr. Foraker and Mr. Lodge presented different phases of the Cuban situation. Mr. Foraker advocated the direct recognition of the independence of the Cuban republic, and with an eloquence and vehemence seldom heard in the senate splendidly maintained his position. A sharp colloquy between him and Mr. Elkins caused excitement.

Senator Lodge said that whatever might be his opinion with regard to recognition of independence, it was sufficient for him that the president did not believe it wise. He would stand by the president in everything, but he desired to add that General Lee, to whom he paid a high compliment, had also advised against it. Forms of words were of little moment in a crisis such as confronted the country today. The main fact was that whether the language of the message was used, or the words of the house or senate resolutions, a state of war was created. The president has asked congress to mail his hand, and his request would be granted. When he asks us to invest him with the great war power under the constitution, we are brought face to face with a great responsibility. "Let us look it in the eye like men," he exclaimed, "and not attempt to shrink from what it means We are told that we must not go to war on the narrow ground of revenge. No, not revenge, but we must have reparation for the Maine. We cannot as a nation belittle that case or refuse to demand a great and shining reparation for our dead sailors. If we allow that to drop aside, to pass away into an endless tangle of negotiation and law and discussion, we are lost to all sense of brotherhood; we are lost to all love of kit and kin; our uniform will no longer be an honor and protection; it will be a disgrace and danger to wear."

Mr. Lindsay concluded the discussion for the day with a powerful speech in which he advocated the recognition of the Cubans and a concert of action between the insurgent army and the United States troops in driving the Spanish forces from Cuba.

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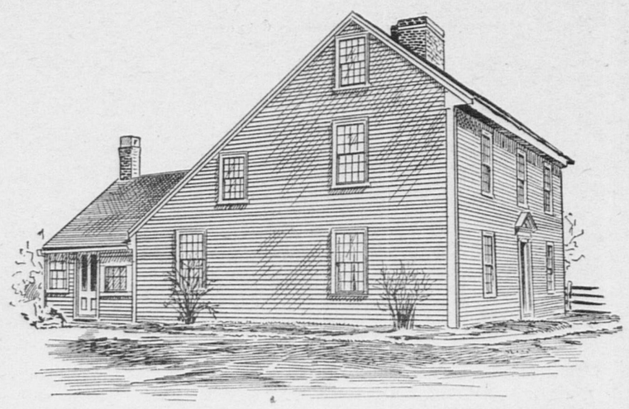
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During the singing of the national anthem of Spain the curtain rose upon scene one, the Queen's palace. It was a draped room, with throne and canopy. The Queen, lords, members of royalty, pages, maid of honor, chancelor and others being present. The Queen wore an elegant white brocaded gown, with spangled cape, crown and jewels. The King wore a red satin puff doublet and jacket, red silk tights, long spangled cape and crown jewels. Both were very stately and every inch a king and queen.

The nuns, monks and acolytes as they marched in and took their parts added a fine effect. The chancellor was at home in his position, and the lords, court ladies and pages completed the scene. The monks exhibited the charts to the Queen and when Columbus appeared she endorsed his plans, admitted him to a high order and knighted him. The guardian angel appeared and offered words of encouragement and the curtain descended.

Scene two, a biographical sketch of Columbus was largely original with Mr. Crane, who at the outset announced that he was not Petro, the Italian biographer, but Francois, the Frenchman. His makeup was complete. He wore black tights, black and yellow doublet, red mantle trimmed with ermine, wig, moustache and chin whiskers. His sketch was brought up to date by references to Cuban affairs, and was witty th oughout.

Scene three was the departure of Columbus. The curtain rose with Columbus, lords, crew and sailors wives and children upon the stage. It was a typical pe sant group, not stage like. The devotional attitude of Columbus, accompanied by the chanting of the nuns and blessing of the priest combined to make it a striking realistic scene, as was the farewell embraces and caresses of the sailors with their families. Little Dorothy Packard was particularly cute. Curtain.

Scene four was an artistic pantomine. Indian chief giving a scalp dance, showing an attack, tomahawking and scalping of an imaginary enemy. The attitudes were fine. The scene was an Indian encampment with wigwam in a distance. At the close of the pantomine the squaws enter with tom-toms chanting in monotonous Indian fashion; then the braves execute a typical war dance, which was an unique feature of the programme. The approach of Columbus startles them. The discoverer enters with his retinue and crew and kneels and bows to the ground three times. The Indians are awe and terror stricken and uneasy. Crew kiss hem of mantle of Columbus in reverence. Indian Chief becomes bold and signs are exchanged and he casts his tomahawk on the ground and presents Columbus with beads from his neck. The cross is brought in and planted and all reverence, and the curtain drops.

Scene five follows after a period of six months. The King and Queen enter and march about the stage affording an opportunity to view the elegant costumes. The King and Queen are seated on the throne and the King orders the court dancers to appear. To animated music in rushed a bevy of society girls in attractive yellow and black gowns who executed La Danza Espagnolia in a manner which brought down the house, and it was repeated in part. Then the dancers posed in the background and upon their banjos played the accompaniment for the solo dancer, Miss Bessie Kendrick who executed a bolaro in a thoroughly artistic manner, which received rapturous applause and was repeated.

Then came Mr. Charles G. Schirmer, the court premier de ballet. Sufficient opportunity for rehearsal with the music had not been offered but the inter mezzo pizzicato with nintricate and exacting steps was given in grand style and was encored. The court festivities being at a close the pages advanced to the portals and a bugle call announced the arrival of Columbus and his retinue. All bowed to the King and Queen. When Columbus knelt at the throne the King and Queen arose and give him their hands which he reverently kissed. The Queen placed jewels on Columbus. Indians rush in and threw themselves at the foot of the throne and presented beads, etc. Columbus presents charts to the Queen and shows proofs of his discovery, and the angel announces the fame of Columbus. As the national anthem is sung the curtain falls on part one.

PART TWO.

George Washington, Mr. Herbert Barker
Martha Washington, Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton

Guests in George Washington scene,—Miss Lulie Tupper, Miss Grace Isaac, Miss Maud Macfarland, Miss May Melzard, Mrs. Ernest Fitts, Miss May McPhail, Miss Alice Coe, Mr. William Isaac and Mr. Walter Burke.

Soloist, Miss Alice Coe

Dancers of the Minuet—Miss Marion Hall, Mr. Charles G. Shirmer.

Scotch Dancers—Laura Hall, Corinna Wilde, George W. Hewson, Everett Winslow.

Swede Dancers — Lorenzo Gilson, Alan Arnold, Winthrop Fenno, Howard Penniman, Carrie Hilliard, Ethel Parker, Mildred Huston, Carlina Walker.

Polish Dancers—Fred Thayer, Helen Barnes, Wallace Carr, Avah Gilson, Francis Bishop, Grace Bishop, Stedman Thompson, Clara Totman.

Dutch Dancers — Penelope Willard, Carl Prescott, Grace Spear, Rathburn Sprague, Minnie Packard, Richard Freeman, Ella Packard, George Brown.

Italian Dancers—Gertrude Thompson, Harold Curtis, Minnie Hardwick, Robert Hardwick.

Thirteen Original States—Erma Tilton, Muriel Rogers, Mildred Rogers, Evelyn Cummings, Margaret Barnes, Helen Sprague, Inez Louther, Nellie Wilde, Mary Patterson, Edna Polson, Carrie Bates, Marion Bates, Ruth Packard.

The International ballet which opened part two was certainly one of the best features, and the perfection attained in dances new to all of them must have been the result of considerable practice.

The lads and lassies in the Scotch dance were dressed complete in the typical Scotch costumes, in which plaids are conspicuous. They were recalled.

The Swede boys wore light brown pants, white stockings, black jackets and very short coat tails, red vests, gay neckties, and gay hat. The girls in blue skirts white waists, black bodices, Normandy caps and white stockings. They also responded to the encore.

The Polish boys wore black pants, black jackets with gilt braid, black leggins, red sash and cap. The girls, red skirts, black polonnaise trimmed with ermine, red caps, white stockings and black shoes.

The Dutch boys wore knickerbockers, red vests small jackets and red caps, white stockings and woden shoes. The girls, red skirt, white waists, black bodices, fancy caps, white stockings and wooden shoes.

The Italian boys were in velvet suits, with white blouses and sashes. The girls in red skirts, white blouses, white aprons and yellow jackets.

Following the dances the different nations gave an intricate grand march led by the Scotch. Then the music changed to "Hail Columbia" and children representing the original states marched in. With little Miss Ruth Packard as the pivot they performed evolutions which pleased all. The scene closed with a fine tableau to the tune of "Yankee Doodle."

A reception scene at court followed, the costumes being of Colonial times. Miss Alice Coe of Atlantic sang sweetly a charming solo. The tune of "Hail to the Chief" announced the arrival of George and Martha Washington and others and all received a cordial reception from the Queen. A feature of the evening was the minuet de la cour and gavot de Vestries originally danced at court of Louis

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ATLANTIC SHOCKED.

One of Her Residents Found Hanging to a Tree.

Benjamin D. Mathews of Atlantic committed suicide at his home on Edwin street sometime during Wednesday night by hanging himself to a tree in the rear of his house. Mathews came to Quincy from New Hampshire where he was in the lumber business. He has fits of despondency at times and has made two previous attempts to take his own life. Wednesday morning he was apparently all right and left home at 9 o'clock and that was the last seen of him until he was found dead this morning. It was a little after 5 o'clock A. M. when his daughter arose and looking out of the window saw her father hanging to the limb of a tree. She immediately gave the alarm and the body was cut down. Life had however flown.

Medical Examiner Gilbert was notified and viewed the remains. He was 61 years of age and leaves a widow, son and daughter.

High School Debate.

The Quincy High School Debating Society held the first meeting of the spring term on Wednesday. Mr. Northcott presided. Mr. Ford, as secretary read the minutes.

The postponed debate "Resolved, That Quincy ought to be Annexed to Boston" was concluded. The affirmative speakers were Miss Beckwith, and Miss Dean, both of '98. The negative speakers were Miss Ford, Miss Forrest, Miss Gordan and Miss Laing, all of '98.

When the debate was opened to the society, unusual interest was manifested. At one time four speakers were eager for recognition.

The decision of the board was reserved till the next meeting.

The speakers in the open debate were:

Miss Ward, '98, Mr. Field, '98, Mr. Pendis, '98 Mr. Lewis, '98, Mr. R. McDonnell, '98, Miss Beckwith, '98, and Mr. McLean, '98.

Land Sale at Squantum.

Look out for the advertisement of the grand opening sale of house lots at Squantum Park on April 19. The most beautiful locations on the South Shore.

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Unfounded.

There is no foundation for the report which appeared in Wednesday evening's Boston papers saying that W. B. Mann of Wollaston, committed suicide on Sunday by jumping off of Dover street bridge. Mr. Mann is alive and well and laughed at the idea of his committing suicide when interviewed on the report by a Ledger representative.

Sudden Death.

John Higgins, aged about 60 years, dropped dead Wednesday afternoon at his boarding place 406 Hancock street of heart disease. Higgins belongs in Peabody and had been employed as a lumper on the Wollaston section of the sewer. The body was given in charge of Undertaker Fay and this morning was turned over to relatives from Peabody.

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SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

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April 12. 12t

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CITY OF QUINCY.

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A new Catalogue of all prose fiction in the Library on Jan. 1, 1898, has just been issued by the Trustees. It is a book of 136 pages, with books indexed by authors and by titles. There is also an index of short stories, and an annotated list of historical fiction arranged alphabetically, and under the larger countries, chronologically. French fiction takes two full pages.

The Catalogues will be sold at 10 and 20 cents, according to the binding, and may be obtained of the Librarian.

Per order of the Trustees.
Quincy, April 8, 1898. 6t 9-3w

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, Michael F. O'Brien and John T. McNeil, carrying on business as Granite Manufacturers and Dealers at Quincy, Mass., under the firm name and style of O'Brien & McNeil, was on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1898, dissolved by mutual consent, and the business in future will be carried on by the said John T. McNeil alone, who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities, and receive all moneys payable to the said late firm.

MICHAEL F. O'BRIEN.
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March 31, 1898. 3t 31-7-14

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WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The Ladies' Social Union of the Unitarian church, of East Weymouth, held a social in the church parlors Wednesday night.

The Steadfast Rebekah lodge held its seventh anniversary Wednesday night at Odd Fellows opera house. An excellent entertainment was given followed by a collation and a social dance.

Among those present were noted.

J. F. Cushing and wife, A. H. Pratt and wife, Joseph Cummings and wife, George Brooks and wife, H. E. Raymond and wife, I. Loring and wife, Warren Page, and wife, Samuel Burrell and wife, Charles E. Merchant and wife, Clayton Merchant and wife, W. Newcomb and wife, E. Q. S. Litchfield and wife.

Mrs. George Newton, Mrs. Sidney Dunbar, Mrs. W. E. Beane, Mrs. L. J. Peterson, Mrs. W. T. Seabury, Mrs. Charles Seabury, Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. Grace Beane, Mrs. Edith Wilder, Mrs. James Denbroeder, Mrs. Richard Smith.

Miss Lura E. Oldham, Miss Anna Newton, Miss Ella Lovell, Miss Addie Brooks, Miss Bessie Gay, Miss Grace Mitchell, Miss Ida Mitchell, Miss Daisy Pratt, Miss Cora Burrell, Miss Florence Raymond, Miss Carrie Shackford, Miss Ruth Newcomb.

R. E. Bicknell, E. R. Wilder, W. Cummings, Will Cowing, Ralph Newcomb, John Bruce, George W. Pratt, Harry Litchfield, Fred Pratt, Charles Hunt.

The East Weymouth lodge, Knights of Honor, held a very interesting meeting. Tuesday evening at Masonic hall. Various delegations from other lodges were present and also from the Grand lodge.

"Kokakola" rehearses tonight. Mr. James Gilbert "coach" will direct.

Remember the Veteran Firemen's Association ball at the Rink, East Weymouth tomorrow night.

The Social to have been held at the Congregational church East Weymouth was postponed and will be held tonight.

The Junior League of the M. E. church, East Weymouth, held a very interesting social at the church Wednesday evening their first social of the season.

BOSTON MATTERS.

A t Substituting Electrocution For Hanging Becomes a Law.

Boston, April 14.—Governor Wolcott has signed the bill providing for electrocution of persons condemned to death in place of hanging, all sentences to be carried out in the state prison. This proviso occasioned a visit of General Bridges, the warden of the Charlestown prison, to the state house, where he consulted with the governor. It is understood that he will have plans made at once, though there is no one in the state at the present time on which the new system can be tested. The new law will not apply to those now under indictment nor to any person who committed murder prior to the act going into effect.

The president's message and the action taken by congress have had the effect of increasing marine war rates from 50 to 100 percent over the figures quoted last week. The inquiry for risks has been very active for the past few days and owners of vessels at present in southern waters are making haste to cover their tonnage.

The following officers of the order of the Golden Cross were elected yesterday: Grand commander, Charles Steere of Hingham; vice commander, Abbie A. B. Arey of South Boston; treasurer, H. N. Ackerman of Medford; keeper of records, James B. Trueworthy of Lowell, herald, W. H. T. Reed of Malden; representative, F. W. Rauskalb of Malden; trustee, Charles H. Holt of Brockton; warder of the outer gate, Joseph J. Paine of Charlestown; representative, Charles R. Todd of Newburyport; prelate, Mrs. A. E. Armstrong of Lawrence.

The Knights of Honor officers for the next term are: Grand dictator, A. M. Willis of Melrose; vice dictator, H. A. Kidder of Arlington; reporter, E. G. Pratt of Quincy; treasurer, G. E. Richardson of Roxbury; guide, A. O. Cullymore of Roxbury; chaplain, E. M. Jones of Roxbury; guardian, E. G. Richardson of Roxbury; sentinel, F. M. Weymouth of Dorchester.

The call has been issued for the Prohibition state convention to be held in Worcester June 4. Women will be received as delegates. An intercollegiate contest will be held on the evening of the convention. Prohibition clubs from Harvard, Williams, Emerson college of oratory, Newton theological seminary and Boston university will hold a debate on "The Ballot Box Versus the Saloon." The winner will represent the state in the national contest in Lake Bluff, Ills., July 18-20.

Hooting and Jeering.

New Bedford, Mass., April 14.—The strikers are moving from mill to mill for the purpose of making demonstrations as the operatives come out of work at night, and last evening they visited the Whitman mills. Beyond hooting and jeering, however, there was no disturbance. Tonight they will go to the south end. About 3400 hands were at work yesterday, against 3100 Tuesday.

The weavers' union held a big meeting in the city hall yesterday afternoon at which the newspapers, the police and the judge of the district court came in for a round of condemnation. It was voted to ratify last Friday's vote to remain out six weeks longer.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Mrs. S. W. Fosdick of Billings street is quite ill.

W. M. Marden has returned from his trip to New York.

A stone crossing is being put in across Pleasant street at its junction with Water street.

The section of the sewer on Bigelow street is nearly completed as the end is at Elm street.

E. Granville Pratt was reelected grand recorder of the Grand Lodge Knights of Honor at the annual meeting in Boston Wednesday.

Mrs. Isabel Howard and daughter of Los Angles, Cal., are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Greenard of Felton street.

Mrs. Daniel Cogswell of Port Williams, N. S., is the guest of her niece Mrs. Annie Seamen of Squantum street.

Do not miss the farce, "Chums," this evening, at the Universalist vestry by home talent. There will also be a short musical programme.

The City Council Committee on Fire Department and Police will meet at City Hall at 1.30 Friday. Then they will take carriages for a tour of the city.

A Sunday school concert will be given Sunday evening at seven o'clock in the Unitarian chapel to consist of addresses, and speaking and singing by the children.

The Rev. Seth C. Carey, who has so ably filled the pulpit of the Wollaston M. E. church, has been transferred by the conference to the Parkman Street church, Dorchester.

The Boston Y. M. C. A. Chess club will pay the Quincy Y. M. C. A. Chess club at the Association rooms Friday evening the 22d at 8 o'clock. All members are invited to witness the games.

Little Hazel Carlin enjoyed her seventh birthday this week by entertaining a number of her little friends. Games were played and ice cream and cake were served; and a good time was enjoyed.

Mr. H. L. Hastings, the noted anti-infidel lecturer, will be in Quincy on Sunday, and will speak at the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting in the afternoon and at the Presbyterian church in the evening.

Thomas E. Parker the young man who had his head crushed at the Old Colony Boot and Shoe manufactory Wednesday noon died at the City Hospital in the afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock.

Fifteen members of Merrymount lodge Knights of Honor paid a fraternal visit to Pilgrim lodge at East Weymouth, Monday evening and witnessed an exemplification of the degree work by a team from Hingham.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will give an art exhibit next week, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms. The drawings are original ones, loaned by the Youth's Companion.

Homer's Comedians will be at Music Hall, on Saturday evening, and a jolly time may be expected. Mirth and music combined at popular prices. The entertainment closes with a laughable comedy, entitled "ginger."

In the death of Harry B. Foster, who died in Braintree, Tuesday, there ends a life that had been full of pain and suffering. When but four years of age he had the measles and he has been sick ever since that time, in all nearly twenty years.

The Executive Committee of the Wollaston Golf club have authorized a sub-committee consisting of President Freeman Secretary Brock and Mr. Ralph Crackenell to hire a professional green keeper. The assessment this year will be $10.

We have been informed from a reliable source that Mrs. J. C. Gilligan presented Mrs. Hobart with the marble clock, at Hobart & Holmes' factory, instead of Miss Mary Burns, as was stated on Monday; and that Miss Burns had nothing more to do about it than any of the other employes.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Shields was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until April 25.

John A Billings was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

—The Norfolk Hunt club has purchased the town farm of Dedham, now Westwood, and will remodel it for a club house, stables and kennels and club sports.

Many of the streets of Paris are lined with trees. If a tree dies another of the same kind, age and size is brought from the state forests and put in its place. The cost is tremendous, but Paris is the most beautiful of modern cities.

GRAND PAGEANT.

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XIV which was executed by Miss Marion Hall of Dorchester and Mr. Charles G. Schirmer. Too much could not be said of the fine performance. The curtain dropped on an exquisite pose of the dancers.

Scene two was a drill by 24 members of Co. K commanded by Capt. Kincaide. It was executed with great precision. Guns were then stacked and the company bivouacked on the stage and in the twilight there was sung the chorus "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," which in these times of war rumors was very touching. An alarm was sounded and there was a fly to arms and the company went off the stage double quick.

TABLEAU.

Columbia,	Miss Alice Coe
Goddess of Liberty,	Miss Leila Miller
Uncle Sam,	Mr. George F. Hardwick
Cuba,	Mrs. Edward Miller
Spain,	Ernest Arnold

An allegorical tableau closed the programme. It was realistic and striking and was also up to date. It was entitled "America-Spain-Cuba-1898." Columbia the Goddess of Liberty and Uncle Sam appeared on an elevation. Cuba was kneeling at the feet of Uncle Sam in an attitude of despair, begging protection and assistance; while Spain stands in the rear with uplifted dagger about to stab Cuba. At the right were marshalled troops ready to depart.

The pageant was given under the direction of Madam Alline Emily Arcan, whose life long connection with dancing in Europe made it possible to give such a grand production with so little rehearsal. Of all the many and varied pageants she has directed, she informs the Ledger this was one of her best.

Mr. Emery L. Crane who is always the right man in the right place in all local amateur productions, rendered valuable help as stage manager, as everything went by very smoothly.

The Ledger would be pleased to give individual praise to all who took part, for all did finely, but realizes that the task is too great, and time too limited.

A great amount of the success belongs to Miss Annie Lincoln Prescott, but she was very ably assisted by Mrs. A. H. Gilson and Miss Mary L. Hinkley of the committee of arrangements, who are grateful to the many who have so kindly given of their time and influence.

The souvenir programme which will long be prized was the work of Mrs. George T. Magee and Miss Prescott.

The committee are grateful to Mrs. Horace F. Spear who has been the pianist at all the rehearsals, and to Mr. Loud and the cornetist who assisted at the production. Mrs. Spear played beautifully.

The ushers for the evening were: Mr. Moreton T. Swallow, Mr. James S. Whiting, Mr. George B. Dewson, Mr. Harry L. Rice, Mr. William S. Osborne, Mr. George F. Hardwick, Mr. William B. Cannon and Mr. Frank Walsh.

The costumes were elegant and appropriate. They were from the well known costumers, George P. Raymond of Boylston place, Boston. Charles A. Garey of Boston furnished the wigs and made up those who participated in the pageant. Rothe of Boston also furnished wigs.

There is some talk of repeating the pagant for the benefit of the Quincy City Hospital.

New Pupils.

Massachusetts Fields school,—Arthur Harold Axburg, Margaret Agnes Landers, Catherine Poland, Ambrose Mullany, Louisa Thurlow Olpene, Leslie Stoddard, Marie Monica Lavery, Mary Callister Barton, Vernon Dexter Kennedy, Dorothy Leonard Bowles, George Arthur Holdsworth, Katherena Scott, Francis Elizabeth Lavelle.

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DIED.

PARKER—In Quincy, April 13, Thomas E. Parker, aged 17 years and 2 months.

MATHEWS—In Atlantic, April 14, Mr. Benjamin D. Mathews, aged 61 years.

FOSTER—In Braintree, April 12, Harry B. Foster, aged 23 years and 11 months.

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Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

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Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 7 Granite street.
House, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, No. 8 Canal street.
Upper tenement, 4 rooms, No. 59 North St.
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Tenement, 3 rooms with stable, 28 Howard St.
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Quincy, March 15. 1m

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Quincy, April 7. 12t



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March 1. 3m

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PROPOSES TO ACT PROMPTLY.

Continued from page 1.

For more than five house efforts were made in the house committee on foreign affairs to secure unanimous action, but in the end the division of the committee on party lines prevailed and the resolution of the majority was passed after one of the most exciting episodes that have been witnessed in the house since the 51st congress. Party feeling ran high, and, as forshadowed by the action of the committee, party lines were sharply drawn, resulting in a scene which became personal and disgraceful. The members of the committee were inclined to support an unanimous report even if it did not wholly meet their views, but after a long conference with the leaders of the minority, who counseled standing on the ground which the Democratic party had assumed during this congress, it was decided by the Democrats to favor a direct recognition of the insurgents as the government of Cuba. Their representatives on the committee on foreign relations reported: "We urge the unequivocal recognition of the independence of the Cuban republic, because the Cuban patriots merit such recognition by their valor and prowess in arms; because recognition is the plain, honest, courageous, manly course, and will remove from the minds of all men any suspicion that we are preparing to wage a war of conquest and to annex the island from sordid greed or the beginning of a policy of imperial aggrandizement. We urge the recognition of the existing government because under international law only an existing government can be recognized; and because by recognizing the present republic we lift from the minds of the Cuban patriots the fear that we will force upon them a government which they do not want. We urge it because without such recognition, in the event of war with Spain and the American republic, it would be a war against Cuba also, for until the recognition of her independence she is, in the contemplation of international law, still a part of Spain."

Mr. Bailey sought to ask that the minority resolution be read, but the speaker insisted that if objection was to be made it must be made then.

"The chair is determined to try to force the minority," cried Mr. Bailey amid much confusion and cries of "Regular order." Then Mr. Bailey entered his objections in emphatic tones. The whole Democratic side rose en masse. "They are simply playing for political advantage and the people of the country ought to know it," shouted Mr. Richardson (Dem., Tenn.).

"There is a perfect understanding with the Democratic members of the foreign affairs committee on this point," replied Mr. Henderson.

"That is not true, if we are to understand that any such arrangement as this was agreed to," retorted Mr. Richardson.

At this juncture occurred the sensational climax of the day and one of the most exciting incidents in the history of the house. Members all about were in a state of frenzied excitement. Partisan passion was running high. It required only the application of a match to explode the magazine and when the explosion came pandemonium reigned.

Order was finally restored and later the fighting members found that the altercation had risen out of a misunderstanding, upon which there were mutual apologies. Later in the proceedings the speaker was obliged to call upon the sergeant-at-arms with his silver mace, the emblem of the house's authority, to seat Mr. Johnson of Indiana, who was indignantly remonstrating against what he termed the "unnecessary war into which the country was being plunged."

Only 40 minutes were given for debate. The minority resolutions were voted down, 147-190, but they secured the votes of three Republicans. Some stirring and patriotic sentiments were voiced in the debate, which lifted the galleries and members to a high pitch of enthusiasm. Mr. Adams, acting as chairman of the foreign affairs committee, and Mr. Dinsmore were the only members who had an opportunity to speak directly to the resolutions, but General Henderson of Iowa, Mr. Bailey of Texas and Mr. McMillan of Tennessee each made speeches upon the special order.

The resolutions, which were adopted with only 19 negatives, direct the president to intervene at once in Cuba to restore peace, and secure to the people of this island "a stable and independent government of their own," and authorizes him to use the army and navy to execute the purpose of the resolutions.

Position of the Spanish.

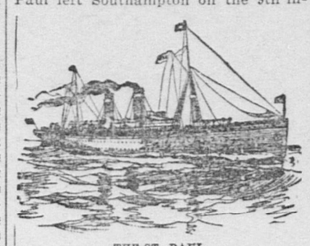
London, April 14.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "Lieutenant General Correa, minister of war, and Count Xiquena, minister of public works, both told me this afternoon that the government was firmly reserved to repel every attack, direct or indirect, on the sovereignty of Spain in Cuba. They said also that they were sure this line of conduct on the part of Spain would certainly be supported by the European powers, more especially because the negotiations were based on an acknowledgment of Spanish sovereignty in Cuba.

"They told me that the conduct of Spain would be adjusted to that of the United States, and that in face of the fact of the continuance of military and naval preparatons in the United States Spain was fully justified in carrying out her preparations.

"Finally one of the ministers said to me: 'Our resolution at the cabinet council was taken unanimously, and we shall maintain it with all the necessary energy.'"

Ocean Greyhounds Bought.

Washington, April 14.—In the war and navy departments everything tends to indicate the general belief that hostilities with Spain will not be postponed many days. Probably the most significant action at the navy department is the purchase of the ocean greyhounds, St. Paul and St. Louis of the American line. The amount paid for them is known to be about $5,000,000. The St. Paul left Southampton on the 9th instant and is due in New York on the 15th. The St. Louis is at the English port, and the date of her return is not stated. The will be sent to the yard where they were constructed to be fitted out as auxiliary cruisers. With rush work the vessels will be in readiness for service in about 30 days. Captain Sigsbee of the Maine, and Captain Goodrich, president of the naval war college, have been practically agreed upon by the navy department as the two officers to take command of the St. Louis and St. Paul.



THE ST. PAUL.

Removed the Mask.

Madrid, April 14.—The Herald says: "The message has removed the mask America has worn too long. It closes all diplomatic action, leaving Spain face to face with her true enemy, the author of war, who has taken advantage of the honesty of Spanish diplomats, despising Spain as Napoleon despised her, and to pay dearly for the blunder as Napoleon did for his. The people's judgment of the situation has been more just than the government's, and hence have come some of the public demonstrations in the streets. It is to be hoped, however, that the people will not weaken the hands which hold the reins at the present critical moment. Only two courses are open: Either to close Spain's history in the new world, fleeing ignominiously before the boots of Washington politicans; or to leave to arms the decision of the quarrel. Last night's official note leads to the belief that the government favors the latter alternative, which is in harmony with the national sentiment."

An Energetic Policy.

London, April 14.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Telegraph describes "the position of the cabinet as exceedingly difficult between the dangers of foreign and civil war, either of which may be precipitated by a simple error. Public feeling in favor of an armistice policy is uncommonly strong and would probably sweep away all opposition if parliament assembled as was expected. The cabinet is quite prepared to continue its pacific policy despite the opposition if such a line of action were certain of success."

Trust In Spanish Promises.

Paris, April 14.—The Cubans living here counsel General Gomez to learn from the experience of the past to place no trust in Spanish promises, but to refuse the armistice and to demand that Spain completely evacuate Cuba. The French papers which support the Cuban cause demand, if Spain is sincere, why she does not liberate the prisoners in the dungeons of Ceuta, Cartagena and Valladolid. Mr. Rochefort, editor of The Intransigeant, who is intimate with the Paris Cubans, declares that a conflict is inevitable and warns France not to expose herself to a risk which would be more disastrous than in 1870. Any action of a European power, he says, would breed an Anglo-American alliance against Russia and France.

Anguish of the Pontiff.

Rome, April 14.—The pope is exceedingly upset by the latest developments of the Hispano-American question, which seems turning in a way he had tried to avert. Wednesday morning, having said mass in the Sistine chapel, he turned to those around him and exclaimed: "I have prayed God with the whole force of my being and with the deepest fervor to avert this sad war and not to allow my pontificate to end in the smoke of battle. Otherwise I have implored the Almighty to take me to himself that I may not behold such a sight."

Those present say that the aged pontiff spoke with such emotion that his words deeply touched all. After mass the pope and Cardinal Rampolla conferred together for an hour, and then were joined by the Spanish ambassador, who was the bearer of warlike news.

To Sieze Spanish Cargoes.

New York, April 14.—It has been estimated by a Wall street syndicate, organized for privateering, that, in regard to the fleet which goes through the straits of Malacca, the capturing of one merchantman would pay the entire cost of the outfit of one privateer. Many persons, formerly in the service of the United States navy, have been engaged, and ships have been selected, and, where they are not already owned by parties in the syndicate, have been placed under option. No difficulty has been found in getting crews for these vessels, for a good man was selected to recruit them. He was doubtful about how far he could go until a copy of the revised statutes was shown him. It contains a clause guaranteeing to the crew of a privateer one-half of the value of the capture. It is not left to a court of admiralty, but is a law. Therefore enlistment for the big fleet of privateers which, at the first declaration of actual war will sail out of the harbor of New York, has been practically engaged.

Internal Revolution Feared.

Island of St. Thomas, W. I., April 14.—According to advices from Porto Rico, the unrest on the island continues, public order is not preserved, business is at a standstill and an internal revolution is feared.

Arrivals here today from San Juan report that on the 27th of last month street fights and serious rioting followed the election. The polls were raided and the military finally intervened, killing two and wounding 20. At Cary 200 political arrests were made, including well-known newspaper men.

Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastelike the finest coffee, but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about one-fourth as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ontario millers have notified their Halifax agents to hold stocks of flour for anticipated war prices.

Richard G. Lilley of Natick, Mass., 65 years of age, a veteran of the civil war, committed suicide by shooting.

Fred Purcell, 7 years old, was drowned in Haverhill, Mass., yesterday. He jumped from a boat which a companion had pushed from the shore.

Amanda Joseph was sentenced in Augusta, Me., to six months in the county jail for the killing of her newly born infant under mitigating circumstances.

Advices from Carthegena confirm the report that the United States consul and the United States vice consul at that port, both of whom are natives of Spain, have resigned.

It is stated that the Second Leinster batallion will go from Halifax to Ireland instead of Jamaica. The First Leinsters, which are coming from Ireland, will be recruited in Canada.

Mullen, the Irish champion, and G. B. Tincler, the English long distance runner, ran four miles for the championship of Ireland. Mullen won a grand race by six yards in 21 minutes 10⅘ seconds.

The Yale-Harvard-Cornell varsity boat race has been definitely fixed for Saturday, June 25, and the freshmen class races of the same universities for Friday, June 24. The dates are unusual in that they come a week earlier than heretofore and also at the end of the week.

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Quincy, March 23. 1m

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, APRIL 15.

Sun rises—5:03; sets, 6:26.

Moon rises—2:18 a. m.

High tide—6:15 a. m.; 7 p. m.

The foul weather will pass to the northward today and tonight, and fair and clearing weather is indicated for southern New England by Friday noon and in northern sections in the afternoon and night. Probably fair Saturday; somewhat cooler. Easterly, shifting to westerly, winds.

Quarreled About Money.

North Adams, Mass., April 13.—During a quarrel about money yesterday Edward Bamford, 52, fatally shot his wife, Rebecca, 44, and then shot himself fatally, it is believed, at their home.

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Quincy, March 30. 1m

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Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

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April 4. lp tf

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Feb. 14. 1y

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On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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RECOGNITION OPPOSED VIGOROUSLY.

The President Thinks It Would Be Highly Impolitic.

Hopes Senators Will Accept House Resolution.

Does Not Wish to Shut Out All Hopes of a Peaceful Ending of the Trouble.

New Parliament of Spain Summoned to Meet Week Earlier Than Had Been Originally Fixed—Eventualities to Force That Nation to Issue Another Appeal to the Powers For Moral Assistance—Evidence That They Have Taken the Initiatory Steps of Their Volition.

Washington, April 15.—President McKinley is opposing the recognition of the Cuban republic vigorously, and has said he would like to veto it if it was sent to him by congress, but he has not determined to do this. Congress believes that he would not do so in the teeth of its action, even though the majority of his party in both houses opposed it.

He is desirous that the senate shall adopt the house resolution, which does not absolutely shut the door on peace, because of its language rather than because of its contents. This is due to new intimations received from the representatives of the great powers here that they still hoped to persuade Spain to yield, and at the same time that they would lose much, if not all, of their sympathy with the United States if it should not only go ahead with its program of armed intervention hastily, but should add to that the recognition of the Cuban republic in advance.

President McKinley, quick to seize any idea of a peaceful settlement, and equally quick to appreciate every suggestion coming from the great powers in this crisis, told several senators that he did not want to shut out all hope of keeping the peace by approving the Foraker resolution in either of its forms, and that he hoped the house resolution would be adopted, because its language was not so undiplomatic, although its mandate was equally imperative with that of the resolutions reported by the committee on foreign relations. He spoke strongly against the recognition of the Cuban republic, saying that he did not see how it could be made, in the face of the arguments presented against it, or how congress could attempt to force his hand in what was strictly an executive function; but he did not say that he would veto it, although he did say that it ought not to become a law, and left the impression that he would not approve it hurriedly if it came to him in the congressional resolution.

The senators assured him that they did not believe the senate would act hastily, or that it would agree to the recognition of the Cuban republic, but that they believed the speech-making would carry the matter over until next week, and that there was a fair prospect of the action of the house being ratified.

SENATORIAL RESPONSIBILITY.

Momentous Question of Peace or War Hinges on Senate's Action.

Washington, April 15.—The attention of the civilized world is focussed upon the senate of the United States. Upon its action probably depends the momentous question of war between this country and Spain. The action of the house in adopting resolutions looking to armed intervention in the Cuban rebellion transferred the center of interest and action from one wing of the capitol to the other. Upon the senate therefore, as was iterated and reiterated on the floor yesterday, rests the responsibility for delay or action.

For more than six hours the senate had the resolutions proposed by the committee on foreign relations under consideration. The speeches delivered upon the various phases of the situation, eloquent, spirited and vehement as all of them were, disclosed no irreconcilable differences among those who spoke. All were in favor of action of some kind by the government of the United States. The most radical difference was as to whether the resolutions finally adopted should recognize the independence of the Cuban republic, or simply declare for armed intervention with a view to the ultimate freedom and independence of the Cuban people.

The speakers were accorded the most profound attention both by senators on the floor and by the throngs in the galleries. Among those who listened to a part of the debate were Sir Julian Pauncefote and a considerable number of the diplomatic corps, Speaker Reed, Justice Harlan of the supreme court and W. J. Bryan. The speeches were interspersed with sharp and spirited colloquies, some of which caused intense excitement in the galleries. Many times the applause both on the floor and in the galleries was tumultuous, the vice president being obliged more than once to warn spectators that no demonstrations, under the rules, were to be permitted.

Mr. Turner spoke without notes, and with great deliberation. He made a bitter attack upon the president for pursuing "a weak and puerile course, full of evasion and equivocation and having for its object the binding of the American people and the muzzling of the American congress." He charged that the Maine report was held back at the suggestion of the president, in order that the delay might be utilized in further dickering and dealing with Spain. Congress has been cajoled with iridescent and evanescent promises that have not yet been made good. European capitalists have chuckled at our delay and indefinite policy, and the pope declares to the queen regent that "the president has been placed in a position where it is difficult for him to decide what course to pursue."



GEORGE TURNER.

Senator Hoar could not join in the criticism of the president, who, he emphasized, represented the American people. "I approve what he has done and said," continued Mr. Hoar, "and what he has not said and done. I like his holding back for a peaceful solution so long as there was a thought that peace could be had with honor. Do you think, when you criticise this brave American soldier's love of peace, what war is and who suffer by it? The persons who suffer by modern wars are not the men who provoke them. Every modern war is a burden upon the poor man, while the glory is reaped by a few officers and stock jobbers."

He admitted that the insurgents were entitled to American sympathy. "Our hearts are stirred," said he, "by their noble struggle for freedom." At the same time, the insurgents were not altogether without blame for the system of warfare practised in Cuba. He quoted Clara Barton in support of this statement, paying her a high compliment. He did not, however, think that the action of the Cubans should prevent the United States from intervening. He appealed to the senators not to be divided on any technical question or to make partisan political capital out of the situation. He said that it was perfectly right to expel Spain from the island. "With this," he said, "we are all agreed. Peace can only come with the expulsion of Spain from Cuba." This being the case, he added, he was perfectly willing to give the president power to intervene at any time when circumstances rendered it necessary. It was within the constitutional right of congress to delegate this right to the president. He thought that the house resolutions were admirable, but that whatever congress might do, "all other things will be added to us by the inexorable and inevitable logic of events."



SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR.

Mr. Davis asked that a vote be taken before adjournment. To this objection was also made. Mr. Caffery said that no good interests could be subserved by hasty action. There could be no relief that would be substantial given to the reconcentrados, who were the worst sufferers by the Cuban struggle.

"Those poor people," interjected Mr. Morgan, "are now dying at the rate of 1000 a day, while we are inactive."

Mr. Frye said: "I will tell the senator from Louisiana (Mr. Caffery) what relief can be given to the reconcentrados. The pathways from the United States to Cuba will be opened by our ships of war and, following in those pathways, will go the vessels of peace, loaded with food and provisions for the starving people of Cuba which will be distributed among them for their relief instantly upon a landing on the island."

Mr. Carter said: "The country requires that we act and not talk on this matter."

When the senate adjourned Senator Davis, in charge of the resolution, repeated his intention to ask the senate to sit continuously unless an agreement to fix a time for a vote can be secured. "I see no other way of bringing the matter to an issue," he said. "I do not enjoy night sessions any more than other senators, but I appreciate the importance of getting the speeches off and of securing a vote at the earliest possible hour."

Anxious as Senator Davis and others of his mind are for a speedy vote, the indications are for considerable delay. The vice president already has received requests from about 20 senators for recognition to speak and others are expected to make similar application. All these insist that they have no intention of speaking for the purpose of causing delay, but nevertheless they will consume many hours of time. It would seem now that even in case of continuous session a vote would not be probable before tomorrow.

All day long conferences of senators were held looking to a possible agreement upon the form of resolution to be sent to the president. Great efforts were made for the house resolution, which was known to have been satisfactory to the president and which was supported by the conservative senators. It is not believed that the house resolution can pass the senate, and the prospects are that the committee resolution will have an amendment recognizing the republic of Cuba before it is passed, the friends of recognition claiming a clear majority for it. The conservative senators believe the house proposition will win in conference, the impression being that the house will refuse to yield and, in order to prevent further delay, the friends of Cuba in the senate will accept the house proposition.

Mr. Fairbanks declared that Spain must make amends for the blowing up of the Maine. He hoped to see the independence of Cuba secured, but he was not prepared at present to favor the recognition of the independence of the so called republic. The first imperative duty resting upon us was to establish tranquility in the island, relieve the suffering and distressed, and then enable the citizens of the island to deliberate and form a government upon such lines as their highest and best interests required. In conclusion, Mr. Fairbanks said: "The Spanish flag must be withdrawn and cease forever to contaminate the air of this hemisphere. To the high and holy cause of humanity we dedicate the lives and fortune of the republic."

Within a few minutes of adjournment a genuine sensation was created by the efforts of the vice president to subdue the applause induced by the effort made to prolong the session until a vote could be taken. Vice President Hobart directly addressed the galleries and ordered that the applause should cease

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Good Afternoon.

What Brookline expends for this or that department is often cited as an example for Quincy, but the per capita valuation of Brookline is very large and its appropriations this year amounts to $908,736. So long as Quincy is limited by law to a little over $200,000 we can hardly do as well as our rich neighbor

"The issue is now with the Congress. It is a solemn responsibility. I have exhausted every effort to relieve the intolerable condition of affairs which is at our doors. Prepared to execute every obligation imposed upon me by the Constitution and the law, I await your action."—President McKinley to Congress on Cuban question April 11, 1898.

Now that the country is face to face with a war proposition it must be gratifying to the average citizen to know that its financial condition is highly satisfactory and to contrast it with "what might have been" had the free silver proposition carried in 1896 and the country been placed upon a silver basis. The money in circulation in the United States today is more than at any time in its entire history the April Treasury statement showing the total to be $1,756,058,645, while the gold in circulation is also greater than in any previous report, being $582,129,742. And all this in the face of the assertion made by the Chicago Convention twenty-one months ago that the money of the country could not materially increase without free coinage of silver. In these twenty-one months the increase in money in circulation has been over $246,000,000, while the increase in gold alone has been over $125,000,000.

☞ Give Mackedon, the tailor, a trial for your spring suit. He will surprise you in good workmanship and low prices, something we haven't had in Quincy for years.

☞ Furniture Reupholstered. Mattresses made over. Careful, experienced men only. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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Quincy, April 14. 3t

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Administratrix's Sale

At Auction of the

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Of the late JONATHAN BAXTER, at late residence, 162 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1898, AT 1.30 P.M.

THE Goods consist in part as follows: 2 Woolen Carpets, Stair Carpet, Straw Matting, Rugs, Oil Cloth, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, 2 Rockers, Parlor Table, Parlor Stove, Air Tight Stove, two Cylinder Stoves, one Chamber Set, Single Bedstead, one Mahogony Bureau, two odd Bureaus, Hair Cloth Sofa, Sick Chair, Range, small lot of Crockery and Tin ware, Oak Extension Table and 4 Chairs, Oil Stove, lot of Tools, lot of Lasts, Step Ladder, Ladders, Wheelbarrow and a variety of Goods. Sale positive, goods to be removed day following sale. Terms Cash.

Per order,
EMMA F. BAXTER,
Administratrix.

April 15—3t 15, 18, 20

REBEKAH FAIR.

Attractive Tables and Fine Entertainment at Wollaston.

The fair and entertainment given under the auspices of the Carrie E. Ruggles Rebekah lodge of Wollaston was opened on Thursday afternoon at Odd Fellows hall with a large attendance.

Mrs. Edward E. Hoxie is the chairman and she is ably assisted by Mrs. N. S. Sanford and Mrs. Theodore C. Gram at the apron table; Mrs. H. A. Corbett, Mrs. John G. Thomas and Mrs. Fred H. Coombs at the fancy table; Mrs. Wardwell at the flower and lemonade booth which was elaborately decorated with the American flags and a large picture of the Maine; Mrs. Longhead and Mrs. Edward L. Mitchell at the candy table; Jessie Ray and Mabel Loughead at the peanut table; and Nettie Gram and Arra Williams at the children's table.

The tables looked very attractive in their decoration of crepe paper.

The supper, which was a turkey one with all the fixings, was served in the banquet hall at 6.30 o'clock. It was in charge of Mrs. David Brown, Jr., Mrs. Charles B. Huston, Mrs. Edward E. Hoxie and Mrs. Linton.

Besides all of this array of good things there was a most excellent entertainment. Miss Carol Louise Colgrove of the Emerson School Oratory of Boston, read two selections, which were received with enthusiastic approval by the large audience. Miss Colgrove's manner showed cultivation, together with great breadth of expression and marked force. She also gave the wand drill.

Mr. James Rose of West Quincy danced the sailor's hornpipe and also a clog dance, Miss Page gave with great sweetness a vocal solo, Miss Eva Hunter rendered a piano solo, and Miss Myra Brown gave a very pretty song.

Davidson Arrested.

The Transcript reports that Joseph Davidson, thirty-three years old living at 33 Barton street was arrested Wednesday evening by the West End police on warrants charging him with securing property valued at $868 by means of false pretences from the Quincy Shoe Company, of 105 Summer street, and W. & D. Freedman wholesale dealers in small wares at 90 Canal street. About $300 worth of the property was recovered in his room and another room at 26 Lowell street. It is alleged that Davidson secured the property on the pretence that he was going to fit up a store. Instead of doing so it is alleged that he disposed of all except that which was found in the rooms last night.

Memorial Flags.

Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., has adopted a new idea in connection with the burial of comrades. The custom has been to place a wreath upon the casket but hereafter the wreath will be replaced by a silk flag whose dimensions are about 36 by 40 inches upon which there appears in gold letters the words: "In Memorium Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R."

After the services the flag is retained by the family of the departed. This new method has been adopted by several Posts and is considered much more appropriate than wreaths.

Larceny.

C. W. Larrabee's drug store at Atlantic was broken into about 1 o'clock last night by cutting a hole in the window; the thieves stole a new bicycle. Mr. Larrabee sleeps in the store and heard the noise and got up in time to see them running away. The police was standing on the bridge and also heard the noise of the glass when smashed.

—Henry B. Pierce of Abington for fifteen years secretary of the commonwealth, died Thursday.

☞ Glenwood Ranges alone, give universal satisfaction. $18 to $33. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The Sewer Commissioners met Thursday evening and transacted routine business.

The Water Commissioners met Thursday evening. Only routine business was transacted.

A Pleasant Anniversary.

Life is divided into periods, and one of these have passed in the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Hayden of Howard avenue. On Wednesday evening they found they had been travelling life's rugged road together as man and wife for twenty-five years, sharing one another's joys and sorrows.

As Mr. Hayden has been in delicate health for some years, he was regretting to a friend who happened to call, that he could not make some suitable recognition of the anniversary. While these regrets were being made, suddenly there was an alarm heard at the door, and upon the door being opened in trooped neighbors and friends until the house was full.

The worthy couple began to contemplate flight, thinking that a Spanish man-of-war had taken Quincy, but when the wraps were laid aside and they recognized friends from Boston, Weymouth, Wollaston Braintree and Quincy, they concluded to stay.

After they had mastered their emotion at such a surprise, they enjoyed a very pleasant evening, and were the recipient of many valuable presents such as a beautiful French parlor clock, hall lamp, silver ware, a plate full of Uncle Sam's needful and many others things too numerous to mention.

After the invaders had enjoyed and refreshed themselves to their full desire they departed wishing the host and hostess long life and many happy returns of the day. Some looked as if they wished it was their turn next. So man's regrets are sometimes dispelled and turned to joy without asking his consent or help

Pumpkinsville Band.

There was a decided novelty at Faxon hall Thursday evening when the peddlers had a parade and an entertainment was given by the Pumpkinsville band of Randolph. It was held under the auspices of Paul Revere W. R. C. and there was quite a large gathering.

The ladies in parade which was quite a novelty, dressed according to their representation and sold sandwiches, oranges, bananas, apples, candy, corn balls, down easters, holders, aprons, pins, soap, ice cream, cake, coffee, fried potatoes, salted peanuts, tarts, dolls, peanuts, flowers, doughnuts, cookies, hokey pokey cart, etc.

The band is composed of sixteen ladies and their entertainment was unique and greatly enjoyed by all, and was repeatedly encored.

Dancing was enjoyed from 10 until 12. Great credit is due the committee for the success of he evening.

SQUANTUM PARK.

About 30 Acres of the Most Beautiful

Building Land,

Right on the shore of Dorchester Bay, is now being laid out into House Lots, and will soon be offered to the public. This land will be sold to intending purchasers

On Patriots' Day,

APRIL 19th.

☞ The grand Opening Sale will be announced later.

ELECTRIC CARS

will be run every hour from Atlantic to Squantum Park on April 19, connecting with express trains from Boston at half-past the hour.

A LARGE NEW INN

For Dinners will be opened under first-class management early in the season on their property, which is at the terminus of the electric cars at Squantum Park.

☞ For choice of Lots see plans at the office of

N. V. TITUS,

Room 851, Tremont Building, Boston.

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MILTON.

The annual meeting of the East Milton Congregational church parish was held Monday evening and these officers elected:

Moderator O. A. Andrews; clerk, W. D. Parsons; treasurer, F. M. Hamlin; parish committee, W. C. Shapleigh, J. E. Whitcomb, Frank Kemp; finance committee and collector J. B. Baxter, A. E. Brackett, G. F. Kemp, Harry Elden, W. H. Carter.

The parish committee was instructed to secure the services of the present pastor, Rev. A. S. Gilbert, for another year at the present salary.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' sewing circle connected with the Congregational church of East Milton was held in the parlors of Mrs. A. Huckins on Wednesday afternoon, and was very fully attended. It was a universal and spontaneous tribute of respect and love to Mrs. Vance Smith the retiring president, who is soon to take up her residence in Ohio.

The entertainment was opened by remarks and a selection from Dickens, by Mrs. I. F. Baxter, the past-president, followed by a piano solo by Miss Josephine Babcock; a character sketch by Mrs. H. W. Varney, and an original poem by Mrs. O. A. Andrews.

Mrs. F. M. Hamlin, in behalf of the society, then surprised Mrs. Smith by making her the recipient of a beautiful silver present. A farewell original song composed for the occasion by Miss E. F. Frye was sung by the company. An adjournment to the dining room revealed a bountiful collation which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Mingled with regrets for her departure were many expressions of wishes for her future prosperity and happiness in her new home.

Easter services at the Congregational church were observed in an appropriate manner last Sunday. The church about the pulpit and platform was decorated with palms, potted plants and Easter lilies and looked very handsome. In the morning the pastor preached an elegant sermon and there was some good Easter music by the choir, under the direction of Mr. J. E. Gutterson. In the evening there was an Easter concert by the Sunday school. Both services were very largely attended. Music at this church has become a feature the choral society under Mr Gutterson's direction, rendering fine music at all of the services.

Prize Speaking Tonight.

Henry H. Faxon and Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., contribute the prizes tonight at the prize speaking of the Quincy High school. The former for the declamations, and the later for the essays and translations. The prizes are given in books and the value of the first prize for declamation will be $15; second $12; third $10; fourth, $8; fifth, $5. The prizes offered by Dr. Sheahan aggregate $39 and are for English essays and translations from Greek, Latin, French and German. The order of speaking has been assigned by lot. As usual the capacity of the large hall of the school building will be fully tested, for these prize speakings. are very popular with pupils and friends of the schools, and those of the past have netted about $300.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

A cold storm.

Clearing tonight.

The tide this morning was very high.

Fine, warmer weather is predicted for Sunday.

Mr. John R. Graham is having his residence painted.

L. M. Pratt & Co. advertise a big offer for Saturday. See what $2 will buy.

Quincy officers have been attending the superior court at Dedham this week.

City Auditor John O. Hall is confined to his home with an attack of illness.

Miss Mary Marden teacher of the Washington school was appointed teacher April 1874.

Peabody will unveil a tablet on Patriots' day, and a paper on John Hancock will be one of the features.

Auctioneer Johnson will sell the household goods of the late Jonathan Baxter on Thursday afternoon April 21.

The rumor that a Spanish torpedo boat was seen this morning off the entrance to Blacks Creek is without foundation.

George Ames, the plumber, is very busy, his contracts including plumbing and heating of the forty room hotel at Houghs Neck.

That stone ledge on South street is fast disappearing and this work will straighten the street and make a good sidewalk also.

The subject for the evening service at the Methodist church, Atlantic, will be upon Spain, and will be illustrated by the stereopticon.

Mrs. Jonathan Baxter, of Washington street, is going to break up housekeeping and let her residence. She is to reside with friends.

Exercises in observance of Patriots' day will be held in the two upper grades of the Coddington school at 2 P. M. on Monday next.

An inquest was held before Judge Humphrey this morning on the death of Lewis Merchant who was killed on the cars at Atlantic April 8.

Considerable complaint is made of the manner in which the sewer department are flooding the crosswalks near the fountain it being almost impossible to cross without wetting the feet.

Tomorrow evening at Music hall Homer's Comedians give their laughable entertainment at popular prices. This evening Col. Robert G. Ingersoll gives his new lecture "Why I am an Agnostic."

The Tubular Rivet and Stud Athletic Association will open the base ball season on the morning of Patriots' day with a game at Merrymount park with the Y. M. C. A. of Roxbury. Game at 9.30.

Today's Ledger is rather crowded with advertising, but tomorrow an eight-page paper will be issed with the regular Saturday features including social realm, story, Sunday services, fashion, plate, etc., etc.

The funeral of Thomas Parker, the victim of the unfortunate accident at the Old Colony Shoe manufactory, was held this morning from St. John's church, and was largely attended, many of his shopmates being among those present.

Lawrence P. Hastings, the young man who attempted to steal a diamond from a clerk in the store of T. L. Williams some weeks ago, was sentenced to six months in the house of correction at the superior court on Thursday.

Can any electrician explain to us the cause of the trolley wheel leaving the wire so often on the elcetric cars. Coming from the Point this morning, one trolley left the wire no less than a dozen times and the conductor was kept busy pulling the string.

A meeting of the Republican City Committee has been called for Saturday night to fill vacancies caused by the resignations of President Hammond, Secretary Cleaves and probably Treasurer Holt, these gentlemen now holding public offices.

The members of Hose 4 at Quincy Point held an informal social Wednesday night. Chief Packard and several of the assistant engineers were present and were entertained by Assistant Enginneer Hardwick's phonograph. Ice cream and cake were served and the evening proved to be a very enjoyable one to all present.

The larger boys seem to be doing considerable mischief of late at Atlantic. It is no surprise to come out early any morning and find the front lawns and verandas laden with tin cans and large stones. If they are caught they will be severely punished. Many complaints have been made against them.

PAST REDEMPTION.

Music Hall,

QUINCY,

PATRIOTS' NIGHT,

APRIL 19, at 8 o'clock.

Quincy, April 11. 7t

HOW CHEAP GROCERIES ARE!

It is surprising to some to realize what a difference there is in the cost of living now and what it cost a few years ago, but it is a fact that some dealers do not seem to know that goods can be bought and sold for cash at a price that to some appears ridiculous.

WE WANT CASH TRADE.

COMMENCE SATURDAY, APRIL 16 AND GIVE US YOURS.

Fancy Creamery Butter,	25c. lb.	Leg Lamb,	12 1-2c lb.
Good " "	20c. lb.	Fresh Pork,	8c. lb.
Fresh Western Eggs,	12c. doz.	Chickens,	12 1-2c. lb.
Very Best Coffee, M. & J.,	30c. lb.	Spinach,	15c. pk.
		Dandelions,	25c. "
Perfection Flour,	$6.00 bbl.	Kail,	10c. "
Rolled Oats,	7 lbs. 25c.	Parched Oats,	10c. pkg.
Maple Syrup,	75c. can.	Seeded Raisins,	3 pkgs. 25c.
Graham Crackers,	2 lbs. 25c.	Large 4 Crown,	10c. lb.
Lunch "	4 lbs. 25c.	Burnham Beef, Wine & Iron,	30c.
Common "	5 lbs. 25c.	Cheese,	10c. lb.

SPECIAL TRADE FOR SATURDAY FOR $2.00 CASH.

10 lbs. Gran. Sugar,	$ .30
2 lbs. Common Crackers,	.10
1-2 lb. Best M. & J. Coffee,	.15
1 lb. Best Prunes, 40s,	.10
2 Cans Sardines, (large size,)	.15
2 " Best Corn,	.22
1 bottle Blue Label Catsup,	.23
2 Gallon-Can Apples,	.50
3 Cans Apricots,	.25
	$2.00

THE ABOVE LOT WILL BE DELIVERED FOR $2.00 C.O.D.

NO STAMPS OR COUPONS.

Take advantage of these prices and get all you can for the money. Orders can be sent by mail or telephone.

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April 15. 2t



ABOVE ALL.

Our LADIES' SHOES are above the slightest suspicion of wrong in quality, style and price. OUR GOODS are well within the reach of the most economical purse.

We can save you 25 cents on the dollar for the very latest styles in

BICYCLE BOOTS.

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SPECIAL SALE!

LAST CALL THIS SEASON.

BLANKETS from 39c. to $7.00 per pair.

COMFORTERS from 39c. to $4.00.

Come Early and get the best Bargains.

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HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

"WAR DECLARED."



Not by the United States with Spain, but by the Quincy Clothing Co. against High Prices. The rents in Boston are enormous, $5,000 to $25,000 a year. The expense of doing business is correspondingly high.

Here we are, the Quincy Clothing Co. Rent, $12 a week. Ample capital. Credit high. Young, energetic clothing men, brought up in the business, full of new ideas. A store full of new goods, right goods, good goods. A buyer in the market every day, why are we not in the best position to have your trade? The Test of goods is Comparison. Any "wind jammer," even if he don't know cotton from wool or silk from linen, can write flaming advertisements claiming to underbuy and undersell every house on earth. That's dead easy; all it requires is a good lead pencil plenty of wind, and good big profits to pay the enormous expense. We own our goods for as little money as any concern in this country. We will not give them away, but the small expense we are under will enable us to sell them for a smaller per cent. profit than anyone we know of.

We mean to petition the next legislature, asking them to enact a law punishing dealers who misrepresent their goods in advertising. There is one which punishes a man who obtains money or other goods through false pretences, and there surely should be one punishing a merchant who obtains money from the honest working men by selling them goods which they have misrepresented in advertising.

Today the stonecutters of Quincy, receive their monthly pay, and there are many things in the clothing and furnishing line they will have to buy. Since last pay day there has opened a new store. Bring your money to them and buy your clothing. They want it. Bring it to this store where everything is guaranteed, where you are sure to save money; where you can get your money back if you want it.

Look at our goods before you go to Boston; and if you are bound to go to Boston, exact from the man you trade with the promise to return you your money if you can do better. Then bring your purchases to us and we will duplicate them for less money than you have paid.

We have All Wool Coverts made in the latest style for **$4.48.** They are not $10.00 coats, but we could mention some Boston concerns who are selling the same coat for $5.50 and who claim they are worth $10.00.

We have Nobby, Stylish Coverts at **$7.50.**

All Silk Lined Spring Top Coats at **$9.98.**

Foreign Venetians at **$12.00.**

Plaid Back Skeletons at **$14.75.**

Broad Brook Whipcords, sold everywhere for $20.00, at **$16.50.**

Neat, All Worsted Serges at **$5.85.** These were made to retail for $12.00, but did not sell, not being worth $12.00. They can not be equalled for $9.00.

Several patterns of All Wool Cheviots in Browns, Grays and Blue Serges **$7.50.**

Washington Milk Gray Clays, Blue Serges and Hair Lined Worsteds, **$9.85.**

Black Fast Clays with 22 inch trousers at **$10.00.**

Brown and Gray Scotches, with Silk Linings, **$12.50.**

75 Pair Men's Working Pants, All Wool, worth $2.50, at **$1.48.**

Nice Dress Pants in Worsteds and Cassimeres at **$2.50** and **$2.98.**

Fancy Vestee Suits for Children, All Wools with Double Seats and Knees, **$1.98.**

The little Magnets and Grind Stone Suits, at **$2.48,** and numerous others in all styles, **$2.98–$5.00.**

Stiff Hats in Blacks and Browns at **95c.** Hundreds in all Styles and Shades for **$1.40, $1.48, $1.98, $2.48, $2.90,** and the celebrated Guyer for **$3.00.**

Overalls, sold everywhere for 50c., at **39c.**

Fancy Bosom Shirts, claimed by some stores to be worth 75c., our price, **45c.**

Hundreds of White Shirts, **48c., 75c., 88c., 98c.**

Neckware that would make you talk for **24c.** The kind sold everywhere for 50c. and 75c. for **48c.**

The Famous Elite Suspender, **24c.**

Faultless Night Shirts, sold everywhere for 50c., our price **39c.**

Boys' Caps made from remnants of 75c. and $1.00 goods, **24c.**

Custom Pants for **3.25** to **7.00.**

Custom Suits for **12.00** to **25.00.**

Motormen's, Conductor's and Firemen's Uniforms, **9.75, 11.00, 13.00, 13.75** and **14.50** that we defy anyone to beat.

MONEY BACK IF YOU WANT IT.

QUINCY CLOTHING COMPANY,

QUINCY'S CLOTHIERS, - - - - MUSIC HALL BLOCK.

Bring this ad. and get 5 per cent. discount TUESDAY and SATURDAY only.

Bicycle Gossip

To ri'e a bicycle means the modern way of building brains and muscle. Mr. Pickwick used to say, "Always shout with the crowd, and when there are two crowds, shout with the largest.

His wisdom you can apply to the bicycle situation, for people everywhere are riding bicycles, and if you desire to be up to date, enlist at once in the bicycle army; this store is the recruiting office.

Then the wheel, above all things buy a bicycle of standard construction and unquestioned excellence.

America's choicest makes are here for your selection. Swell Daytons, they lead the procession this year; three point bearings tell the tale. Orient, Columbia, Victor, Rambler, Monarch and others come next.

The finest bicycle repair shop in the district. Skilled labor only.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

Bicycle Department,

TIRRELL'S BLOCK, HANCOCK ST., QUINCY.

GRAND EASTER

MILLINERY OPENING!

Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2.

You are cordially invited to an inspection of our assortment of Easter Hats and Imported French Novelties in Toques and Bonnets; also, of our own attractive styles in Hats, Bonnets and Turbans, of Straw, Lace and Jet.

E. B. COLLINS,

4 FAXON BLOCK, - - QUINCY.

March 26. 2w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of

LORETTA V. THOMAS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Theodore B. Thomas of Quincy, or to some other suitable person

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of May, A. D., 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

April 15. 3t-15-22-29



Savings Bank Building Quuicy,.

DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,

9 Spear Street, Quincy.

He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth.

Oct. 30. tf

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Easter services at Trinity church, Weymouth, were a great success and laregly attended. The special Easter music which was sung so well by the choir will be repeated at the service on Sunday.

Pilgrim circle, C. of F., of South Weymouth is holding its annual bazaar in Fogg's opera house. Mr. Fred H. Lord banjo, and Mr. Virgil Fuller, guitar, of Quincy, were among the artists.

Court Wessagussett, F. of A., are to have new regalia.

"Capt. Jack, or the Irish Outlaw," was given at the church of the Sacred Heart at Weymouth on Thursday evening with great success. In the cast were Miss Nellie McCarthy, Edward McGinty and Richard Gray of Quincy.

The Daily Ledger is for sale at the Old Colony depot in Boston after 3.30 each afternoon.

"The Mistakes of Moses."

The above subject will be considered by Mr. H. L. Hastings of Boston, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, on Sunday afternoon next, at 3.30 o'clock. Mr. Hastings is known the world over as the Anti-Infidel lecturer and draws a large audience whenever and wherever he appears. This meeting is for men only and all men are invited to attend the same.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the Civil session of the District court next Tuesday:

75 Carlson vs. Fallon et al.

76 Jenness vs. Fallon et al.

☞ Wall papers; delightful New York designs. Order left for painting, tinting and paper hanging, promptly attended to. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

MARRIED.

BERNASCONI—PIROVANO—In Quincy, April 14, at the residence of bride's parents on Brooks avenue, by Napoleon B. Furnald, Justice of the Peace, Mr. Angelo Bernasconi to Miss Gennie Pirovano.

SYLVADA—FLOOD—In Milton, April 13, at Baptist chapel, Scott's Woods, by Rev. W. H. Rogers, Mr. Ernest L. Sylvada to Miss Minnie G. Flood.

DIED.

AIKEN—In Hingham, April 13, Dr. E. W. Aiken, aged 70 years.

Sociable at Wollaston.

The last social of the season at the Wollaston Congergational church was given on Thursday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Benevolent society. There was a large attendance. A supper was served at seven o'oclock. After that there came an entertainment consisting of tableaux and a reading entitled "Chickens" by Miss Olive Shuman

The tableaux:

"Easter Greeting"—Caroline Lewis.

Hebe—Susie Dorety.

Water Lilies—Caroline Lewis.

Diana—Avice Williams.

The Three Fates—Three ladies.

First Easter Song—Mrs. John A. Barbour and Corrine Barbour.

Victoria—Alice Thompson.

Rock of Ages—Two ladies.

The committee on the supper consisted of Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. C. E. Finch, Jr., Mrs. A. L. Baker, Mrs. Eastman, Mrs. Charles H. Backus and Mrs. White.

Mrs. Howard W. Kingman and Mrs. J. F. Stevens were in charge of the entertainment.

Vesper Music.

There will be vespers at the Wollaston Unitarian church, 4 P. M., Sunday, the music being a ladies' quartette composed of Mrs. F. A. Page, Mrs. W. E. Rowe, Mrs. G. H. Collyer and Mrs. E. A. King, with Mrs. Amos Leavitt as organist.

Quartette—"The Lord is my Shepherd," Schubert

Trio—"Day is at last Departing," Raff

Quartette—"O Lord be Merciful," O. B. Brown

Duet—Mrs. Page and Mrs. King,

"Lift your glad voices," Marston

Quartette—"Their sun shall no more go down," Tuckerman

Some four years ago, in Teheran, an English sailor was caught in the act of carrying off some precious stones from the Shah's palace. The thief was brought before the "king of kings," who swore that the next time the sailor crossed his path, he would at once put him to death. It is a curious fact that this very sailor was crossing the street when the shah was driving in Berlin now some years ago, and was knocked down and instantaneously killed.

A chain bridge over the Merrimac river at Amesbury, Mass., is said to be the oldest suspension bridge in the United States. It was built in 1792.

There are nearly 30,000 trees on a 600-acre crab apple farm, said to be the largest in the world, near Leavenworth, Kan.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Bowers, the optician, has removed to the second floor of the Adams building over the post-office.

Hot turkey supper and sale, with patriotic entertainment, in Wollaston Unitarian vestry, on Tuesday, April 19, (Patriots' day.)

Two hundred extra copies of the Ledger were printed yesterday but the edition was none too large to supply the demand of those interested in the historical pageant.

Electric cars will be run on Patriots' day from Atlantic to Squantum, leaving the depot a quarter before the hour. The Squantum Park land will be placed on the market that day.

The Quincy Clothing Co. quotes prices today in a half page advertisement and it is evident that war has been declared against high prices on spring coats, trousers, children's clothing, hats, etc.

Those who were present at the Universalist vestry last evening enjoyed the fine entertainment. Miss Cowie of Boston rendered several piano solos in an exceedingly brilliant manner. Mrs. C. E. Winslow also sung two solos which greatly pleased the audience. The farce, "Chums," was a very laughable piece and the parts were all well taken. The home talent was almost as good as professional.

Devoid of Interest.

Washington, April 15.—The session of the house was dull and absolutely devoid of interest. The galleries and the floor were almost deserted. About a dozen bills were passed. All of them were of minor importance except the Curtis bill for the relief of residents of the Indian Territory. It provides for the settlement of questions involving 19,000,000 acres belonging to the Cherokees, Chickasaws, Creeks, Choctaws and Seminoles and now occupied by 300,000 whites and 60,000 Indians. It provides for the ejectment of 7000 intruders upon 127,000 acres of land. The lands are to be leased so as to give each Indian a share, mineral lands are to be leased by the secretary of the interior, and citizens in towns located on lands are to be permitted to buy titles.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, APRIL 16

Sun rises—5:02; sets, 6:27.

Moon rises—2:45 a. m.

High water—7:30 a. m.; 8 p. m.

The indications for New England are clearing weather this afternoon or tonight and fair weather Saturday, probably lasting through Sunday.

Real Estate Sales.

Quincy continues to lead the county in real estate sales having 19 last week to 10 in Brookline, 12 in Dedham, 7 in Hyde Park, 6 in Milton, 6 in Weymouth, 4 in Braintree, etc. The conveyances:

Andrew J. Miller to Judd W. Cone—see Hyde Park, $1.

Judd W. Cone to Albert S. Robinson, $1.

Thomas C. Atkins to Levi H. Milbury, $1.

Levi H. Milbury to Jeannette L. Atkins, $1.

Alzaman H. Maxwell to Fred'k A. Maxwell, $1.

Frederick A. Maxwell to Lorana A. Maxwell, $1.

Iengred Frolund to Edward Billings, $1.

Edward Billings to Charles B. Trask, $1.

Samuel H. Barnicoat to Frederick Barnicoat, $1.

Frederick Barnicoat to John McQueen, et al, $1.

John McQueen et al to Columbia Granite Co., $1.

Mary V. McCabe to John McKnight, $1.

John McKnight to Alex. McCabe, $1.

Michael E. Cook et al to Martin H. Cook, $1.

Martin H. Cook to Susie R. Cook, et al, $1.

John D. Williams by mtgee. to John J. Moore, $500.

James S. Gibson to George D. Bussey. $1.

City of Quincy to Joseph Driscoll, $1.

City of Quincy to John L. Bird, $68.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Toniassa De Bona, for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy, was called and again continued until April 29.

The continued case of Edward Dwyer of Weymouth for drunkenness was called and continued until April 29.

DESIRABLE

Cottage House and Farm

TO LET.

Cottage House, No. 6 Coddington street, one of the most desirable locations in Quincy, with all modern improvements, containing 8 rooms and bath; together with stable, large yard and fruit trees; three minutes' walk from depot.

Slated roof house, 9 rooms, for one or two families, city water with sheds and stable for horses and cows, hennery and five acres of land, suitable for a milk farm. Situated on North St., near electric railroad, fifteen minutes' w... from Quincy Centre station, Old Colony R. R., and within 6 minutes' walk of Quincy Point stores, schools and churches. $20 per month for whole house. Ten acres extra land to let with same if desired.

HENRY H. FAXON.

Quincy, April 7. 12t

FOR SALE.

Bigelow St. Fine New Residence, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, fireplace, etc.

Washington St. Attractive NEW HOUSE, 7 rooms, sewing room, bath, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

R. D. CHASE,

Savings Bank Building.

Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

$100 TO $500 FOR $29 ONLY.

YOU CAN GET RICH IN ONE YEAR.

Certificates, $5 down, $2 monthly; agents wanted

National Investors' League,

April 15—8t-aow 60 State street, Boston.

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework in a family of two. Apply at 42 Elm street. Quincy April 15—6t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. H. E. RICKER, 6 Bigelow street. April 15—3t

WANTED—A retail agent to sell granite Address H. H., Ledger Office, Quincy. April 14. 1-6t—p-1w

WANTED—Experienced Wrapper Makers to work in shop, steam power, steady work. Also a few girls to learn and sewers to take-work home. Apply at factory, Badger's building, Willard street, West Quincy. April 11. 6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

TO LET.

TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. March 29. eod-tf

TO LET—8 small tenements with all improvements, four and five rooms and bath with set tubs and set range, curtained and screened; just the kind for man and wife; will rent very low. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station and on line of electrics; will be ready May 1. T. H. KINGSTON, Rawson road, Norfolk Downs, or 67 Milk street, Boston. April 12—6t 16-1w

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building. Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St. Quincy, March 31. tf

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Prices absolutely as low as Boston figures.

Satisfaction in every respect.

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NATIVE CHICKENS AND FOWL,

Fruit, Vegetables,

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ORDER NOW.

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Quick repairing a specialty. Sundries constantly on hand.

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March 1. 3m



WATER BUGS and ROACHES

CLEAR THEM OUT WITH OUR EXTERMINATOR NO DUST, NO TROUBLE TO USE.

Price, 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. If you druggist does not have it we will mail it on receipt of price.

BARNARD & CO.,

Temple Place cor. Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

RECOGNITION OPPOSED VIGOROUSLY.

Continued from page 1.

Nearly every senator was on his feet and the main aisle in front of the president's desk was crowded with senators.

"The chair is himself out of order," shouted Mr. Gray. "He has no right directly to address the people in the galleries."

"Such a thing was never done before in the senate," declared Mr. Bate.

"The applause was started by senators on the floor," someone shouted from the crowd in front of the president's desk.

"I started it myself," explained Mr Mason, "and am prepared to assume the responsibility for it."

After vainly endeavoring on two occasions to agree on a time for a vote upon the resolutions, and after voting down a motion to adjourn, the senate finally, amid much confusion, agreed to adjourn until today.

What Bernabe Prepared.

Washington, April 15.—The full text of the Spanish minister's note delivered to the secretary of state last Sunday night, which stands as the last step taken in the diplomatic negotiations, became available yesterday. After describing the suspension of hostilities as an act that crowns her majesty's government's "extraordinary efforts to obtain the pacification by means of reason and right," Mr. Bernabe says: "No one who knows the liberal spirit of the majority of the Spanish cortes recently elected and the patriotic attitude of the principal parties of the opposition, can doubt that the Cubans will obtain such modifications as they desire in justice, within the limits of reason and of the national sovereignty, according to the solemn offer of the preamble of the royal decree of the 27th of November, 1897; while at the same time the government of her majesty declared that it would not withdraw, nor consent that there should be withdrawn anything from the colonial liberties, franchises and privileges accorded.

"The repeal of the decree of reconcentration and the aid of all kinds which the government of her majesty has granted and has permitted to be given to the reconcentrados have put an end to a lamentable state of affairs which was the inevitable consequence of the bloody conflict provoked by a small minority of the sons of Cuba, directed and supported principally by foreign influences. No impartial mind which has full knowledge of the facts, so distorted as they have been and are actually in everything referring to the Cuban question, can with justice charge Spain with being remiss in seeking the means for pacifying the island, and grudging in the concession of privileges, liberties and franchises for the welfare and happiness of its inhabitants."

Powers Again Mediating.

Washington, April 15.—In diplomatic circles there is renewed talk of European intervention on more definite lines than heretofore. It has not yet advanced to the point, however, of a joint policy, or the exchange of notes either among the ambassadors and ministers at Washington, or the capitals of Europe, and if anything be done it will probably be only a further appeal of the Spanish similar to the appeal which induced the recent action of the powers.

The nature of this appeal, it is pointed out, would be to show that Spain's recent concessions, granting an armistice, was made on the joint request of the powers, and would take the ground that as the powers had brought about this action by Spain they should lend their united influence in seeing that time was allowed to try the efficacy of this concession. It is believed among diplomats here that Spain will make this appeal and that it will meet with a favorable response.

Declined a Reception.

Washington, April 15.—General Fitzhugh Lee has declined the honor of the reception tendered him. When the committee waited upon him to receive his final decision he said: "Look here, boys, I haven't done a thing that either one of you or any American citizen would not have done, and I don't see why there should be any fuss made about it. Now, I don't want you to think I am ungrateful, for I am not, but I have studied over the matter, and I feel satisfied that it would be better not to have the reception. I don't want for an instant for anybody to think that I wish to put myself forward, and I must decline your most kind offer."

One of General Lee's most intimate friends said that one reason for his not wanting the reception was that he recognized the fact that he occupied an official position and felt a hesitancy in accepting any demonstration on this account.

Spanish Legislature to Meet.

Madrid, April 15.—The Spanish parliament is to meet April 20, five days earlier than the date for the regular sitting to be entered upon. The preamble of the royal decree says: "The present situation and the extraordinary importance of the resolutions which will be proposed and adopted necessitate that, despite the proximity of the opening of the cortes, the date should be advanced in order that the national will, which has the duty of guiding and inspiring the power to which the constitution has confided the defense of the honor and integrity of the nation, should be enabled to express its wishes."

The preamble of the national subscription decree for increasing the navy says: "The presence of the numerous offers the government has received in the critical circumstances and the need of organizing offers so that they may attain the result which inspires them compel the government to direct this patriotic movement and to exhort everybody to subscribe."

Premier Sagasta made a statement on the subject of the recent developments of the Cuban situation as affected by events in Washington. He declared the situation was very serious and, while pointing out that "the debates in congress have no legal value," he deemed it advisable to expedite the reopening of the cortes "in order to allow national opinion and its representatives to declare the will of the people, and to enable the government to act in accord with the nation."

After the council the ministers reassembled at the ministry for foreign affairs and there discussed the question of sending a note to the great powers communicating the decisions arrived at and explaining the situation from the Spanish standpoint.

War Is Inevitable.

Madrid, April 15.—The Herald says: "War is now inevitable. All the concessions of Mr. Sagasta have gained nothing from America or from the powers who interfered. It is a critical moment. Spain will enter the conflict without allies; but she may find a terrible assistance in the yellow fever. America is not likely to find the insurgents disposed to aid her, knowing now her annexation policy. Maceo once said he would fight for 20 years against America as he had fought 20 years against Spain, to avoid annexation."

Sagasta Would Be Sorry.

London, April 15.—The Madrid correspondent of The Mail says: "I have just had a conversation with Mr. Sagasta, who assured me that the government was absolutely resolved not to provoke hostilities with America. He added: 'I should be extremely sorry were the country to lose its present self-possession because of the incessant menaces addressed to us by the United States. We are striving with all our might to repress the national excitement.' "

Is He the Villain?

Chicago, April 15.—Charles A. Crandall, alias Emanuel Escadaro, who, acting under the express orders of Captain General Weyler during his military reign on the island of Cuba, is said to have planted the mines and torpedoes in the harbor of Havana, has at last been run to earth. He is in the custody of secret service agents, who will escort him to Washington, where he will give information of such a nature that will prove beyond possible peradventure that the Maine was blown up by a mine and her 268 officers and crew sent to their doom by agencies known to the Spanish and by design.

He said to his captors: "When the Maine was blown up I remained in hiding with a colored family near Fort Taylor, or the barracks, and as soon as I received word to skip out I took stowaway passage on the first steamer for Miami. The Maine was anchored at the identical buoy that General Weyler ordered me to place the additional mine, officially known as buoy No. 6 These mines were anchored by cable and chain. There were two sets, one that could be fired independently, that is the chain at the mouth of the harbor, and the others in the interior circle."

Sold Military Documents.

London, April 15.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times as a result of a secret trial for treason on the charge of selling military documents to Austria, Privy Councillor Derovnoff and his 20-year-old daughter have been banished to Siberia for life. Five other persons, implicated in the same charges, have received lighter sentences.

To Prey Upon Commerce.

London, April 15.—There is great interest here in government and commercial circles over the possibility of privateering in the event of war between the United States and Spain Several applications for letters of marque have been made at the Spanish embassy and at the office of the Spanish naval commission, but there were no applications at the United States embassy. It is generally recognized that Spain intends to make privateering a conspicuous element of the campaign. It is thought, however, that she will confine her energies in this direction to preying upon American coastwise commerce. It is not believed she will risk offending European powers by stopping their American-bound vessels, or by searching transatlantic ships for American goods, for if European ships are molested the powers will probably adopt preventive measures. The prevalent opinion that the United States will not embark in privateering produces an excellent impression.

Anti-American Feeling.

Paris, April 15.—The feeling here of both the press and the public is very strong against the United States, especially since President McKinley's message. Mr. McKinley is compared to Pontius Pilate; and the American congress is accused of a buccaneering spirit, which it is feared will extend to the possessions of other nations as well as those of Spain. Frenchmen are quite indignant at the suggestion that the United States will possibly decline privateering and that the powers in consequence may force Spain also to renounce the privilege.

Takes Spain's Side.

Boston, April 15.—Owen McGarr, late consul at Cinefuegos, arrived here yesterday on a fruit steamer. He said to a reporter: "A declaration of war against Spain by the United States would be a grevious mistake. The situation in Cuba has been grossly, yes, criminally exaggerated by irresponsible persons for the purpose of bringing on a war between Spain and the United States. The people of Cienfuegos, where I was stationed, were profoundly grieved and surprised at the idea of war between Spain and the United States when I left there. I don't know what all this fuss means. Why, when I embarked for Boston last Friday morning, it was as quiet in Cienfuegos as it is in the streets of Boston at the present time."

"How about the reconcentrados?" was asked.

"They number about 1100 in Cienfuegos," said Mr. McGarr. "There's no denying it that they are in a bad condition, caused by the rebels firing the sugar fields and preventing the grinding of sugar. That is their only occupation, and of course when deprived of their only income want and suffering followed. Private charity is small."

"You don't seem to be much of a Cuban enthusiast," was remarked.

"No, sir, I'm not," said McGarr. "I think we have completely lost our heads over this Cuban revolution."

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful "medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Jerome B. Baldwin, who has been engaged in the clothing business in Willimantic, Conn., for 29 years, has assigned, with liabilities of $11,000 and assets of $5000.

W. J. Bryan called on President McKinley yesterday. The Democratic leader was greeted cordially by the president. The two men remained in pleasant conversation for 10 minutes.

Representatives of about 50 knitting mills have formed a knit-goods manufacturers' association. The combination, which is to include only the underwear branch, will be incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, and capitalized for $30,000,000.

The university students in Barcelona made a riotous demonstration as they were leaving a lecture Thursday. After giving "Vivas" for the army and navy, Spain and Guba, they uttered cries against "Yankee pigs" and against the secretary for the colonies.

J. H. Phillips of New York, who represented himself as an agent of the Merchants Year Book Publishing company of New York city, was arrested in New Haven, charged with swindling a number of merchants by bogus contracts. He is thought to have obtained at least $500.

Solicitor Penfield of the state department holds that in the event of hostilities between Spain and the United States the seizure of citizens of either country while in neutral vessels would be illegal. All American ships with their cargoes, if American, would be subject to capture.

HEALTH CATECHISM.

To be Committed to Memory by All Dyspeptics, Invalids, Consumptives.

What is the first cause of nine-tenths of all disease?

Imperfect digestion of food.

Why does imperfect digestion cause disease of other organs?

Because blood, nerves, muscles, bone and flesh are derived from the food we eat and digest If digestion is perfect the blood is pure, nerves and muscles strong, flesh firm. If the digestion is poor, the blood is supplied from half-digested fermenting food, irritating every nerve and organ. The result is, sooner or later, organic disease, because every organ being poorly nourished the weakest gives way first and we have liver trouble, kidney complaints, heart disease or consumption.

Is not dieting the usual and best treatment to cure indigestion?

No, because the dyspeptic has been starved long enough; what is needed is abundant nourishment not the lack of it. The stomach and blood demand nutriment, not bran crackers.

What is the best method of cure?

Plenty of wholesome food well digested.

But how can a weak stomach digest plenty of wholesome food?

By taking with the food after each meal certain harmless remedies which are known to digest food and thus nourish the blood and rest the weak stomach.

What are these harmless remedies?

The most valuable are vegetable ferments, pure pepsin, Golden Seal and fruit salts. All of these are now combined in the form of pleasant tasting tablets sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Are these tablets superior to the various liquid preparations so called dyspepsia cures?

Most decidedly, because all liquid medicines become stale with age and lose whatever good qualities they may have had originally, while the tablet retains its properties indefinitely. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be carried in the pocket, always at hand ready for use when traveling or at daily occupation. They cost but 50 cents, and should be kept in every family. They keep the digestion perfect and save doctor's bills by warding off disease.

Are Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets adapted to all forms of dyspepsia?

Yes, because in all cases the trouble results from indigested, fermenting food. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cause the food to be digested before it has time to ferment.

If you wish to know more about them ask your druggist for a package and try them. 3t 11-13-15

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

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—The county of Boston is evidently relegated to that part of the future where Greater Boston is already to be found.—Boston Home Journal.

☞ Buy your piano through us, a saving on any piano in the market. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

—Nothing encourages saving like a few dollars already in bank. Even a hen will be more likely to lay when there is a nest-egg.—Ploughman.

A FEW POINTERS.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists; ask for a free sample today.

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March 29. 3m lp

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Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.

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Jan. 13. lp tf

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The Social Realm.

Mrs. Lucius W. Lawton of President's hill gives a reception this evening to her niece Miss Ethel B. Remick of Marlboro street, Boston. The engagement of Miss Remick and Mr. Herbert E. Yerxa was made public last week and they have been much congratulated by their hosts of friends.

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Miss Amy Wales of Randolph will be the odist at the class day exercises of Boston University college of Liberal Arts.

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Adams Chapter is making arrangements to entertain the Daughters of the Revolution who attend the annual convention in Boston, April 25-30. Thursday, April 28, has been set apart as Quincy day. Members of Adams Chapter will serve tea and refreshments at the John Adams house and show the visitors the points of historic interest in the city. Guests are expected from all over the United States and it will be a gala day. Since Adams Chapter has had charge of the John Adams house the latch string has hung out and the Chapter has the name of being the most hospitable and social of entertainers.

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The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Historical society was held Thursday, Hon. Charles Francis Adams, the president, presiding.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Coombs of Fayette street, Wollaston, celebrated their golden wedding on Wednesday, April 13th. A quiet family gathering of sixteen children and grandchildren were present, who made life a scene of gayety with music, refreshments, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Coombs were the recipients of many useful and valuable presents befitting the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Coombs are a few of Wollaston's pioneers having settled in their present homestead about 1870, and may they live to celebrate their diamond wedding in the same growing and hustling locality.

Mrs. Walter Russell Breed is entertaining her aunt and also her brother and sister, Mr. and Miss Zehner of Pennsylvania.

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Miss Minnie Morton Rodgers and Mr. Clarence Burgin announced their engagement today, and they are receiving many congratulations. Miss Rodgers is very popular. Mr. Burgin is treasurer of Quincy Savings bank and a rising young man.



THE HAPPY MAN.

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All the young ladies of Atlantic have the bicycle craze and will soon make it warm for pedestrians. The sidewalks seem to be a favorite path in this ward even for the old riders.

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Miss Alice Gilpatrick who has been the guest of Mrs. G. A. Waterhouse of Squantum street, went to her home in Saco, Maine, on Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lyman A. May of Lynn have sent out this week invitations to the marriage reception of their daughter, Corinne Elmeda and Mr. John Herbert Safford, on Monday, April the twenty-fifth at high noon, at their home at 170 Essex street. The young people will be at home from June first until September thirtieth at Ludlow-on-the-Hudson, New York.

An engagement that has given much pleasure to their friends is that of Mrs. H. Nicholson of Goffe street and Lieut. John Downs, U. S. N., of the National Sailors' home at Wollaston. Mrs. Nicholson is the daughter of Capt. Wise U. S. N., and a niece of Dr. William Everett. Although a resident of Quincy but a short time she has made many friends here.

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Dr. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school is fortunate in securing Prof. Fay for an illustrated lecture on Friday evening next on "Niebelungenlied," a noted poem in Germany.

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Never did Mrs. James H. Stetson look handsomer than as Queen Isabella in the Pageant this week. Her costume and jewels were regal and she was every inch the queen. Mr. Stetson was a dignified and stately king while Mr. Charles A. Howland looked and acted his part to perfection. Praises of Mr. Henry M. Faxon's representation of Columbus are heard from every one attending the pageant.

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The advance sale of tickets for the Pageant on Wednesday night was about $350 the largest advance sale for any entertainment of the kind ever given in Quincy.

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Atlantic contribtuted no small part toward the success of the Pageant last Wedneday evening. No less than sixteen persons from Ward Six took a part and some of them very prominent ones.

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Several engagements have been announced this week.

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The Historical Pageant given on Wednesday evening at Quincy Music hall for the benefit of the John Adams birth-place was the most successful society affair ever given in Quincy. The parts were taken by prominent people and all were well carried out. The dancing was exquisite. Some of the young ladies never looked handsomer and the applause was frequent and hearty. The costuming was most elegant and appropriate. The committee are to be congratulated on the success which crowns their labors.

Miss Kitty Bacon of Hartford, Conn., is a guest of Miss Gassett of Atlantic.

Was a G. A. R. Veteran.

Mr. Henry Talbot of South Quincy died at his residence on Bennington street, this morning aged 54 years.

Mr. Talbot has been in poor health for the past year but has been confined to his bed only about a month. He was a veteran of the civil war, having been mustered into service as a corporal in Co. G, 48th Mass. Vol., Sept. 30, 1862 at that time being but sixteen years of age. He served until Sept. 3, 1862 when he was discharged, only to re-inlist in Co. E, Mass. Cavalry, in which he served until Sept. 28, 1865, when he was honorably discharged. He was a stone cutter by trade which occupation he followed up to a few years ago. He leaves a widow, four sons and a daughter. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning.

The school board of Columbia, Mo., has unanimously passed a resolution declaring that the teachers employed by the district school should hereafter teach as the proper pronunciation of the name of its state "Mizzoury".

Medical authorities assert that crying is the chief and best exercise for your children and one hospital superintendent says that a healthful baby shoud cry three or four times a day at least and for 10 to 15 minutes at a time.

Of the four nationalities making up the population of Great Britain and Ireand, the Scotch are the heaviest men, the average weight being: Scotch 165.3 pounds, Welsh 158.3 pounds, English 155 pounds, Irish 154 pounds.

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He Draws Many Comparisons and Asks Questions.

A large audience gathered out of curiosity at Music hall last night, to hear Robert G. Ingersoll, many coming from Weymouth, Braintree and other towns outside of Quincy that they might say they had heard the notorious infidel deliver his lecture on "Why I am an Agnostic."

The lecture was nearly two hours in length and was followed closely by his hearers who frequently applauded his inimitable way of drawing comparison, and only once was there any sign of disapproval. This was near the close of the lecture when some one in the gallery made a remark about its being wicked. No attention was paid to the remark and the lecture continued.

The speaker was very severe upon the orthodox faith and he said the ministers of that faith knew they were wrong in some of the things they preached. He did not deny that there was a heaven or hell, but he did not believe it.

He had tried hard by study to convince himself that there was such a place, but could not find any proof. If God in his infinite wisdom was so good, why did he create a man when he knew that the man thus created would murder? Why, if he was all powerful, must he always fight the devil? What is this devil? What is its form and shape?

The facts as laid down in the Bible were not substantiated by science, geology or biology. The religious beliefs of all nations were alike. The gods worshipped by the heathen nations, and these worshipped by the civilized nations, were all alike. All were born in the same manner and all were crucified. All were resurrected. There were thirty of these gods, and he did not believe it possible, and it was not common sense, to believe that all were created at the same time.

The ministers who preached the Bible were honest in their belief, but they were mistaken. If the mind is allowed to act for itself, and, think out these things, each for himself, then it could be seen how impossible it was.

Hell is vividly pictured to us in all its misery but they tell us little about heaven. If there is a God would he permit the suffering in Cuba? Would he permit the suffering of the many in want. It is wrong to believe that the poor man goes to heaven and the rich man to hell.

His belief he said was simple: Be kind to your fellow man and do what you can to make others happy.

The Ledger invites all local clergymen who reply to Mr. Ingersoll to send abstracts promptly for publication.

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—The Massachusetts Ploughman says, the cheapest lands for farmers are really those nearest the markets. Transportation eats up the profits on distant farms unless they are very rich.

—At a Chicago fire last week two firemen carried a line of hose from a chemical engine up sixteen stories on the fire escape of an office building. When they turned the stream on the fire, they were using 350 feet of perpendicular hose.

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We mean to petition the next legislature, asking them to enact a law punishing dealers who misrepresent their goods in advertising. There is one which punishes a man who obtains money or other goods through false pretences, and there surely should be one punishing a merchant who obtains money from the honest working men by selling them goods which they have misrepresented in advertising.

Today the stonecutters of Quincy, receive their monthly pay, and there are many things in the clothing and furnishing line they will have to buy. Since last pay day there has opened a new store. Bring your money to them and buy your clothing. They want it. Bring it to this store where everything is guaranteed, where you are sure to save money; where you can get your money back if you want it.

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EVIDENCE OF SPANISH CHICANERY.

Ministers Talk Peace While Determined on Warfare.

Sagasta Let the Cat Out of the Bag to a Friend.

Purpose to Strike One Blow to Fire the National Heart.

War Department to Emulate the Navy and Have Its Forces on the Threshold of the Door Leading to the Island—Order For Extensive Mobilization Sent Out Friday—Senate to Decide Today on the Momentous Question — Strong and Eloquent Speeches During Yesterday's Session.

Madrid, April 16.—There is not a serious man here who does not know that the issue between the United States and Spain is no longer a diplomatic, but a military question. The Spanish ministry is united in its determination to fight rather than to withdraw one soldier from Cuba. The order for cessation of hostilities sent to Blanco was a mere trick by which the Spanish government hoped to secure a temporary withdrawal of the American squadron from the vicinity of Cuba and the Philippines. The correspondent can personally vouch for the fact that within two hours after the ministers decided on the order of cessation of hostilities, Sagasta told an indignant friend that the order to Blanco amounted to nothing, as the Cubans would not cease fighting, but that the United States might be induced to retire its combined ships.

The naval plan of Spanish attack has been changed. It is now evident that Spain will combine her torpedo flotilla at Cape de Verde with the torpedo flotilla at Cadiz. This force will be united with the battleships Pelayo, Carlos V, Numancia and other ships which are being rapidly made ready for fighting. The big fleet will be increased by every available cruiser.

Spain realizes that she must be defeated in the end, but her policy now is to send out one armada to strike one glorious, terrible blow that will make Spanish hearts leap with pride. She intends to stake all on her one blow and then yield to the inevitable. It is now almost certain that the Spanish navy intends to stake all on one fleet, and that it will be the strongest force of which the nation is capable.

The Spanish admirals have advised the government that if they can get several weeks delay before the United States acts, they can send across the ocean a fleet so organized that a fortunate stroke or two by torpedo boats may place the American fleet at its mercy.

MOVING TOWARD CUBA.

Orders From the Army Department Send Several Regiments South.

Washington, April 16.—The president realizes that the end of peace is near, and yet he repeated yesterday, that until the first shot is fired in actual hostilities he would hope that war might be averted, even though he could not now see how it was to be brought to pass. If Spain would yield, all would be well, but Spain has shown as yet no disposition to yield, and no reason has been given to expect that she would yield beyond the vague intimations of the representatives of the great powers that she might do something more to preserve peace.

In the meantime the purpose of the executive is to escape the charge of procrastination. Delays are dangerous, and it is proposed to strengthen the naval arm by the military. The United States army is on its way to Cuba. Yesterday orders were issued moving 28 regiments of infantry and cavalry and 10 light batteries of artillery to points in the south which are convenient for the mobilization of troops, preliminary to their transfer to Cuba. These troops come from the military departments of the east, the lakes, Dakota and California, and represent about three-fourths of the regular military force of the country. The points of concentration are Chickamauga park, New Orleans, Mobile and Tampa, and the troops have started from their respective posts for these four points, within the department of the gulf.

Secretary Alger selected the following commanders of the divisions of the army that are to assemble at the places named: For the division at New Orleans, Brigadier General W. B. Shafter, now in San Francisco in command of the department of California; for that at Tampa, Brigadier General J. F. Wade, now in command of the department of the Dakotas in St. Paul; for Mobile, Brigadier General J. J. Coppinger, now in command of the department of the Missouri in Omaha; for the post at Chickamauga, Major General J. R. Brooke, now in command of the department of the lakes, with headquarters in Chicago. Each of these officers has authority to take with him his entire staff of officers and a quartermaster.

The command of the army will devolve upon Major General Nelson A. Miles, who is now at the head of the military branch of the government. His temporary headquarters probably will be at Atlanta, where General Graham, who has command of the department of the gulf, is located. General Miles' permanent headquarters will depend entirely upon the exigencies of the situation and the developments of the campaign.

Three regiments of infantry and four of cavalry are not included in the mobilization orders for the reason that they are either at great distance from the center of operations, or needed in the sections in which they are located, or are already in a location where they can readily be summoned.

...eral important and decisive steps were taken by the navy department. It was decided to assign the naval reserves of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Maryland and Michigan to the five auxiliary cruisers hereafter to be known as patrol boats. These ships are the Prairie, the Dixie, the Yankee, the Yosemite and either the Venezuela or Yorktown. The question of the American line steamers was also wound up with the decision to charter all four of them, the St. Louis, the St. Paul, the Paris and the New York. With the announcement that these magnificent ships had been added to the auxiliary fleet came the statement that the department also had purchased the Yorktown of the Old Dominion line and the Yumuri of the Ward line. With these additions the fleet of converted vessels now includes the pick of the liners and coasting steamers running under the American flag. The prices paid are withheld by the department.



GENERAL BROOKE.

Of greater moment than any of these developments was the reopening of negotiations for the purchase of two warships and several torpedo boats from Chili and Argentina. One of the cruisers is the Chilian O'Higgins, just completed at an English yard and regarded as one of the most formidable of her class afloat.

The negotiations are being conducted through Charles R. Flint of New York, who has large commercial and financial interests in both countries. While Mr. Flint would not state how far the negotiations had progressed, he said that the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina had been left to the arbitration of Queen Victoria. The prospects of a peaceful adjustment of this old quarrel are good, and the ablest and most conservative men in both Chili and Argentina are in favor of reducing the naval establishments and economizing in expenditures. Neither country is inclined to weaken itself, and the proposition is pending that Chili shall sell the O'Higgins and one torpedo boat and Argentina either the cruiser Garibaldi or St. Martin, and two torpedo boats. This would leave the two navies in about the same respective condition. Another and possibly more powerful factor behind the scheme to decrease the navies in South American countries is that in the navies lies the chief danger of revolution. Should Chili and Argentina decide to sell these vessels it is believed to be practically assured that they will be added to the naval list of the United States.



GENERAL COPPINGER.

It is the intention of the department to shape all matters for any emergency, but the naval militia will not actually go into service until it is certain that hostilities are to ensue. The patrol ships will be assigned to the Atlantic coast line and form a part of the general plan of coast defense. The scheme as understood is to assign one of the patrol vessels to each of the five divisions that have been mapped out for the mosquito fleet under command of Commander Elmer. These vessels will be the flagships of their divisions and will be under command of a naval officer. These assignments already have been made. The only other officer of the regular navy aboard will be one engineer, the rest of the officers and the crew to be made up of the naval reserves, with the possible addition of volunteers.

TO VOTE TODAY.

Senators to Record Their Wishes as to the Cuban Policy.

Washington, April 16.—The senate is still in the throes of discussion of the Hispano-American crisis. While the senators talk the people of the civilized world await their verdict, which will be returned some time during this legislative day. An effort was made to reach an agreement to begin the vote upon all of the pending resolutions at 7 o'clock this evening, and in the confused colloquy among senators there was manifest for the first time a disposition to filibuster. Mr. Caffery, although disclaiming any intention to delay action unduly, objected to any fixing of a time for a vote.

The debate, beginning at the unusually early hour of 10 o'clock, continued until 10:45 p. m., and yet the throngs remained as if held under some spell. All the deliverances were characterized by brilliance and eloquence, but it is no detraction from the efforts of others to say that the notable utterances were made by Mr. Wolcott, Mr. Daniel and Mr. Spooner. Mr. Daniel carried aloft the flag of recognition of the Cuban republic's independence, while both Mr. Wolcott and Mr. Spooner supported the policy of the president and the foreign relations committee in favor of armed intervention with ultimate independence. The argument of Mr. Spooner was exhaustive, profound and brilliant.

Spain's black crimes, said Senator Cullom, call aloud for vengeance, and that vengeance will be taken by the American people in the interest of humanity. He reviewed the circumstances of the loss of the Maine, and declared that the disaster was an act of deliberate and atrocious murder. "The people throughout the country were demanding that that crime should be resented and that the avenging blow should be struck without delay; and if Spain should resent our action," said he, "we shall not hesitate to take up the gauntlet and appeal to the god of battle and to mankind to justify our action. We now promise to do our duty to God and man and force Spain to withdraw her forces and flag from the island."

Mr. Daniels (Va.) was next recognized. He said: "We stand upon the edge of war. The nation is one with the sword in its hand, and if the word that now hesitates upon the lips be spoken, and the command, 'Forward,' be given, upon some proud day the stars and stripes will be waving over Morro castle and Cabanas prison." He said that up to now he had been for peace, but that time had seemed to have gone, and he was now face to face with a situation that betokened gmim-visaged war, and he wanted to do everything possible to support the president in the needs of the hour. He invoked the white dove of peace to spread its wings over the impressive scene, displaying the eagle's shrill cry, but found in the invocation nothing but war.

Ordinarily Tillman is a cyclone, sweeping all before him with his tempestuous

All was serene until Mr. Chandler (N. H.) dropped a remark that caused an explosion. "I know the senator from Mississippi (Mr. Money)," he observed with a quizzical smile, " does not wish to vote on this question until he has heard the senator from Maryland (Wellington) in full."

The emphasis was on the last two words. Mr. Wellington jumped to his feet and turning angrily upon Mr. Chandler announced sharply that he did not relish the "pleasantry" of the senator from New Hampshire. "I do not intend," he said, "to intimate that it is necessary for the senator from Mississippi to hear what I have to say, but I represent in part a sovereign state. I listened to the senator from Mississippi when he returned as one of the agents of the newspaper in New York, and I believe that the people of Maryland—"

Mr. Money here interrupted with the remark: "Mr. President, I want to correct the senator from Maryland; the remark that he just made is absolutely untrue."

"I made the remark as The Journal gave it," returned Mr. Wellington, doggedly.

"Then make it on your own responsibility," cried Mr. Money," his whole frame quivering with emotion.

"I do make it on my own responsibility," replied Mr. Wellington like a flash.

"Then you lie," came from Mr. Money quickly.

Senators looked at each other in amazement, and the galleries rose en masse and leaned over as the two senators faced each other.

"I call the gentlemen to order. If the gentleman can indulge in that kind of conversation on the floor of the senate," Mr. Wellington resumed, walking toward his antagonist, "I can stand it as well as he can."

By this time all was confusion. The vice president was rapping for order and senators had risen to their feet, but the two senators still called to each other in defiant tones.

"Come outside and make it," cried Mr. Money.

"Very well then," retorted Mr. Wellington.

"Come now," said Mr. Money beckoning.

"The senate will be in order," called out Vice President Hobart.

Mr. Wilson (Wash.) stepped into the centre aisle and asked in a bland voice "Whether a declaration of war would be in order,"

The senators and the galleries laughed heartily at this sally, and friends of the bellicose senators led them away into the cloak rooms. Later Mr. Money apologized.

At the opening of the session of the house there was an echo of the scene when the Cuban resolutions were passed. Mr. Bailey arose to a question of personal privilege and sent to the clerk's desk an extract from a Philadelphia paper which made him responsible for the disgraceful occurrence upon the floor. He affirmed that if there was any individual responsible for the scene the responsibility must rest upon the speaker himself. As Mr. Bailey proceeded with his arraignment of the speaker, there were manifestations of suppressed excitement on the floor, the speaker listening with imperturbable countenance.

The Texan said: "Constrained by what I considered the unfair and unjust treatment of the chair, I objected, and upon that objection arose the scene of disorder that is regretted by every member of this house. For the result which followed it, the responsibility is not upon me nor upon this side. The responsibility is upon the speaker of the house, who sought a mean partisan advantage by forcing his political opponents into a false position, and the country ought to know it. I understand the speaker of the house ——"

"Is this an arraignment of the speaker, or a question of personal privilege?" interposed Mr. Steele.

"The chair does not know, but probably will soon learn," observed the speaker blandly.

"It is the daily airing the gentleman gives himself," ejaculated Mr. Dalzell.

"I did not understand the oracular statement of the gentleman," observed Mr. Bailey.

"Well, then, I will repeat it," said Mr. Dalzell. "It is only the daily airing the gentleman gives himself."

"And that is only the daily falsehood that men on that side are guilty of," retorted Mr. Bailey.

"The gentleman has demonstrated what the papers alleged, that he has lost his head," Mr. Dalzell replied.

When Mr. Bailey took his seat the speaker replied, speaking slowly and distinctly: "The chair desires to say that whatever he has done, the other day, or any day since the commencement of this session, has been done in the presence of the house and of 1000 witnesses. He does not feel that it is necessary for him to discuss his conduct. The gentleman from Texas, after two days' deliberation, has felt that his situation demanded discussion and explanation. With that idea the chair entirely agrees. It is not the first time that the gentleman from Texas has assailed me. To it I have no reply except simply what the house knew—that the gentleman from New York (Mr. Quigg) did not mean an objection either really or technically, and everybody in this house knows it. I therefore, with reference to this whole matter, appeal to the witnesses of the transaction, and upon their judgment the chair rests his justification."

Mr. Bailey attempted to reply, but the regular order was demanded, and the incident closed.

Ultimatum to Spain.

Washington, April 16.—The Washington Post's summary of the situation includes the following statement: "Immediately the president is empowered to use the army and navy he will issue an ultimatum to Spain, giving her 24 hours—possibly 48—within which to answer whether she will peaceably withdraw her troops and flag from Cuba. Her refusal to evacuate the island, which is expected, will be the signal for action on the part of this government, and that action will be the vigorous use of both our naval and land forces. The Post makes this statement upon the highest possible authority, the course of action indicated having been decided upon at a cabinet meeting.

"Should the resolutions reach the president accompanied by the amendment recognizing the people of Cuba, the president will sign them, but in a brief message to congress he will hold that the constitutional prerogative vested in the president to recognize other governments cannot be taken away, and that the amendment is therefore void and inoperative."

The General Belief.

Madrid, April 16.—The action taken by the Spanish cabinet has confirmed the general belief that war is now inevitable. The warlike tone of the official note issued by the government finds general approval and creates much excitement. Contrary to the general opinion that the queen regent has been negotiating for peace at any price, her attitude had much to do with the firm action of the cabinet. It is learned on unquestionalbe authority that the queen regent recently made the following statement: "I prefer even the horrors of war rather than a tarnish on the prestige of the army, an impairment of the rights of the country."

Another factor, undoubtedly is Pretender Charles' manifesto, of which the following is an extract which was not submitted to the censor: "The governors of Madrid may make a call to arms inevitable and immediate if they continue to permit the Spanish standard to be dragged in the mud. Twenty years of patriotic retirement have proved that I am neither ambitious nor a conspirator. If the glove which Washington has flung in the face of Spain is picked up by Madrid, I will continue the same example of abnegation as before, wretched in that I cannot partake in the struggle other than by prayers and by the influence of my name."

Rumors of the impending war have caused a marked decrease in the passenger business of the Pacific Mail and Oriental Steamship companies. Would-be passengers fear being held up by privateers.

Weyler Makes Denial.

Madrid, April 16.—Lieutenant General Weyler authorizes the correspondent of the Associated press to say that reports published here as to a supposed statement by Consul General Lee respecting a letter General Weyler addressed to Santos Guzman as to torpedoes and mines placed in the port of Havana during his (Weyler's) command, and respecting a subsequent dispatch from him begging Guzman to destroy the letter after the catastrophe that befell the Maine, are entirely without foundation.

A Bold Forecast.

London, April 16.—As a bold forecast it is alleged by The Daily News that "President McKinley's plan is to send supplies to the reconcentrados escorted by warships, which would practically seize Cuba. Spain then would propose arbitration, and America would consent, claiming compensation for the losses of American citizens in Cuba during the last decade. The amount would be too large for Spain to pay; and Cuba would be peacefully annexed by America in satisfaction of her claim."

"Like a Galley Yarn."

Indianapolis, April 16.—When Admiral Brown was asked if he knew anyone named Charles A. Crandall, alias Emanuel Escardo, who claims to have put mines in Havana harbor, he said: "I heard that story some time ago. It sounds like a galley yarn. When I took command of the San Francisco I found on board a young fellow named Crandall. He was a marine and afterwards told me his true name was Charles D. Chase. He was a man of good education, and I made him one of my orderlies. I hear from him every month or so. He is married and lives at Honolulu, where he is an active, enterprising man. He is a man of integrity. For some time he was with me as a writer. He is not much more than 26 or 27 years old, and has never been in Cuban waters, nor has he any knowledge of submarine mines or electricity."

John Dillon's Sympathy.

Boston, April 16.—An interesting and important reply to a cablegram of inquiry sent by Daniel P. Sullivan, secretary of the Irish National federation, was received in this city and has a bearing upon the present Hispano-American crisis. The inquiry cabled was as follows:

"John Dillon:

"O'Callaghan, Boston Globe, quotes press cablegram alleging Freeman's sympathy with Spain against America. Freeman represented as Dillon's organ; answer.

"Daniel P. Sullivan."

The reply was as follows:

"No foundation for the statement of my sympathies with Spain as against America. My warmest sympathy is with the United States in its efforts to put an end to the intolerable situation in Cuba.

(Sig.) "John Dillon."

Uniforms and Blankets.

Philadelphia, April 16.—The government has begun to prepare for the equipment of the army. Within the last few days orders for tons of material for blankets, blue kersey cloth for uniforms and blue flannel shirting have been placed with mills in this city, with directions to rush the work through. In obedience to these directions the mills which received the orders began to run night and day with every machine going at its full capacity.

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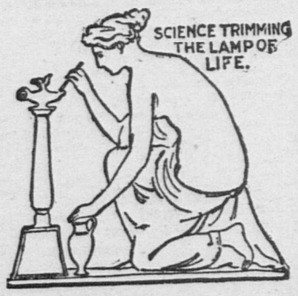
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The Latest Cycle Costumes—The Parisian Lady Rider and Her Maid.

Parisian cycle costume importations show but little change in the cut of the skirt, save that it clings to the hips more closely than it did last season. Six inches from the ground is the proper length, the edge of the skirt being banded with rows of stitching.

Tweed, in tiny checks of white and red, plaided over with broad lines of shaggy weave, is used for the skirt. The material is light weight, and it is looked upon as a mistake to use heavy fabrics for this purpose. The skirt is lined with red taffeta. The coat is of solid tweed, cut in an eton jacket. The back fits perfectly, the opening blousing into the belt in front.

A stiff bosomed shirt is worn, the stripes running crosswise. A high collar, four in hand scarf, with stickpin, lends a jaunty air. Oxford ties are the favorite shoes for the wheeling season. A great deal of the new hosiery is designed especially for the cycle costumes. Golf stockings are no longer considered comfortable or hygienic, so they are sharing the fate of the high boot. The ordinary stockings in lisle or silk are the proper things.

Young Parisian ladies, attended by their maids, are frequently seen nowadays in the quieter bicycle ways and through the Bois to St. Cloud. The maids in this case are dressed in black, with a close black hat and white turn-over cuffs and collars. They ride about a yard behind their young mistresses, which serves as a barrier against the Frenchman who thinks all unattended women are especially intended for him to address.—New York Press.

THE WHEEL ABROAD.

The Belgian Touring club has 17,000 members.

Military cycles of Holland are of very low build and of the rear driving type.

A cycle path has been constructed on one of the roads in Wurttemberg, Germany.

In Madras (India) the bicycle is held to be a vehicle and therefore liable to a wheel tax.

The government of Saxony has voted the sum of $7,000 for the year of 1898 for the purchase of military cycles.

The French minister of public works has compelled by decree all railroads to carry bicycles as baggage and makes them responsible for any damage.

Four thousand people recently turned out to witness the finish of a relay ride from Madrid to Cadiz, Spain. The riders were received with great pomp.

The edict of the prefect of police in Paris says that your machine must bear a bell or gong which can be heard at least 50 yards. In streets crowded with pedestrians the rider must dismount and push his wheel.

America can shortly look for the arrival of Signor Bachmann of Austria, who started to ride around the world in two years, without any funds and without begging. He arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., the beginning of this year.

While the feeling against Zola was at its highest pitch during his recent trial in the Dreyfus matter the president of the Touring Club de France received intimation that unless the novelist's name was stricken off the list of honorary members the 3,000 army and navy officers belonging to the organization would resign in a body.

The Scorchers and the Lazy Brigade.

How best to enjoy a cycling tour is a vexed question with a large class of tourists. On one side is what may be termed the scorcher brigade, that maps out a certain distance each day and covers it, hail, rain or shine. On the other side is the lazy brigade, that starts with the fixed determination to have a good time and the greatest fun and enjoyment possible. It matters not to the latter class whether they cover 10, 20 or 100 miles a day. They start when they feel ready, stop just when they like and resume again just when the spirit moves them. Hard and fast schedules are unknown to them, but they follow just where their fancy leads them. How does it fare with the scorchers? They must have all the excitement possible, they must cover their 80 or 100 miles a day, no matter what the weather. They have no time to enjoy the beauties of the country. Rest to them is a waste of time, and so when the tour is ended they return to their daily routine jaded and worn and worse rather than better for their trip. The moral is apparent.—New York Sun.

Religious Work Awheel.

A religious worker of Jersey City, having decided that wheelmen will not go to church, proposes that the church go to the wheelmen. He intends to organize Sunday afternoon runs to some grove, where may be held a service of song with brief addresses and prayers. The work he would have in charge of a corps of riders, each carrying a white silk flag and having a book rack clamped to his handle bar. Gospel songs would be sung en route, and he believes that the movement would result in great moral good without lessening the opportunities of the riders to work off their cycling enthusiasm.—American Cyclist.

A New Racing Saddle.

A new racing saddle that is a distinct departure from all accepted standards has been brought out by the maker of one of the best known saddles in the country. The body of this saddle, intended for racing men, is of the anatomical pattern, with a depression in the center, and it is slightly padded on each side. Its most remarkable feature is a horn or pommel of extraordinary length. The base of the saddle is not dished either, but is flat. Altogether it is the most radical seat that has appeared, but it is said that several of the best known racing men will use it this season.—New York Sun.

OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.



FRENCH GOWN OF BLUE AND WHITE FOULARD FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

A gown of dainty simplicity is of cornflower blue and white foulard. The skirt is six-gored model, which is adapted especially to foulard silk, and is made over a silk foundation skirt that is cut exactly like the outside.

This skirt embodies a pretty idea for the use of flounces. Three ruffles of graduated width trim it from the front seam, sloping upward, and passing entirely across the back. The ruffles are stitched on with piping. The corsage combines several new features of the season. The surplice drapery, which crosses from both sides, has the ends bloused slightly over an opening of the bodice, made to show a contrasting color in the vest beneath. The left end is attached by a fan-shaped bow, which also finishes the band encircling the waist. The low pointed neck is framed by "ruffle revers" that follows the direction of the fichu in front and diminishes each side of the pointed plastron behind. The back at the waist-line is drawn into tiny pleats. Tucked blue silk poplinette forms the plastron, the vest, and the high collar. The closely-fitting sleeves, made with the tiniest puff at the top, are trimmed at the wrist with a ruffle turned back from the hand.

The design of this little gown is an excellent one for batiste, organdie, or challi, as well as foulard or taffeta. The skirt measures three and a half yards at the foot, and the proper cut of the gown can be obtained from the cut paper patterns issued by HARPER'S BAZAR, where it appears. The back gores are shirred in several rows into a small space. It may be lined, if preferred, with silk, satin, lawn, or percaline, although it is more customary to make such a gown over a drop skirt. The later if made plain, is finished with a facing of silk about five inches wide, interlined with a light-weight canvas. The outside material has a facing or hem about the same width, interlined with a thin crinoline. This is sewn by hand with invisible stitches.

Quantity of material: Foulard silk, 16 yards; lining silk, 22 inches wide, 14 yards; tucked silk for chemisette., ¾ yard.

New Books.

The following is a list of new books recently added to the Thomas Crane Public Library:

Baldwin, J. M. Social and ethical interpretations in mental development. 552 56

Beard, J. C. Curious homes and their tenants. j 503 41

Bicknell, F. M. Apprentice boy; or, learning the business. j 269 34

Blanchard, Amy E. Three pretty maids. j 266 45

Brooks, E. S. Century book of famous Americans: a young people's pilgrimage to historic homes. j 157 1

Cocke, J. R. Hypnotism: how it is done; its uses and dangers. 530 42

Griffis, W. E. Pilgrims in their three homes, England, Holland, America. 382 34

Hamlin, Myra S. Nan at Camp Chicopee; or, Nan's summer with the boys. j 261 49

Harris, W. T. Psychologic foundations of education. [International educational series.] 555 70

Henderson, W. J. Last cruise of the Mohawk: adventures in the navy in the war of the rebellion. j 275 31

Huxley, T. H. Darwiniana: essays. 501 55

Discourses biological and geological: essays. 487 46

Evolution and ethics, and other essays. 70 34

Introduction to the study of zoology, illustrated by the crayfish. 494 29

Lay sermons, addresses, and reviews. 487 41

Manual of the anatomy of vertebrated animals. 494 28

Method and results: essays. 487 45

Science and Christian tradition: essays. 531 49

Science and education: essays. 554 24

Science and Hebrew tradition: essays. 531 48

Imbert de Saint-Amand, Baron. Nepoleon III. and his court. 436 28

Johnson, Henry. Exploits of Myles Standish. 414 44

Ober, F. A. Under the Cuban flag; or the cacique's treasure. j 275 29

Roe, E. P. Success with small fruits. 463 9

Sayce, A. H. Early history of the Hebrews. 341 26

Smith, Gertrude. Ten little comedies: tales of the troubles of ten little girls. j 266 46

Smith, Mary P. W. Young puritans of old Hadley. j 272 43

Stoddard, W. O. Lost gold of the Montezumas: story of the Alamo j 281 4

Weed, C. M. Life histories of American insects. 504 25

Whiting, Lilian After her death: story of a summer. 530 5

Castle Square Theatre.

The long anticipated production of William Gillette's great war drama "Held by the Enemy," will make the attraction at the Castle Square theatre the coming week. This play has held its prominence on the dramatic stage of this country for a dozen years and is accepted as a standard of its class. It enjoyed nearly a three months' continuous success at the Boston Museum in its earlier history and the Castle Square production will be made under Mr. J. R. Pitman, who contributed so much to its success at the Boston Museum. The scenic appointments of the play, as given the coming week, will be most elaborate. Following "Held by he Enemy," on Monday, April 25th, comes a revival of "Rosedale." The souvenir at the Wednesday matinee of the coming week will be a portrait of Miss Mary Sanders.

Keith's Theatre.

The shows at Keith's seem to keep growing stronger all the time, the quality and quantity being most satisfying to the army of patrons who visit the popular resort each week. The week of April 18, John C. Rice, the popular star of Courted into Court, Widow Jones, and other McNally successes, is to be the star feature, supported by Sally Cohen. They will present a new one-act farcial sketch, entitled, "Our Honeymoon," which has been very successful in the Keith houses in New York and Philadelphia. Johnstone Bennett, whose versatility has won for her the reputation of being the cleverest character comedienne in America, is to remain, and will be seen in another round of distinctive types. Her success the past week was quite marked, a curtain call rewarding her efforts at every performance. In the biograph, which is running as strong nowadays as at the outset, there will be several new views; Pianist Fitzgibbon has written the music for a new coon song, "I's Dark, but I's no Fool," to be sung by the soloist and song-sheet chorus, and Prof. Gies will have a new and interesting list of up-to-date views in his stereopticon exhibit.

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Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M. except 4.47 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
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r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
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Friday	42	50	55
Saturday	49	63	64

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Y. M. C. A. Art Exhibit.

Great preparations are being made for the exhibit of original drawings of the Youth's Companion at the Y. M. C. A. rooms for three days and evenings next week, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 3 to 9.30 P. M. under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The rooms as well as the building will be decorated with plants and bunting and the sketches and paintings will be hung in the parlor and recreation rooms. The exhibit is valued at over $1500.00 and has just returned from Springfield where it was on exhibition with the Y. M. C. A. there, and viewed by hundreds. A party writing from there says "the exhibit exceeded our expectations." There will be music on the three evenings and on Thursday from 7 to 9 the auxiliary will serve tea. Tickets are in the hands of the Ladies' Auxiliary and may also be had at Hearn's drug store.

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PRIZE SPEAKING.

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Young Men Win Several of the Essays and Translation Prizes.

There were but few vacant seats at the High School last evening at the sixth annual prize speaking contest, although it was a very inclement night. Fully 700 were present and all were pleased with the efforts of the pupils, not alone in declamations, but in music, essays and translations. The hall was prettily decorated with flags.

The music under the direction of Mrs. L. C. Smith was a feature of the evening. Three numbers were given by the school, one by the Glee club and another by eight young men, as will be seen by the programme. Miss Helen E. Bemis, '97, and Miss Helen Sibley, '99, were the accompanists. Mr. Marnock gave the violin obligato to the number by the young men.

There were thirteen contestants for the speaking prizes, which numbered five, to the value of $50, contributed by Henry H. Faxon. Esq. It was a matter of comment that only two of these were young men. The speakers were trained by Mrs. Addie Chase Smith, O. M. of Boston and the pieces were exceedingly well learned requiring no prompting. The full programme was:

1. Music—"The Merry Marchers," Stone
By the School,
Assisted by Messrs. Dunn, Kenney, Sweeney, Thayer and Winslow.
2. "Against Mark Anthony," Cicero
E. Gertrude Ward, '98.
3. "A Camp-Meeting in Texas," Gough
Edith M. Greenerd, '99.
4. "The Bell of Liberty," Headley
Bertha Austin Hayden, '99.
5. "New England's Fairest Boast," Prentiss
Julia J. Ford, '98.
6. Music—"Hail! Smiling Morn," Shepperd
Messrs. Donovan, Keyes, Pendis, Prout, Scharnagel, Winslow, Woodman.
Solo by Mr. Frederic Thayer,
Violin obligato by Mr. Marnock.
7. "Who, and What, are Great Men?" Winthrop
Lucy D. Luard, 1901.
8. "The Rising in 1776," Read
Christina P. Mitchell, '99.
9. "Jane Conquest," Milne
Ethel E. Douglas, 1901.
10. "Mona's Water," Anonymous
Mary A. Egan, 1900.
11. "The Ballad of East and West," Kipling
Norma Cutter Lowe, '99.
12. Music—(*a*) "Russian National Hymn," Chorley
(*b*) "Men of Harlech," Whiting
By the School.
13. "Regulus to the Roman Senate," Sargent
Carle R. Hayward 1900.
14. "The Ocean," Byron
Elijah Swift, '99.
15. "Tarpeia," Guiney
Bertha M. Miles, 1901.
16. "A Reminiscence of 1775," E. D. H.
Fannie E. Beckwith, '98.
17. Music—"The Gallant Troubadour," Watson
By the Glee Club.
Misses Lull, Osborne, Phelan, Bates
Sprague and Williams.
Messrs. Burke, Keys, Prout, Marnock, McDonnell, Pendis, Briggs, Thayer and Sargent.
18. Award of Prizes.
19. Music—"Country Fair Waltz," Abt.
By the School.

THE PRIZE WINNERS.

Ex-Mayor Porter, chairman of the School Committee, in presenting the chairman of the judges of declamation spoke in praise of the music and complimented the boys for singing.

Mayor Sears for the judges, regretted that there were not thirteen prizes for declamations so that each of the contestants might have been honored as all were deserving. As a lawyer Mr. Pinkham and myself now realize how it is that juries in court cases often disagree. But the jury has at last reached a verdict.

All the declamations were excellent and the judges had no criticism of the selections. He then announced the following prize winners:

First prize, $15 in books, to Miss Christina P. Mitchell, '99.

Second prize, $12 in books, to Miss Fannie E. Beckwith, '98.

Third prize, $10 in books, to Miss Ethel E. Douglass, 1901.

Fourth prize, $8 in books, to Miss Norma Cutter Lowe, '99.

Fifth prize $5, in books, to Miss E. Gertrude Ward, '98.

ENGLISH ESSAYS.

Class of '98—First prize, $3, "Solomon Grundy," Florence M. Osborne. Subject, "The Companionship of Books." Honorable mention "Portia," Avice E. Williams. Subject, "The Companionship of Books."

Class of '99—First prize, $3, "Olivi": Margaret M. E. Sheahan. Subject, "The Companionship of Books." Honorable mention, "Little Miss Muffet," Bessie Whittemore. Subject, "Resolved, That Quincy is the most desirable suburb of Boston.

Class of 1900—First prize, $3, "Your Uncle Dudley," Carle R. Hayward. Subject, "Snow-bound in a Farm House." Honorable mention, "Roxana," Katherine T. Pendergast. Subject, "Memoirs of Childhood."

Class of 1901—First prize, $3, divided between, "Bourryan," Lucy D. Luard. Subject, "Mature Study," and "X. Y. Z," Jeanie I. Joss. Subject, "My Favorite Books" Honorable mention "Tentum," Bertha Miles. "The Companionship of Books."

GREEK PRIZES.

For translation from Homer's Iliad, book VI 440—502,—First prize $3, "Thoas:" Florence M. Osborne. Honorable mention, "California or Bust!" George R. Lewis.

For translation from Xenophon's Anabasis, book IV, chapter 7, 8—15,—First prize, "Atreus": Helen E. Bemis. Honorable mention, "Clearchus," Lemuel Pitts.

LATIN PRIZES.

For translations from Cicero, "Pro Quinto Ligario Oratie ad Caesarm," chapter I,—First prize, $3, "Antiochus," Florence Osborne. Honorable mention, "Anobazarnes," George R. Lewis.

For translation from Virgil, Æneid, book VI, lines 845,—901,—First prize, $3 "Oliva," Margaret Sheahan. Honorable mention "Cassandra," Miss Tina Hodgkinson.

For translations from Caesar Belli Gallici Liber VI, chapter XIII,—First prize, $3, "History," Kenneth Lewis. Honorable mention, "Minnehaha," Ruth Hayden.

FRENCH PRIZES.

For translations from "Les Miserables" class of '98 (first division.) First prize, $3, "Latinus," Nathaniel Thayer. Honorable mention, "Marie," Julia J. Ford.

For translations from "Colomba," class of '98 (second division), First prize, $3, "Destournelles": George R. Lewis. Honorable mention, "Miniero Treize," Florence M. Osborne.

For translations from "L 'Abbe' Constantin," class of '99, First prize, $3, "Esperance": Christina Mitchell. Honorable mention, "M. Aramis": William E. Mitchell.

GERMAN PRIZES.

For translation from W. H. Riehl's "Der Fluch der Schonheit"—class of '99, First prize $3, "Robert Inglehart," Elijah Swift. Honorable mention, "B. J." Kenneth Lewis.

The judges of the declamations were Mayor Sears, President Pinkham of the City Council, and Miss Mary W. Dewson, a recent graduate of Wellesley. They retired after No. 16 of the programme, and were ready to report as soon as the prizes for essays and translations were announced.

The judge of the Greek translations was Rev. William Gallagher Ph. D., head master of Thayer academy of Braintree. The judge of the Latin Horace Mann Willard, D. Sc., principal of the Quincy Mansion school. The judge of the French, James A. Beatley, Esq., master of English High school of Boston. The judge of the German, Mrs. A. F. Schenkelberger. The judges of the English essays, Mrs. W. G. A. Pattee and Mr. C. T. Hardwick.

Dr. Willard in awarding the Latin prizes, complimented the school on the good work it was doing, in the classics. He said our High school should not neglect the classical training. A few years ago it waned in the country but it had rallied and was on the gain. Particularly in the Virgil did the pupils get the spirit in the difficult text.

To Principal Tupper devolved the duty of awarding the other prizes. He said it was not for the value of the prizes that caused pupils to enter these contests but a willingness to do the will of the teachers and a loyalty to the school.

The prizes for the essays and translations, aggregating $39 in books, was presented by Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., an early graduate of the Quincy High, and for many years a member of the School Committee

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WE, the subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of Constructing and operating a Street, Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof. The name of the Corporation shall be BOSTON AND BROCKTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY. The proposed railway is to commence in the Town of Milton and County of Norfolk, on Adams street, at or near the Boston line at Milton Lower Mills, so called, and extend through said Milton, the City of Quincy and the Town of Randolph, all in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the terminus of the Brockton Street Railway Company, at West Corners, so called, in said Town of Randolph, its southerly terminus. Also to commence in said Town of Milton and said County of Norfolk, on Blue Hill avenue at or near the Boston line at Mattapan, so called, and extend through said Town of Milton to a point at or near the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company depot at East Milton, so called, its easterly terminus. Its length will be about 11 miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches as required by law. The Capital Stock of said Company shall be One Hundred and Ten Thousand dollars ($110,000).

The seven following named persons being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Milton, Quincy and Randolph, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.: Geo. J. Morse of Hyde Park, Mass.; Bradford Hamilton of Milton, Mass.; Alfred H. Crossman of Milton, Mass.; James H. Packard of Milton, Mass.; G. Arthur Hilton of Milton, Mass.; Fred W. Archer of Dorchester, Boston, Mass.; Jonathan B. L. Bartlett of Mattapan, Boston, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names. Witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1898:

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Alfred H. Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Lemuel Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	Five.
James H. Packard,	Milton,	Mattapan,	One.
Charles G. Chick,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
H. B. Humphrey,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
Philip A. Sullivan,	Boston,	45 Milk street,	One.
Jonathan B. L. Bartlett,	Mattapan, Boston,	85 Water St., Boston,	Fifty.
Janar B. Look,	Mattapan, Boston,	449 River street,	One.
G. Arthur Hilton,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Fred W. Archer,	Dorchester, Boston,	1181 Washington St., Dorchester.	One Hundred.
Thos. Johnson,	Dedham,	Dedham,	One Hundred.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	Thirty-four.
Charles E. Stanwood,	Needham,	178 Devonshire St., Boston.	Fifty-five.

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Perfection Flour,	$6.00 bbl.	Dandelions,	25c. "
Rolled Oats,	7 lbs. 25c.	Kail,	10c. "
Maple Syrup,	75c. can.	Parched Oats,	10c. pkg.
Graham Crackers,	2 lbs. 25c.	Seeded Raisins,	3 pkgs. 25c.
Lunch "	4 lbs. 25c.	Large 4 Crown,	10c. lb.
Common "	5 lbs. 25c.	Burnham Beef, Wine & Iron,	30c.
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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The City Council Committee on Fire Department made a tour of the engine houses of the city Friday afternoon. They were accompanied on their trip by Chief Engineer Packard. The committee rode in a hack where they were nice and dry forcing the chief to follow in the rain in his own team. Perhaps the reason why they did not provide a carriage for him was because a chief engineer is supposed to be water proof.

The appropriation order will be reported to the City Council Monday night by the Committee on Finance.

The joint Committee on Streets and Public Buildings will meet tonight to consider the order for a new city stable. The Committee on Streets also have a number of matters before them to be acted upon.

The Committee on Finance held a late session Thursday night. The old town clock struck 12 long before they departed.

Gold fish are of Chinese origin. They were originaly found in a large lake near Mt. Tsientsing, and were first brought to Europe in the 17th century. The first in France came as a present to Mme de Pompadour.

A report of a queer lawsuit comes from Eastkill, N. Y., a hamlet in the heart of the Catskill mountains. The plaintiff is Ole Halverson, a Swede, who cultivates a small farm on the mountain side. He is suing Rev. J. G. Remerton, a German Lutheran minister, for damages for christening his baby by a name which was not to his liking. Halverson is a patriotic Swede and wanted the child named after King Oscar. The minister claims that he christened the baby according to th wishes of its mother.

Five ladies at Vinalhaven, Me., slaughtered and dressed a 300-pound porker the other day. They had no assistance from mankind.

ELECTRICITY'S PART.

IT IS THE MAN AT THE BUTTON WHO FIGHTS THE WAR.

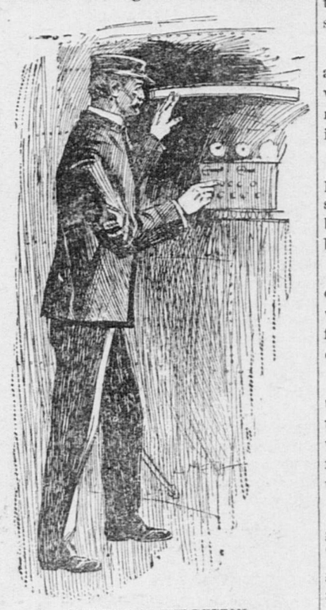
Why Uncle Sam Needs Skilled Electricians In His Army and Navy—Big Warships Would Be Helpless Without Them, and on Land They Are Indispensable.

Today it is the man at the button who fights the big battles. In place of the shouting, dashing, sword waving hero whom we have always associated with war is a silent, calm, cool, determined man who waits until the exact moment arrives and then pushes the button which lets loose the bottled lightning which is to kill and destroy with all the fury of a cyclone. In war as well as in peace the electrician has become indispensable.

On land the uses of electricity when armies are marching about are many, and we are all familiar with them. But on sea the electric fluid is still more useful. It is no longer a newfangled experiment nor even a luxurious convenience. It is a necessity. In no other way can power be transmitted so easily and safely.

Just look at the work it does on a big warship. It hoists the ammunition to the deck, it trains and fires the guns, it gives, by means of the range and position finder, the distance and position of the enemy's ships, it gives a means of signaling, it actuates the torpedoes, it lights and ventilates the ship—in fact, it does good, honest, practical work.

Perhaps you have read the recently published description of the electrical equipment of the Maine. Passing over many technical details, it may be briefly mentioned that the electrical plant included two dynamos and engines. The dynamos were connected to a switchboard, from which all the circuits for the incandescent lamps and motors were supplied, and both motors and lamps could be operated at the same time. There were three electric motors installed on board, with an aggregate of four horsepower. There were electrical telegraphs with dials in each engine room. These were connected to transmitters in the conning tower and in the chart-



THE MAN AT THE BUTTON.

house or on the bridge, from which points the number of engine revolutions desired could be instantly transmitted. These telegraphs were so constructed that messages could be repeated back from the engine room.

Similar telegraphs with repeating dials were placed at all steering wheels and the steering engine. They were connected in the same manner as the engine room instruments, and their indications were seen at all the stations at the same moment. A direct reading rudder transmitter showed the angle of the rudder with the keel and had connection with dials placed on the bridge at the steering engine and in the conning tower. This angle was shown at all the stations simultaneously. There were also heeling indicators, to show the angle of heel and the angle of roll. These were located in the charthouse and on the upper deck.

The dials of all the telegraph and indicators were lighted by electricity, and current for the instruments was supplied from the dynamo circuits, but a battery was kept in reserve in case the dynamos were not in operation. There were in all two hundred and thirty-seven 16 candle power, one hundred and fifty-one 10 candle power and ten 32 candle power incandescent lamps, or a total of 398 lamps. There were 33 voice pipes and 8 telephones on board the ship, 11 electric buzzers, 2 bells, 2 gongs, an automatic water alarm circuit and twelve 10 inch clockwork alarm gongs, with electrical escapements.

What it would mean to have any part of this complicated system destroyed or injured without proper means or skill being at hand for its reconstruction or repair it is not hard to estimate. The helplessness would be still greater in the case of some of our ships which have even more comprehensive electrical installations. The Indiana, for instance, is fitted with electrical turret turning machinery and other modern electrical applications, which must be supervised by attendants of special skill and training, whose place could not be casually filled.

The necessity for having men on board ship who can fix all these wires and switches and appliances when they are shot out of gear has been fully realized of late. Without such men the man at the button is powerless. His switchboard might as well be a checkerboard if the life is not in it.

It is understood that representations of a most impressive nature have been made to the authorities at Washington in regard to the urgency of the immediate formation of an electrical corps for the army and navy. Lieutenant Bradley A. Fiske of the navy has advocated such a step.

It would seem that such a corps could be formed under existing laws, and there would be no difficulty in enlisting members. The attractions of the naval reserve and of the national guard induce a large membership in the different regiments, and membership in an electric regiment would be equally desirable and confer equal distinction.

Lieutenant Fiske's suggestions were made several years ago, and had they been carried out at the time the present emergency would not have been so embarrassing. As it is Uncle Sam needs patriotic electricians, both on sea and land, to make sure that the man at the button may be effective.

CHARLES WARNER.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

A list of new library books appears on an inside page.

L. M. Pratt & Co.'s $2 offer struck the popular fancy today.

William A. Hodges offers land and cottages for sale at North Weymouth.

The street railway employes are in nightly rehearsal for their minstrel show.

The pleasant weather don't seem to materialize, but warm and fair weather is predicted for Sunday.

The Nonparel Social club held a social dance at Hancock hall last evening which was largely attended.

Two accidental deaths, a suicide and a sudden death make quite a record for Quincy during the past week.

Four little playful kittens in the show window of Hearn's drug store are attracting considerable attention.

The house now going up on Clive street, Ward Six, for Councilman Walter Hill is about ready for the roof.

The Quincy and Boston street railway employes are making arrangements for a grand minstrel show at Music hall, Quincy, on May 18th.

When the audience left Music hall last night they were handed a pamphlet by members of the Y. M. C. A., entitled "Shall the old book stand?"

Capt. E. A. Snow of Wollaston Park arrived home yesterday from a cruising trip in Southern waters on the schooner Yacht Alert of Philadelphia.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Park and Downs Congregational church, will give an entertainment and refreshments at the chapel, Wednesday evening, April 20.

The Star tea and coffee store, opposite the fountain, seem to be supplying a long-felt want. They have brown bread fresh every Saturday made by Furguson of Boston.

A number of machinists working over time at the T. R. & S. W. works were furnished with a fifty cent supper for twenty-five cents by the Rebekahs of Wollaston, Thursday night.

With the Knights of Columbus ball, the Historical pageant of Spain and the New World, and the War talk we have had Spain served up at breakfast, dinner and tea and during business hours.

John F. Merrill of the Boston Branch grocery advertises a few bargains. This store has a reputation for reliable goods and it will pay to watch their announcements. They are old advertisers with the Ledger and have just made a contract for another year.

The numerous friends of Mr. Winthrop J. Fearebay of Atlantic, have prevailed upon him to give for their benefit a summer party which will be held in Music hall, Atlantic, the latter part of this month. Elaborate preparation are being made to make this the prettiest party of the season.

The electric cars are once more on the Squantum route, but Atlantic people say if some kind of a time table could be adopted and announced they would be much more liberally patronized. As now run, it is impossible to know when to hit them or how far they are going.

The famous anti-infidel writer and lecturer, H. L. Hastings, will speak in the First Presbyterian church on Water street, Sunday evening, on "Some Hard Nuts for Skeptics to Crack." Residents of all parts of Quincy whose curiosity lead them to Music hall, Friday night are especially and most cordially invited to be present. Everybody welcome.

A small family moved into the John Adams birthplace this week occupying the back rooms. They will care for the house and attend to visitors. Adams Chapter hopes, now that they have secured suitable caretakers, to furnish the house and open it afternoons to the public, in a few weeks. Gifts of antique furniture and the like will be appreciated.

One of the largest real estate transactions which has been consummated in Wollaston for some time was closed a short time ago. It embraced the sale of the fine residence of Mr. Frank P. Waterhouse to Mr. Walter M. Hatch. Mr. Hatch will have the house moved from its present location to the corner of Lincoln and Highland avenue. Mr. Waterhouse will erect a beautiful house on the site of the old one. The new house will have a frontage of 52 feet and will be one of the most sightly residences in the city.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
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" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A retail agent to sell granite. Address H. H., Ledger Office, Quincy. April 14. 1-6t—p-1w

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework in a family of two. Apply to F. H. CRANE, 42 Elm street. Quincy April 15—6t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. H. E. RICKER, 6 Bigelow street. April 15—3t

SALESMAN—$5.00 a day. No canvassing. No deliveries. No collections. Samples free. Side line or exclusive. Mfrs., 3941fr Market St., Philadelphia. 5-19-2-16

WANTED—Experienced Wrapper Makers to work in shop, steam power, steady work. Also a few girls to learn and sewers to take work home. Apply at factory, Badger's building, Willard street, West Quincy. April 11. 6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

TO LET.

TO LET—8 small tenements with all improvements, four and five rooms and bath with set tubs and set range, curtained and screened; just the kind for man and wife; will rent very low. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station and on line of electrics; will be ready May 1. T. H. KINGSTON, Rawson road, Norfolk Downs, or 67 Milk street, Boston. April 12—6t 16-1w

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building. Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two desirable house lots on Sumner street, near Washington street. Will sell at a bargain if applied for at once. JOHN F. MERRILL. April 2—4tSat

FOR SALE—Catboat Chatham, with two suits of sails, mattresses, etc. In good condition. Apply to C. H. ALDEN, 19 Adams St. Quincy, March 31. tf

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Bigelow St. Fine New Residence, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, fireplace, etc.

Washington St. Attractive NEW HOUSE, 7 rooms, sewing room, bath, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

R. D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

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Cottage House, No. 6 Coddington street, one of the most desirable locations in Quincy, with all modern improvements, containing 8 rooms and bath; together with stable, large yard and fruit trees; three minutes' walk from depot.

Slated roof house, 9 rooms, for one or two families, city water with sheds and stable for horses and cows, hennery and five acres of land, suitable for a milk farm. Situated on North St., near electric railroad, fifteen minutes' walk from Quincy Centre station, Old Colony R. R., and within 6 minutes' walk of Quincy Point stores, schools and churches. $20 per month for whole house. Ten acres extra land to let with same if desired.

HENRY H. FAXON.
Quincy, April 7. 12t

B. F. CURTIS,

40 Elm Street, Quincy.

Houses for Rent and for Sale.

Tenement of 7 rooms, No. 10 Elm place, near Universalist church, south side of house, city water. Rent, $12.50 per month.

House, Union street, opposite Whicher's factory, of 8 rooms, with city water. Rent, $10 per month.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter place, with city water. Rent, $8.50 per month.

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This the Leading Millinery Department of New England now occupies the entire second floor

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Prompt Settlement.

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Feb. 26. tf

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TRUE'S Pin Worm ELIXIR

Its efficacy in such troubles—and likewise for all stomach troubles of adults—has never been equalled. **It has been a household remedy for 46 years.** Purely vegetable and harmless. Price **35 cents.** Ask your Druggist for it. **DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.**

Book on "Children" free to mothers. For Tape Worm we have a special treatment. Write for book.

A SEA DEMON.

BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

One morning in the year 1863 as the English brig Fair Hope was to the east of the island of Ceylon, bound for the strait of Malacca, a man who had been sent aloft hailed the deck with the information that a monster shark was lying alongside. The craft had high bulwarks, and the fish might not have been seen but for the man going aloft as he did. This was the first authentic meeting with a shark which afterward took the name of the "Demon of the Sea." About eight feet back of the head was a lump the size of a water pail, and this excrescence was milk white in color. It was no doubt the result of an injury and was a mark by which the shark was known for several years after.

It is the custom aboard of a merchant vessel when a shark appears alongside and the work aboard is not pressing to give the men a chance to destroy their enemy. In this instance, owing to the unusual size of the fish, the captain was anxious to make a capture and carry the specimen into Singapore. Hooks were got out and baited, and for two hours they tried all sorts of tricks to induce the monster to take hold. He was very wary, however, and refused to bite. There was an old harpoon aboard, and when it was seen that the fish could not be captured alive the carpenter got out the irons and tried to harpoon him. In the effort he fell overboard, and the shark seized him and disappeared so quickly that the dozen men who witnessed the affair could scarcely believe they saw aright. The incident was recorded in the log and reference was made to it in Lloyd's Register for the first week in September of the year named. So far as is known this sailor from the Fair Hope was the first white man who fell a victim to the demon, but others were to follow in quick succession.

Three days later and 100 miles to the south of Ceylon the American ship James F. Bradwell, tea laden, was caught in a calm which lasted for six hours. Of a sudden men who were working in the rigging discovered the big shark alongside. He was at first taken for a small whale, and great was the amazement when it was known that he belonged to the man eating species. As in the other case, it was determined to capture him alive, and the men put in three hours' work seeking to tempt him with pork and beef. The big fellow simply refused to take the hook, and his actions were so sluggish that it was at last believed he was almost dead. A boat was lowered in hopes that a noose might be slipped over his tail, and it was while the man with the rope was trying to perform this feat that a tragedy occurred. He was bending over the bows of the boat when he lost his hold and plunged into the water. With lightninglike swiftness the shark turned and seized him, dived under the keel of the ship and was seen no more. Five men were close at hand when the shark grabbed the man, and they were unanimous in declaring that the victim was bolted down as if he had been a five pound piece of pork. That incident was also recorded in the log, and thus made authentic, but I do not think it was ever published. I got it personally 15 years later from the captain of the Bradwell.

The third appearance of the demon, so far as the record goes, was about two weeks later, and in the bay of Bengal, many hundreds of miles distant. An English whaling ship named the Two Sisters was lying off the Andaman islands at anchor while making some repairs aloft. At 10 o'clock in the forenoon, without the fin of a shark having been seen, the demon suddenly rose alongside and lay waiting for his prey. Everybody was astonished at his size, but as the repairs were urgent the men were not allowed to knock off to effect his capture. They did call to three fishermen, however, who were in a boat near at hand, and the natives responded.

The shark played his old game and appeared to be scarcely able to move, and the idea of the men was to noose him and tow him ashore. No sooner had they rounded the stern of the whaler and taken a rope from one of the sailors than the demon turned and made for the boat. The native craft was a frail affair, used only for fishing on the reefs, and the shark struck it head on and stove a great hole in the side. Ropes were thrown to the men floundering in the water, but only one of them was safely hauled aboard the whaler. One was seized and bolted down, and a second, who hung to the ship's rudder, was picked off a moment later. Whatever came handy was hurled overboard to frighten the shark away from his second victim, but he could not be turned aside. This incident was not logged, as it did not concern the ship, but was published at length in the Bombay papers later on.

For the next three months there is no record of the shark's doings, though he might have secured many victims from native craft and the incidents escape public notice. Early in the year 1864 the bark Speedwell, bound from China to her home port of Philadelphia, had just cleared Acheen head, at the entrance to the strait of Malacca, when a sudden squall carried away her main and fore topmasts and several of her sails. This was early in the morning, and while the crew were repairing damages and the ship proceeding on her voyage the big shark came up astern and took up a position on the port side and only about 20 feet away. His length was carefully measured by the officers and recorded at 38 feet 3 inches. He had been heard of through the papers, and the crew were warned to be careful in their work aloft. In hopes to drive the monster away Captain Taylor brought out a heavy shotgun and fired charges of buckshot into him at short range. The leaden missiles must have penetrated to some extent, as the demon gave a sudden dart and disappeared for a time, but five minutes later he was back in his old position. He was thus fired upon and driven away three successive times, but when he came back the fourth time he took up his position astern of the ship and swam so low in the water that the shot failed to reach him.

He hung by the ship from 7 o'clock in the morning to 4 in the afternoon. At that hour the repairs were about complete, and the men were laughing and joking over the persistency of the demon, when one of them fell from the yard as they were making sail. He turned over and over in his descent, but struck the water feet first and was out of sight a long minute. When he came to the surface, he shot his full length out of water, and the men uttered a cheer to encourage him, and the life preserver was cut away. The man had just grasped it when the shark seized him by the legs, and those who were looking saw both man and the life preserver disappear in the maw of the monster. Later on fragments of the float came to the surface, but nothing further was seen of the shark. The incident was logged and duly reported in New York.

News of strange things at sea passes about in maritime circles with wonderful celerity. The various adventures with the demon were soon known far and wide, and every craft sailing for India or China kept a sharp lookout for him. If he was seen between January and April, 1864, there is no record of it, but on the 15th day of the latter month, when I left the port of St. Luis, in the island of Mauritius, bound for Bombay, in the brig Charleston, the monster appeared alongside before we were 50 miles out of port. This was the first time he had been seen so far to the south and was a distance of 3,000 miles from the spot where he had snapped up his last man. The demon appeared to us suddenly, as in all other cases. When sharks are around, their dorsal fins can be seen cutting the water here and there, and they seldom come near a moving craft. The first thing we knew the monster was running with the ship, and so close that one could have touched him with a ten foot pole. We measured his length by the rail, and then a tapeline gave us exactly 38 feet 3 inches. The only weapons aboard were two navy revolvers, and the captain took one and I the other, and we fired 12 bullets fair into the body of the fish. I am telling you the plain truth when I say that he did not swerve an inch or seem to feel the slightest pain. The bullets certainly went into him, but when an ordinary shark can have two or three feet cut off his tail and still continue to swim about unconcernedly there isn't much hope of pistol bullets ending his life.

Knowing that the presence of the demon meant a horrible death to any man who fell overboard, the word was passed for every one to be very careful of himself while aloft. The shark picked us up of a Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. We had a fair wind for the north, and up to Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock he had not secured a victim. No matter whether the breeze was strong or weak, whether it was daylight or darkness, the demon kept his place alongside. We tried him with baited hooks, we stuffed an old suit of clothes and threw the figure overboard, we put more bullets into him and worked all sorts of schemes to drive him off, but it was not to be done. If he sheered off at some demonstration, it was to return aft after a moment and take up his old position. His presence was such a menace and peril that all felt uncomfortable and nervous, and by order of the captain the men were kept out of the rigging except when it became positively necessary to go aloft. When Friday came and no accident had happened, we began to take heart and hoped to see the demon leave us. In all those days and nights he had eaten nothing, and so easy was it for him to keep pace with us that one might watch for an hour and not notice a movement of his tail. While we were hoping that hunger and the long swim had about exhausted him the cook got upon the rail on the opposite side from the shark to draw a pail of water. A sudden lurch of the ship sent him overboard. I happened to be watching the shark at the same moment. With the quickness of thought he was gone from under my eyes, and, passing under the brig, he seized the cook before the latter had time to cry out and before a man had advanced to the rail. Four or five sailors got there just in time to see the victim disappear, and as there was no tinge of blood on the water they could well declare that the shark had swallowed him whole.

A month later, 300 miles to the eastward of Mauritius, the demon arose alongside the Scotch whaler Albatross and followed her two days and got a man who fell from the bowsprit. Three months later, to the south of Madagascar, he got a man from a Boston ship called the White Wave. During the same year, when the English ship Cape Horn was wrecked off Cape Town and some of the crew took to a raft, the big shark followed the raft for seven days and nights and devoured nine different men who fell or leaped into the sea. In 1865 the demon cruised in the route of ships between Cape Town and Australia and was seen a dozen times. In 1866 he was back in the bay of Bengal. The last seen of him was off the Lakadive islands in the Arabian sea. He arose alongside of an English gunboat one afternoon, and, after taking his measure, one of the guns was loaded with shell and trained to bear on him. When the smoke cleared away, the shark could no longer be seen, and as he was never met with afterward by any craft which made a record of the circumstance it may be safely argued that he was put out of the way for good and all.

Variable Heights.

"How tall be you, Henry?"

"'Bout six foot, I guess, with my boots off. How tall be you?"

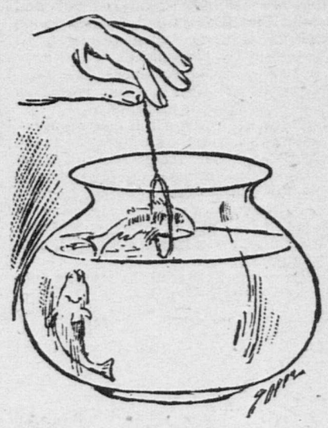
"'Bout six foot when my hair's cut."—Harper's Bazar.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

TRAINED GOLDFISH.

They Can Dance and Jump Through a Suspended Ring.

William F. Simon, 485 East Forty-sixth street, has a pair of trained goldfishes. They are of the Japan fantail variety and 4 years old. He began training them when they were very small and now they perform many remarkable and amusing tricks. One of them is leaping through a ring. This he suspends by a cord in the natatorium and at the word of command they jump through it after the fashion of a dog through a hoop, back and forth, so long as the ring is held in position for them. Mr. Simon also has taught them another



novel but more intricate feat. It is no less than going through the figures of a quadrille. This, Mr. Simon says, required a great deal of time and a vast amount of patience, but he was finally rewarded with perfection in the unique performance. As there are only two of them they cannot be said to perform a quadrille proper, but they go through all the movements of the genuine article. "Forward and back," "cross over and back to places," "swing corners," "grand right and left" and "all promenade" are rendered with the utmost precision.—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Homemade Barometer.

The boys of today, with their never ending round of outdoor amusements and sports, are sometimes a sore trial to their long suffering mothers when stormy weather prevents their going outdoors to play. A good way to amuse a boy in these emergencies is to let him make a barometer. This will not only interest him for the time being, but will also prove useful when he is planning his bicycle trip or tramp abroad on a holiday. Let him take a pint of alcohol and put into it a quarter of an ounce each of camphor, saltpeter and ammonia salts. When all is thoroughly dissolved, let it be poured into a rather long bottle, tightly corked and sealed with wax, to exclude all air. Put it outside of the window, on the north side of the house if possible, and teach the young man to look for the signs of change in the weather in the crystallizations which are produced.

If the liquid is perfectly clear, fair weather may be looked for. If it is disturbed or cloudy, it is a sign of rain. If downy masses form in the bottom, frost, or at least colder weather, is to be expected, and if these masses rise toward the top it will get colder still. The formation of little stars in the liquid is a sign of a heavy storm.—Exchange.

Johnny, the Swimmer.

Now, Johnny cannot read or write, and his knowledge of English is limited, but he is not without education. He is a Kanaka gentleman, who lives in Nawiliwidi, Lihue, Kauai, and his name is really Kuolaki, but Johnny is simpler. Johnny used to steal ducks. His method was to dive under them and snatch them under water by the legs, afterward stuffing their "corposes delicti" into a bag he had hidden on shore. Now he has reformed and earns his living sometimes as a guide, sometimes as a lobster catcher. In diving after lobsters Johnny will swim into caves that do not show above water at all and stay there for half an hour or so, until his companions are sure he's dead, when he'll come diving out, plop, showing all his white teeth in a merry grin. Johnny will dive for pennies or tiny silver coins to any depth. But that is done in other parts of the world.

Knowest Thou How to Begin Life?

Rev. Dr. Hall thus wisely speaks to young people: "There are two ways of setting up in life. One is to begin where your parents are ending—magnificent mansion, splendid furniture and elegant turnout. Is not that the pretty dream of many about their start in life? The other is to begin a little nearer the point where father and mother—of blessed memory—began. You see, my young friend, you can go up so easily and gracefully if events show it to be safe, but it would be trying and awkward to come down. And it costs much now to live, and business fluctuates, and health is uncertain, and temptations from the side of pride are strong, and many a young man who did not mean to be extravagant has been led along, and rather than face the position and descend manfully has tried to keep up the embezzlement and been called 'swindler.'"

If I Knew.

If I knew the box where the smiles are kept,
No matter how large the key
Or strong the bolt, I would try so hard—
'Twould open, I know, for me.

Then over the land and sea broadcast
I'd scatter the smiles to play,
That the children's faces might hold them fast
For many and many a day.

If I knew a box that was large enough
To hold all the frowns I meet,
I would try to gather them, every one,
From nursery, school and street.

Then, folding and holding, I'd pack them in
And turn the monster key.
I'd hire a giant to drop the box
To the depths of the deep, deep sea.

—Selected.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 17. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Lessons from great missionaries.—Acts xiii, 1-3, 13-33, 42-52.

Christianity is essentially a missionary religion. The mission of the Christian church, as marked out by its Head and Founder, is a worldwide mission. All nations are to be led to Christ, and the only way by which this can be done is for the disciples of Christ to go as missionaries and tell all men the story of Jesus and His love. This has been done from the earliest days of Christianity. This thirteenth chapter of the Acts of the Apostles tells the story of the origin and beginning of the first great missionary movement under the Holy Ghost and Paul, by which the Roman empire was to be led to Christ. Paul was the greatest of the early followers of Christ. He consecrated his life to missions. Many of Christianity's great men have done the same thing since. From their lives we may learn useful and important lessons as to what is necessary to successfully carry forward God's work, whether at home or abroad.

1. From great missionaries we may learn to submit ourselves to God. This is characteristic of all great missionaries. They submitted themselves entirely to God. They were guided by the Holy Ghost. In the origin of Christian missions the Holy Ghost said to the church at Antioch, "Separate Me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them." The church submitted. Barnabas and Saul submitted. After fasting and prayer and the laying on of hands Barnabas and Saul were sent away. After listening to a missionary address when a young man in England Robert Moffat, the great missionary, went home to his room and prayed that if it were God's will he would send him forth to preach the gospel to the heathen. He found it was God's will and gladly went forth. Entire surrender to God is a necessary prerequisite to successful work for God.

2. From great missionaries we may learn to be willing to labor in new and uncultivated fields. Barnabas and Saul carried the gospel where it had not been before. Paul afterward declared that he built upon no other man's foundation. It is recorded in the life of Livingstone that early he showed "a fixed determination not to labor in more accessible fields, but to strike out beyond." To strike out beyond requires courage, self sacrifice, willingness to do hard work, but it pays in the end, and we should be willing to do it. In his first striking out into the inland of Africa Robert Moffat lived for six months alone in a rude hut. "In this hut," says the historian, "he remained, exposed to the sun, rain, dogs, snakes and cattle, doing his own sewing and cooking and often having nothing to cook, consoling himself with his violin and Scotch psalms, but with all his hardships maintaining regular day schools and preaching services." And God blessed his arduous, self sacrificing toil. God will bless us if we are willing to do the hardest work for Christ.

Bible Readings.—Isa. lii, 7; Nah. i, 15; Math. v, 11, 12; xxviii, 18-20; Rom. ix, 1-5; x, 14, 15; Acts i, 6-14; viii, 26-40; xv, 25, 26; xvi, 8-12; I Cor. iii, 5-10; ix, 19-22; II Cor. xi, 23-33; II Tim. iv, 6-8; Heb. xi, 36-40.

Common Sense In Doing Good.

We want more common sense in doing good. Oh, how many people there are who want to do good and they are dead failures! Why is it? They do not exercise the same tact, the same ingenuity, the same stratagem, the common sense in the work of Christ that they do in worldly things; otherwise they would succeed in the other. There are many men who have an arrogant way with them, although they may not feel arrogant in their soul, or they have a patronizing way. They talk to a man of the world in a manner which seems to say, "Don't you wish you were as good as I am? Why, I have to look clear down before I can see you, you are so far beneath me." That manner always disgusts, always drives men away from the kingdom of Jesus Christ instead of bringing them in.—Dr. Talmage.

A Plea For Egypt.

Egypt is parched and dry. The Nile is low and practically useless for watering the land. The farmer looks in dismay. There can be no harvest unless the seed is watered. Is there no supply for his need? Yes. On the snow capped mountains of Africa there is all he needs, but it is snow, and so useless. But the fiery sun arises, the snow is melted, the lakes are filled, the rill overflows, and the land is refreshed, the seed grows, a harvest is sure. Men are as the snow. They need the Holy Spirit to bless the world.—Preachers' Magazine.

The Difference.

Responsibility is a word of six syllables, love is a word of but one. Yet the distance between them is very much greater than the difference in time it takes to write them.—Lutheran.

Endeavor Jottings.

Cincinnati proposes to send a large delegation to Nashville, 1898, to work and talk for Cincinnati, 1899.

There are in Wisconsin and Illinois 29 Welsh Christian Endeavor societies, with 1,500 members. They have formed a Welsh Christian Endeavor union.

The railroad rate to Nashville, 1898, has been definitely decided by several railroad associations. It will be a one fare rate from all points and return.

Secretary Baer has been invited by the British council to cross the Atlantic and to attend the next British national convention, which will be held in Glasgow in May.

It is significant of the growth of Christian Endeavor in Ireland that at a county rally, the mid-Ulster rally, there came together recently more than 300 visiting delegates.

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COLLEGE BOYS' ESCAPE

Harvard Races In Heavy Wind and Rough Water.

Shells Filled and Occupants In Grave Danger.

Exhausted Freshman Rescued From Under a Wharf.

Cambridge, Mass., April 16.—The Harvard class races were postponed yesterday on account of rough water, while the races of the Weld crews resulted in the swamping of all five boats and a narrow escape from drowning of some of the oarsmen. The Weld Boat club races were scheduled to precede the class races, and the five crews were started at 6 o'clock despite the heavy wind and rough water. The race was a pretty one until the crews were half way between Longwood and Harvard bridges, when the sophomore shell began to fill. The referee at once signalled the race off, but the other crews did not hear the whistle and kept on.

While men in the referee's boat were rescuing the crew of the sophomore shell, the juniors and seniors went down, and for a few minutes there seemed a possibility that some of the men might become exhausted and sink before they could be reached. With the assistance of the coacher's launch all the men were pulled out of the water, although some of them had been overboard nearly 15 minutes.

In the meantime the shells of the freshmen and the law school had met the same fate, but fortunately the men were near the coal wharf, and all managed to reach the shore with the exception of Mackey, the freshman stroke, who floated under the wharf. He was rescued soon after in an exhausted condition.

SOUTHERN COMPETITION.

Important Statement and Conclusions by a Massachusetts Official.

Boston, April 16.—What will probably be considered the most interesting feature of the latest number of the Massachusetts labor bulletins is that portion which deals with the effect of southern competition on the northern mills. Mr. Wadlin's figures do not bear out the statements of the mill men. For instance, instead of the cotton industry of Massachusetts declining in the face of competition, as might be expected, Mr. Wadlin says the industry is rapidly extending.

The value of cotton goods made in Massachusetts in 1890 amounted to $100,202,882. This is far in excess of the amount produced in any of the other states, Georgia leading the southern group with a total product of $12,035,629, South Carolina next with a product of $9,800,798, and North Carolina next, with a product of $9,563,443.

The proximity of the southern mills to the cotton fields is largely offset by higher freight rates and other factors, so that no great difference is to be seen in the price of cotton at the mill, while the southern mills are a great distance from the centers of distribution of the product, and they are also further away from the sources whence machinery and supplies must be obtained. That profits are never again to be had in the industry in Massachusetts, and that wages are to be reduced permanently is improbable. That Massachusetts will ever lower the conditions that have been fixed, not merely by law, but by public sentiment, for the employment of women and children, and for the sanitation of factories, is equally improbable.

In his conclusions, Mr. Wadlin says: "That profits are never again to be had in the industry in Massachusetts, or that wages are to be reduced permanently, is improbable. That Massachusetts will ever lower the conditions that have been fixed, not merely by law but by public sentiment, for the employment of women and children, and for the sanitation of factories, is equally improbable. The industry in Massachusetts will conform to new conditions. It will abandon certain kinds of goods, which cannot be profitably made; it will extend the output of others and cheapen production by improvements in machinery and processes. Some capital may be withdrawn in certain lines and diverted to other industries, or may even go south, as in a few instances it has already. New capital will be invested in other branches of the industry, as during the past year. New equipment and new economies of management will be introduced, and thus, gradually, the industry in each section will take the form to which it is best adapted."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 16.—Governor Wolcott sent a message to the legislature yesterday afternoon recommending an emergency appropriation of $500,000 to increase the efficiency of the state militia. A bill was promptly framed embodying the recommendations of the governor, and was referred to the proper committee. Then it was reported back, and under suspension of the rules, passed both branches and became a law. It required only 24 minutes to transact this legislation.

The ways and means committee reported an appropriation of $69,000 for the Worcester lunatic hospital, $20,000 of which shall be for a new administration building, and $18,000 for a new kitchen; also an appropriation of $69,930 for the Tewksbury almshouse, of which $50,000 is for a hospital for consumptives; "ought not to pass" on the appropriation for illuminating the dome and lantern of the state house, and for improvements in the state house grounds.

Mr. Crouch of Northampton had discharged from the orders the bill relative to the exemption of the property of widows of soldiers or sailors from taxation. The house concurred with the senate amendment to exempt only $2000, and then only in case the total property was not over $5000. This completes the

The house reconsidered its action in refusing to admit a bill for the repeal of the charter of the Massachusetts pipe line, but after admitting the bill it was tabled.

QUIETING DOWN OF TRADE.

Prevailing Uncertainty In Foreign Affairs the Cause of It.

New York, April 16.—The effect of the prevailing uncertainty in foreign affairs is reflected in a further quieting down of general trade, so far as future engagements are concerned, in nearly all parts of the country, says Bradstreet's. While there is little more activity to be noted in the demand for seasonable staples at the west and northwest, where better weather has helped retail and wholesale trade alike, rather more quiet is reported at the east and at the south Atlantic and gulf ports, where the interruption to business has become particularly serious. The disposition to buy only actual necessities has developed a hand to mouth demand in the latter section of the country, but the chief effect is found in the indisposition to embark in new enterprises, or to contract new obligations pending the definite settlement of the foreign controversies.

Anthracite coal continues very dull, and talk of restriction is heard, but the April production seems likely to be 500,000 tons in excess of requirements. Wool continues dull at nominal prices at the east, and the activity in drygoods is confined chiefly to goods needed at once. Cotton goods prices are steady, except for print cloths, talk of curtailing production in which is continued. Low priced woolens continue in most active demand in this branch of trade.

A conspicuous exception to the less satisfactory reports coming from the country's industries since April 1 is found in the report of railroad earnings for March, which show little or no effect exercised upon transportation matters by the prevailing uncertainty. Owing to large gains early in the month, due to immense business doing in the country generally, to the large cotton crop movement, the activity in the iron trade, the demand for American cereals and other products, and last, but not least, to the Klondike boom, the American and Canadian railroads show total earnings for March which in volume and percentage of gain compare favorably with any preceding month since the improvement in trade began. The total earnings of 12 railroads, operating 98,168 miles of roads, aggregated $46,500,000, a gain over March last year of over $6,000,000, or over 15 percent. This is the heaviest increase but one reported since last summer.

As was correctly foreshadowed last week the increase in the volume of bank clearings proved to be only temporary, and due, as was pointed out, to the inclusion of a number of monthly settlements. The clearings at 85 leading cities for the week aggregated $1,085,000,000, a falling off of 15 percent from last week, but a gain of 13 percent over last year, 10 percent over 1896, 16 percent over 1895 and 19 percent over 1894.

BOSTON OPINION.

A Caustic Attack on the Peace-at-Any-Price Upholders.

Boston, April 16.—The Advertiser takes the $500,000 appropriation by the Massachusetts legislature as the text for moralizing in these words: "The commonwealth of Massachusetts, speaking through her governor and the two branches of the state legislature, made her answer yesterday to those men and newspapers in Boston and hereabout who have been persistently, pestiferously, insultingly and slanderously declaring that it would be a moral crime for our country to intervene in the interest of humanity to put an end to Spanish atrocities on the island of Cuba."

"The main thing to be done," in the judgment of The Post, "is to get Spain out of Cuba. How this is to be done is comparatively of little account. The most direct way is the best way; and when this is said, all is said. Intervention, recognition, any and all forms of proceeding, look straight to war in case Spain refuses to accept the ultimatum of the United States; and with war as the immediate and probable inevitable end of whatever action congress may take, delay for the purpose of talk is useless and dangerous. If we are to fight, the quicker we get to fighting the better for us. Postponement goes to the advantage of our enemy."

This is how The Globe illustrates "E pluribus unum:" "The chorus of the union is swelling day by day. In this hour we afford the world a most impressive demonstration of the wisdom of our unique system of federated sovereignties. It is seen now that all our eggs are not in one basket, as in the case of the European empires and kingdoms."

The Journal regards Senator Hoar's declaration that our stroke for Cuban peace and Cuban freedom "will lead to the most honorable single war in all history, unless we except wars entered upon by brave people in the assertion of their own liberty," as "the solemn judgment of the oldest and wisest of Massachusetts statesmen now in public life. Let the peace-at-any-price advocates—if indeed there be any such now left in this commonwealth—think well upon it," the paper concludes.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Rains continue along the coast from Washington to Eastport, with brisk to high northeast to northwest winds. The disturbance will pass off to the eastward today. The weather continues fair and warm in other parts of the country. Fair weather now at hand will probably last through Sunday in New England, but become unsettled, as a new storm is developing in the west and upper valleys, moving east. Warmer Sunday, with westerly winds.

ALMANAC, SUNDAY, APRIL 17.
Sun rises—5; sets, 6:28.
Moon rises—3:09 a. m.
High tide—8:30 a. m.; 9 p. m.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Charles A. Horne has been appointed postmaster at Mirror Lake, N. H.

Samuel Horn, the oldest business man in Lowell, Mass., died of pneumonia. He was 91 years of age.

Grave fears are entertained regarding the safety of the Portland (Me.) schooner David Torrey. Her cargo consisted of drain pipe, and her destination was Boston. Nothing has been heard from her since March 28.

The visit of Mr. Bryan to Waterbury and Naugatuck, Conn., was the occasion of a great demonstration, and he was likewise tendered an ovation at Derby and Ansonia, en route. At the close of his lecture at Naugatuck Mr. Bryan was driven to New Haven, where he took a train for Boston.

M'AULIFFE'S BELT SOLD.

John B. Hurley Bought It at a Bowery Auction Sale In New York.

A belt of silver, garnished with gold, diamonds, sapphires and rubies, that lightweight pugilists have fought for in England, California, New Orleans and New York, was recently auctioned off in a sale of pawnbroker's unredeemed pledges on the Bowery in New York. It rested the other night in the showcase of a South street "old curiosity" shop, surrounded by marine oddities preserved in bottles, sheath knives, compasses, a baby's caul and the other useful and fanciful articles that tempt deep sea sailors in such stores. The former owner was Jack McAuliffe, who had pledged it with a Brooklyn pawnbroker.

Outstretched the belt measured a trifle less than four feet. It is said to have cost $1,000. Neither the auctioneer nor the buyer would tell the sum paid for it. It had been offered at a sale a year ago, when the pawnbroker bid it in, as the $200 he had loaned on it was not reached by the bidders.

"I bought the belt partly because I am one of McAuliffe's old time followers and partly on speculation," said the purchaser, John B. Hurley, at the South street shop. "I don't know what I will do with it. Kid McPartland is a friend of mine, and should he whip Lavigne I will give the belt to him—that is, if no one buys it before that time."—New York Sun.

BITS OF BASEBALL.

Cleveland will have two of the swiftest runners in the League in Sockalexis and McAleer.

The Western league has increased President Ban Johnson's salary from $3,000 to $3,500.

Treasurer Wagner claims that the Washington club has spent $65,000 in developing players since 1892.

Gus Weyhing pitched 87 games in the Texas league last season and had 70 per cent of victories to his credit.

The Cincinnati infield will be: Beckley, first base; McPhee, second base; Irwin, third base; Corcoran, short stop.

The once noted first base man, Mike Lebane, is wholly blind, and is being taken care of by friends in New York city.

Chance, Chicago's new catcher, has one attainment that is almost sensational. No more rapid or accurate throwing is possible than he has shown in practice.

Billy Keeler of the Baltimores is of the opinion that a left handed infielder never will be a success in the big league, because of his inability to handle bunt hits rapidly.

The strain to which catchers are sometimes subjected may be illustrated by the experience of Connie Mack, who one season caught 125 games, handling the delivery of 22 pitchers.

Joseph Leiter, the wheat speculator, has offered a number of silver cups to Harvard to be competed for by scrub nines. The offer has been accepted and a schedule is now under consideration. Leiter is a member of the class of '94.

Sockalexis' old failing on ground balls is as noticeable as ever. When he wakes up in time to get after a fly, he handles it splendidly and his throwing is quite as phenomenal as it ever was, but he turns many a single into a double or three bagger by letting it slip through him.

VARIETY OF SPORTS.

Guy Murchie has charge of the Harvard spring football practice.

Tom Fennell, Cornell, '96, has consented to return to Ithaca next fall and assist Glen Warner in coaching the football team.

S. P. Avery has challenged Dr. Paul Newman for a 100 yard swimming race, to take place in the tank of the Chicago Athletic association.

The sum of $604.35 was realized by the New York Athletic club Jacobi testimonial for the benefit of the family of the late fencing instructor.

The National Lawn Tennis association has made a move in the right direction by offering a suitable prize for the interscholastic tennis championship of the United States.

Colonel Hamburger, the assistant special commissioner to the Paris exposition, is meeting with great success in interesting the French people in the athletic section of the exhibition.

Williams college is seriously considering the question of laying out a new athletic field with an improved track. The cost will amount to about $12,000, which the alumni is expected to subscribe.

Foxhall Keene's Nervy Golf Play.

Foxhall Keene, who was pitted against W. Fairbanks of St. Andrews, Scotland, at Aiken, a few days ago, gave an exhibition of polo "nerve" that made his match one of the most brilliant and exciting of the day. In the first round Fairbanks had him two down at the end of the ninth hole. Keene managed to cut this lead down on the return journey, but when he drove into the bunker guarding the home green it was considered all up with his chances. It required more confidence than most golfers possess for him to drop his ball back of the bunker, but Keene did it, and with his next stroke he not only cleared the obstruction, but landed dead for the hole. Fairbanks missed his put to halve the match, and Keene won by one up.—Boston Herald.

Professional Golfers' Salaries.

There is a growing tendency among the larger clubs near New York not to pay the professionals a fixed salary, but to allow them to make their profit from the sale of clubs and from money earned by giving instruction in the game. Both Shinnecock and Ardsley have decided to adopt this policy, and other organizations are expected to fall in with it.—New York Tribune.



A magnificent example of what care of health will do for a man is presented in the life of Mr. Gladstone, the greatest statesman of the century. This "Grand Old Man" at eighty-six years of age, retained his intellectual vigor unabated, and had not lost the sinewy grip with which he fastened upon any subject that interested him.

Nearly every man has it in his power to live to a green old age like the great statesman of England. It is simply a matter of a little daily thought and regard for health. If, when a man feels that he is a little out of sorts, he will resort to the right remedy, he will never have to submit to the more serious ills of life. Most men, when they have a headache, feel drowsy during the day and are restless during the night, and find their appetite falling off, pay little or no heed to these warnings. The inevitable result is some dangerous and possibly fatal malady. The doctor may call it consumption, malaria or biliousness, or perhaps some blood or skin disease. It makes but little difference. These troubles all have their inception in the same cause—improper and insufficient nourishment. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery corrects that cause. It makes the appetite keen and hearty, the digestion perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It facilitates the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food, filling the blood with the nutriment that makes new and healthy flesh and nerve tissue. Medicine dealers sell it.

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QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand.
Loring's Pharmacy, Wollaston Park.
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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 4:35 p. m. | New Moon 20 5:37 p. m.
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She Wanted to Know.



Miss Stumbles (writing to a friend abroad)—The postal arrangements in the country you are in are, I know, very indifferent, and letters are frequently lost. Please let me know if this does not reach you.—Nuggets.

A Mistake.



Officer—Where did you steal that dress suit case?

Shadysides Willie—Officer, you are mistaken. I have just returned from my European trip.—New York Journal.

Boston Association.

The Boston association will meet at the Universalist church, Quincy, on Wednesday, April 20.

General subject: The Four-Square Life.

3.00 P. M.—Opening exercises.

3.15 P. M.—Address "The Physical Side." Rev. D. M. Hodge, M. D.

Address, "The Intellectual Side." Rev. S. G. Dunham.

6.00 P. M.—Supper: 25 cents per plate.

7.30 P. M.—Devotional exercises.

7.45 P. M.—Address, "The Social Side." Rev. James F. Albion.

Address, "The Religious Side." Rev. Albert Walkley.

Music by Ladies' Quartette.

Meetings to commence on time.

TODAY'S COURT.

Timothy Dailey was fined $5 for drunkenness t Quincy.

Thomas O'Holloran was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Randolph. Case continued until April 30.

The continued case of Martin Currey for assault at Quincy was called and he was defaulted.

INTERESTED PEOPLE.

Advertising a patent medicine in the peculiar way in which the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam for Coughs and Colds does it, is indeed wonderful. He authorizes all druggists to give to those who call for it, a sample bottle *Free*, that they may try it before purchasing. The large bottles are 25 and 50c. We certainly would advise a trial. It may save you from consumption.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Last evening the Weymouth Fire Department held their first annual concert and ball at the Skating Rink, East Weymouth, for the benefit of the Weymouth Firemen's Relief Association. The Salem Cadet Band, Jean M. Missud, conductor, furnished a fine promenade concert of six numbers from 8 to 9 o'clock.

At 9 o'clock an alarm was rung in when the grand march was started by Mr. Otis Cushing chief of the Weymouth Fire Department, the floor marshal of the evening, Miss Abbie Cushing, followed by 90 couples.

An excellent order of dances was given and at 12 o'clock a banquet was served in the banquet hall. After the banquet, dancing was enjoyed until three o'clock, thus closing the first annual of the Weymouth Fire Department.

Sunday evening at 7,30, at Trinity church, Rev. William Hyde will reply to Ingersoll's lecture delivered at Quincy Music Hall on "Why I am an Agnostic-" Mr. Hyde attended the lecture last evening.

In accordance with a clause in their constitution, which calls for the election of officers the last Friday in every term, the Literary Society of the North High, held a business meeting yesterday. President Drown presided, and after the secretary's report of the last meeting had been read and accepted, Messrs. Randall and Willoby were appointed tellers, and the balloting began. It being understood that no officer should be re-elected:

President,—Mr. Fawn, '98.
Vice President,—Miss Bates, '99.
Secretary,—Miss Gunville, '99.
Reporter,—Raymond, '99.

The street cleaning department under the supervision of Supt. Maynard has been at work on Washington street, the past week.

April showers bring forth May flowers. This is the song of the poet. April, the bearer of showers. It seems also to be the producer of wheels, and judging from the number of new wheels which have come into town this month, the cycle industry must rival Uncle Sam's ship building industry. Wheels are as numerous as war rumors.

George French has returned from a visit to New York.

"Ned" Whitehouse has moved into the house owned by George French, situated on the corner of Spring and Broad streets.

Lorenzo White, conductor on Weymouth and Braintree Street Railway is ill.

Engineer Morse at the Weymouth and Braintree power station is confined to the house with a fever.

Superintendent of schools, Norcross, and several members of the school board visited the North High yesterday. Dr. Drake, chairman of the board delivered a brief address. He stated that in accordance with a vote cast at the last town meeting which reduced the transportation appropriation to $1,000, he was obliged to announce that the town would cease to transport the pupils free. He stated that no blame should be attached to him in regard to this matter, as it was a very unpleasant duty for him to perform. As some of the pupils live at a distance of from one to two and a half miles, and will be obliged to walk or furnish their own means of transportation.

The public schools of Weymouth closed today for a week's vacation.

The North High should have a good athletic team next season.

Charles W. Tirrell of Dartmouth '99 is spending a brief vacation with his parents.

Wendall B. Clapp has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Bowditch are on a trip to New York.

Miss Kate Hart has been spending a few days with Boston friends.

A. J. Sidelinger, instructor of music in the public schools, is confined to the house by illness.

F. O. Wellington is in Washington, D. C., on a business trip.

At Pythian hall tomorrow, Rev. H. S. Snyder of the Union Congregational Society will preach a sermon entitled "Our call to bear witness to the risen Christ."

Rev. F. B. Cressey's subject for tomorrow will be, "The Transfiguration of Jesus."

Clarence Eaton, son of Rev. B. F. Eaton, formerly of this place, will supply the pulpit at the Universalist church tomorrow.

—The receivers of the Massachusetts Benefit Life state that the beneficiaries of approved claims, amounting in all to about $1,000,000, will receive about 40 per cent. Not so bad as it might be but still bad enough.

BRAINTREE.

The annual meeting of the South Parish will be held, in that church on Monday evening.

Mr. William Amory has sold his handsome steam yacht Philomena to a Mr. Hamlin of Boston.

The headquarters of the Glenwood Social club are appropriately draped both the interior and exterior in memory of their late president Edward S. Stetson, who died Tuesday.

Mr. Wilde the organist at the First church, has been engaged for another year. Mr. Wilde is a young man of ability, always at his post promptly, and always obliging and agreeable to his associates who see a bright future before him.

The railroad company has erected a fence between the siding and the main line to prevent patrons from persistantly endangering their lives by rushing in front of passing trains at the Braintree station. There have been several very narrow escapes recently caused by carelessness and the employes of the road have, in some cases been almost obliged to use force to keep people at a safe distance from passing trains.

Mr. Charles Kohler who has been the leading bass in the chorus at the First church, has been obliged to give up the position on account of conflicting duties. Mr. Kohler has been a favorite with the congregation and many regrets have been expressed that he can not remain. He has been a tower of musical strength, a fact which is appreciated. The committee has been fortunate in securing Mr. L. W. Morrison to fill the position.

The many friends of the Rev. George A. Sisson will be pained to hear of his death, at his home at North Dighton, on Tuesday, after a short illness of diphtheria.

The highest bowling up to date is G. E. Peverley of Quincy, on candles 110 pins. Lawrence W. Spaulding of this town has 215 pins on the bottles. H. A. Porter has 102 on the candles.

Mr. F. O. Wellington went to Washington Wednesday night on business connected with the manufacture of torpedo boats.

The hearing on the location for the Boynton road took place in the lower Town Hall, Saturday evening. There were about a hundred representative men present, and an interesting discussion took place. There was no objection to the road, in fact there was a unanimous desire expressed to have the road built, but there was a strong objection to the location at the north part of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Bent, of Bellingham, are the guests of their son, Dr. E. Bent. Mrs. Bent met with a painful accident on arriving at Braintree. She was about to leave the car when she tripped over a valise that had been allowed to protrude into the aisle and in falling cut her face in two places. The wounds are not serious but unpleasant, especially as she has but just recovered from the effects of another accident.

Mrs. W. H. Harrison and son, Mr. T. P. Harrison, have been in Philadelphia this week.

The Literary club will meet next Monday evening at the residence of Mr. A. S. Morrison.

Dr. W. D. Holmes, who purchased Mr. Snows' house on Franklin street will move there with his bride, April 27th.

There will be a meeting of the First Universalist parish at the home of Mr. Whitty, on Central avenue, next Thursday evening.

The Hitormissit Tennis club met last night and voted to build a new court. The motion to admit ladies to membership was defeated.

Peter J. Williams of Quincy is doing the wood work on the Quincy avenue bridge which is being done jointly by the town and the Quincy & Boston street railway.

One of the local sportsmen at East Braintree, while Hunt-(ing) for a good place to anchor his new boat on Wednesday, evidently followed out scriptural advice, for when the wind blew, and the floods came, it moved not, for it was founded on a rock—the only rock in Fore River. "Posy" in now safe, however.

The anniversary of the Jonas Perkins school association was a very pleasant, as well as a profitable occasion. Remarks were made by Mr. T. A. Watson Mr. John V. Scollard, Mr. I. W. Horne, Mr. John W. West and Mrs. Carrie F. Loring. There were recitation by Miss Dugan, songs and piano selections by Miss Ratcliffe, Miss Arnold and Miss Crocker.

Puritan lodge, No. 179 I. O. O. F., celebrated its 21st birthday Tuesday night, in a very appropriate manner. At 8 o'clock the members and guests assembled in the newly furnished hall where they listened to music by an orchestra.

Mr. N. W. Stearns moved from Hollis block to Boston yesterday.

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displays by the offer of two prizes—or of good proportions as becomes champions, and the other a consolation inducement for a close race. Thursday he gave it out that the pennant would be worth $4000 to the members of the aggregation, who, if they were foiled in their purpose to secure the flag, would receive $1800 for division if their victories placed them second.

Ended In a Draw.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 15.—One of the most notable boxing contests ever held in Connecticut was that in the Park City theater last night before 2000 spectators. "Mysterious" Billy Smith and Joe Walcott were the principals, and they boxed 25 clever rounds to a draw. The men signed to box at catch weights, not to exceed 148 pounds. The Siler rules were followed.

The spectators included delegations from all over the state, with large contingents from New York and Boston. Betting was even and considerable money was wagered, but apart from those that had money wagered the decision was very satisfactory.

The first 10 rounds were probably the most clever exhibition of sparring ever witnessed in Bridgeport. Science was displayed that only men of the reputation of the principals could present. The rounds were hot, and Smith led and forced the fighting. After the 10th round Walcott evened matters, though in several successive rounds Smith seemed to have the best of it in infighting. The windup was the swiftest round of the night; both men rushed matters, but when the gong sounded they were on their feet fighting fast, and a draw was decided.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 15.—At the opening of the session of the house yesterday Mr. Bennett of Saugus addressed the chair, and said that he regretted the unceremonious manner in which the business of the house was interrupted Wednesday.

There was some debate on the bill relative to the promotion of anatomical science, which provides that the authorities of pauper and insane institutions "shall" deliver to the dean of any regular medical college of the state bodies of persons dying in the institutions who have not requested to be buried and whose bodies are not claimed by relatives or friends within 14 days from the time of death. The law at present is a permissive one so far as the officials of institutions are concerned, and any physician or surgeon may apply for a body. A third reading was ordered.

Shortly before the adjournment of the house the question came up of suspending the rules to admit orders for the repeal of the charters of the Massachusetts Pipe Line Gas company and the Boston Gas Light company. The first was refused admission and the second was laid on the table.

The bill relative to the hours of labor of women and minors was defeated in the house, while the senate spent nearly its entire time in considering the Harvard overseer bill, without coming to a vote.

Boston Paragraphs.

Boston, April 15.—At the session of the grand lodge of Massachusetts, I. O. G. T., the proposed amendments to the laws of the grand lodge were laid over until next year. At the election of officers P. J. Chisholm was elected grand chief templar. All the newly chosen officers were later installed.

Joseph Taber, 39 years old, and married, took a dose of carbolic acid and died almost instantly.

At a meeting of the directors of the New England Agricultural society it was decided to hold the annual meeting at Rigby in August. Beside the three big stake meetings, a purse meeting will be held June 28, 29 and 30 and July 1. with nine open classes and five for Maine horses, with $400 purses.

Crossed In Love.

New York, April 15.—Florence Buell, 35 years old, killed herself in one of the rooms of the Young Women's Christian association with arsenic. Three days ago the woman appeared at the association and asked for shelter. She said she had just arrived from Clinton, Conn., and that she had no place to stay. Thursday morning the woman was found to be violently ill, and she admitted that she had taken poison. The coroner understood that the woman had killed herself because she had been crossed in love.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

LOW SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. W. W. Dorman in exchange. Bible School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Immeasurable Forces." The Easter music will be repeated at either the morning or evening services.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 12 M. Sunday School concert at 7 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The agencies of gospel extension." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Heroism of common life." Leader, Mr. Edwin Sampson of North Weymouth. Duet and Extra music. Bible class and teachers' meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Preaching 10 A. M., and preaching at 3 and 7 P. M. Rev. C. J. Larson from Woburn and Rev. C. W. Hohn from Cambridge are to be present and preach during the day. The Scandinavians are invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street.—Bible lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "This mortal shall put on immortality."

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor. Residence, corner of Whitwell and Klondike streets. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Christ's second coming." Bible School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. The ordinance of baptism may be administered at the close of service. All are welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Self-Control." Bible School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. H. L. Hastings, the famous anti-infidel writer and lecturer, will bring forth "Some hard nuts for skeptics to crack." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.15. Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 o'clock. The Easter music will be repeated at the morning service.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Edward Norton. Subject: "Your Heavenly Father knows." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "Temptation's power broken." Social service Friday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Subject: "The sermon on the mount and the practice on the plain." Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic,—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon to young men by the pastor. The Easter music will be repeated. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening prayer service at 7.30 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

ATLANTIC METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "An open door." Evening service at 7 o'clock. The stereopticon will be used to illustrate Spain. Such pictures will be used as will give a fair idea of the country and its people.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING, Faxon Hall—At 7.30 P. M., Mrs. M. A. Bonney, will give readings and tests. Circle at the house of Henry Chubbuck on Tuesday at 2.30 and 7.30 P. M.

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A certain lot of land in said Quincy, situated on Edwards street, with the buildings thereon, and bounded southeasterly on Edwards street, fifty feet; northwesterly on land of Henry G. Pratt, six rods, more or less; northeasterly on land of Benjamin F. Curtis, fifty feet; southwesterly on land of Henry T. Rodgers, six rods, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to me by James Burr, by deed dated March 31st, 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 519, fol. 275.

This conveyance is made subject to the right of H. G. Pratt and his assigns to draw water by means of a suitable pipe from the well on the granted premises for the use of the occupants of the dwelling house on said Pratt's estate. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

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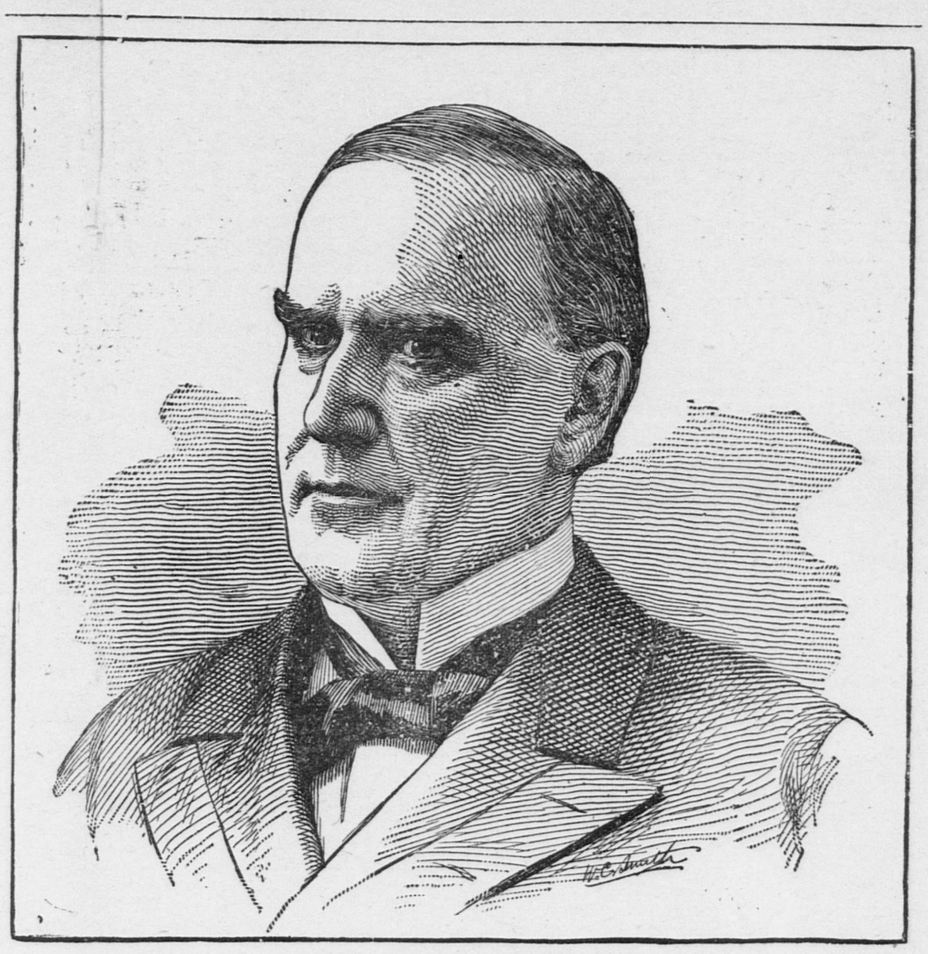
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McKinley Hopes It Will Be Spain---Decisive Turn in Crisis This Week---Spain Said to be Prepared to Return a Flat Refusal. The Senate Resolutions in the House Today.



HON. WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

Madrid, April 18.—A decisive turn in the relations between Spain and the United States is expected to be reached toward the end of the week, when, resolutions having been finally adopted by the senate and house of representatives, President McKinley will lay the American pretensions before the Spanish government, demanding both a reply on the principal points for settlement in the Cuban question and a cessation of naval and military reinforcements which would imply a probability of a renewal and prolongation of the struggle in Cuba. Such pretensions are sure to meet with protest and a firm refusal on the part of Spain, which will, however, do nothing aggressive in reply, as the government and nation are determined to fix upon the United States the whole responsibility of provoking war against this country, where the opinion prevails that every honorable concession has been made to preserve peace short of a surrender of its rights and territory.

The suppressed exasperation against the United States is daily assuming more intensity among all classes. With praiseworthy alacrity the government expressed to General Woodford its regret at the outrage upon the American vice-consulate at Malaga and telegraphed the civil governor to call upon the vice consul, expressing the regret and promise that the authors of the outrage should be promptly punished. Several policemen were injured by stones. Some of the rioters have been arrested. The mob was composed chiefly of students and roughs. The Madrid papers and the local press condemn the incident and advocate moderation on the part of the truly patriotic citizens who do not wish to be made dupes by the socialists, anarchists, Republicans, Carlists and other agitators, who are the wire-pullers in these parties.

Spain's Court of Inquiry.

Madrid, April 18.—A synopsis of the Spanish court of inquiry as furnished by the minister of marine indicates that the report is strongly drawn up to show that the explosion could not have been caused by a torpedo or by a mine of any kind, as none of the phenomena usually produced by such means was noticed at the time of the disaster, or immediately afterward, and that no trace of any thing was found that could justify the theory of an outside explosion.

The report gives the testimony of a Spanish officer, and of the senior pilot, both eye-witnesses of the catastrophe. They swore that they noticed that the only explosions were in the interior of the Maine when she was on fire, and that there was absolutely no disturbance on the surface of the water in the harbor around the Maine that could have been caused by any exterior cause.

Much stress is laid in the published extracts from the report upon the alleged fact that after the catastrophe no dead fish were found floating in the harbor, whereas whenever wrecks have been removed with the help of explosions everybody has noticed the destruction of fish, which are abundant in the port of Havana. Much stress is also made of the fact that the disaster did not damage to the quays and none of to the vessels moored close to the Maine, whose officers and crew noticed nothing that could lead them to suppose that the disaster was caused otherwise than by an accident inside the American vessel.

Evidence of a Grave Situation.

Madrid, April 18.—The war fever has been raging many hours. One newspaper alone thinks peace faintly possible. Some people, trusting to vague telegrams from Havana, indulge a hope that the insurgent leaders, fearing American annexation, will voluntarily come to terms with the autonomous government and that this may make President McKinley pause; but no definite information has been received in that sense. There is a semi-panic on the bourse. Stock are falling badly, and evidence of a very grave situation is heard and felt in all directions. In spite of this the government and the governed are pulling along well together and profess themselves ready to confront what seems inevitable.

In official circles there is an impression that a rupture of negotiations may not take place quite so soon as was expected, but it cannot be said that the prospects of a peaceful solution are much improved. Among the leading representatives of all parties there is an almost unanimous opinion that the United States will accept nothing less than a termination of Spanish sovereignty in Cuba, and as any concession of that kind is considered utterly incompatible with national honor, war seems inevitable, unless something unknown should suddenly intervene.

A few people imagine that Europe may possibly awake at the last moment to the dangers of aggressive pan-American ism and recognize in Spain the champion of the vital European interests of the future. In that case there would be collective intervention by the great powers, but such illusions are not indulged in by practical statesmen, nor do these latter attribute much importance to the persistent rumors of the likelihood of the insurgents making terms with the autonomous government to avert annexation by America.

THE WASHINGTON ASPECT.

President Hoping For Peace, Despite Congressional Belligerency.

Washington, April 18.—The president hopes Spain will fire the first shot. There appears to be no probability of that happening. The conviction grows stronger every day that Spain has no intention of offering serious resistance on this side of the water. It is believed that she will allow Havana to strike her colors after the exchange of a few shots, and that the Spanish army on the island will surrender without even a pitched battle, even if there is a little desultory fighting.

The president has said he intends to send supply ships to Cuba to be convoyed by the fleet, that his purpose is to feed the starving, and if objection is made by Spain that will bring on war. This plan of his meets with the decided opposition of the naval and military authorities. They object to having war and charity mixed up. War, they know, must come, and they do not see wheat difference it makes whether we fire first or Spain makes the first show of opposition.

The fear in the minds of Mr. Reed, Governor Dingley and other men who share his views of the present situation is that the house may be swept off its feet and accept the senate resolution as it stands. That would put the president in the embarrassing position of being forced to either veto a resolution recognizing the independence of the present insurgent government, a thing against which he argued in his message as being in violation of international law, or else compel him for the sake of consistency to veto the resolution and have it said he is opposed to Cuban freedom. To prevent this the house leaders resolved to use all their influence to have the independence amendment stricken out. If this was done the resolution could go to the president and he could sign it without embarrassment. Only the adoption of the house resolution, instead of the senate resolution, would apparently make a peaceful settlement with Spain now possible. The house leaders are not now hoping for that, but are planning only to defeat the clause recognizing the Cuban republic.

The president will ask congress for authority to raise a "provisional army" of 400,000. The measure will follow the lines of previous statutes to the same effect. It will give the president authority to enlist men and commission officers of a volunteer force for the purpose of augmenting the regular army to the number "not exceeding 400,000." It was deemed best to place this limit upon the volunteer force about to be raised, although probably not more than one-eighth of that force will be included in the first call for volunteers. Even those officials who are possessed of the most pessimistic views do not believe there will be occasion for enlisting the entire authorized force.

One of the most prominent Republican leaders on the floor of the house denominated that portion of the senate resolutions as a direct "assault" upon the president which no loyal Republican could endorse, and upon this theory Speaker Reed and his lieutenants have had a thorough canvass made of the Republican side of the house, and are confident that the Republicans can be marshalled against yielding to the senate on the main issue. Some of the arguments used with those who, like Cooper of Wisconsin, Mann of Illinois and Bromwell of Ohio, are disposed to take the shortest cut out of the woods, and by agreeing, end the matter, have been such as to shake the convictions of these gentlemen. The chief complaint of those who want to concur is that non-concurrence means delay, complications, possibly a re-opening of diplomatic negotiations, and possibly further concessions by Spain which will embarrass the United States when the time for action arrives. These members have been labored with separately. The arguments against recognition have been reiterated and reinforced in the light of the speeches in the senate. Especially potent has been the argument advanced by Senators Allison and Morgan that if we recognize the independence of the existing government General Gomez might at any time negotiate a peace with Spain which would leave the United States in the lurch. When France allied herself with us in the revolutionary war it was for the purpose of gaining our independence, but we were held to the compact by a stipulation that no peace with Great Britain should be negotiated without France's consent. More than this, it is also claimed that there are evidences that the senate will yield the recognition of independence if the house stands firm.

Notwithstanding the large majority for the resolution, Senator Hoar of Massachusetts urgently counselled the house leaders to reject tenaciously the senate' proposition. He assured them that the senate would not hold out. Possibly the strongest argument brought to bear was that the president himself would not approve any resolution which so plainly violated every precedent of international law. This strong intimation of a presidential veto, which would involve an entirely new start and the delays incident to it, had a powerful influence, although in certain quarters it was asserted that a presidential veto would be overriden. The suggestion that the president might sign the resolutions and send a message to congress saying that the clause recognizing the independence of Cuba was ultra vires—beyond the jurisdiction of congress—was frowned upon by the president's friends.

The conservatives realize that the chief danger lies in a possible stampede. If 25 Republicans join the Democrats and Populists in voting for concurrence, the resolutions will go to the president as passed by the senate; should the little band of Republicans who will vote to concur make the result doubtful, it is feared that others who are held only by considerations of party loyalty will go over in a body. Some of them have made their acquiescence in the program mapped out contingent upon the ability of Republicans to carry it out. If the resolutions are to be concurred in, they cannot afford to be left out at the death, since they could not justify such a course with their constituents to vote for the senate resolutions.

The speaker's lieutenants have held out to their colleagues the assurance that action should be had at every subsequent stage of the proceedings with dispatch, and that the resolutions would go to the president as finally agreed upon before Wednesday morning, but those who view the situation dispassionately do not believe that such expedition is possible. There is a strong intimation

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STRIKERS GUESSING.

Alleged Disturbers In New Bedfor Under Arrest.

Other Participants Anxious About Themselves.

Criticism of the Mayor For Summoning the State Police.

New Bedford, Mass., April 18.—The after result of the disturbances of last week are beginning to make themselves apparent. Following the arrest of Mrs. McQuade, charged with insulting two weavers who passed her house on their way to work in the mills, have been the arrest of two men, and now many of the strikers who have been prominent about the mill gates are guessing as to whether their turn will come next. The arrests yesterday were John R. Walmsley, charged with intimidating Dora Soule and Peter Bouchard, employes of the Pierce mill, and Frederick Duckworth, charged with intimidating Maud Barnett and Eva Barnett, also Pierce mill employes.

The Weavers' union at a meeting yesterday afternoon decided to accept a loan of $1000 from the Fall River union, and this money, it is thought, will be sufficient to carry the weavers over for three or four weeks longer. Non-union members will receive none of the money which has been borrowed from Fall River, and they must depend upon themselves, with what assistance they can get from the fund raised weekly by the strike council.

The union decided, in view of the fact that it has been reported that weavers are to arrive from Lowell and other places, to appoint committees, one for each end of the city, to find out where these people board, and to request them not to go to work, without, however, using intimidation. Secretary Hart said that it was unfortunate that there had been two arrests during the week, but that mustn't deter the unionists from doing their duty. He also criticised Mayor Ashley for calling the state police. It was decided to appoint a committee to attend court, three from each end of the city, in order that the union might keep posted on cases arising from arrests, and to engage a lawyer to defend members who get into trouble.

Big Fire In Boston.

Boston, April 18.—The roof of the grain elevator at the Hoosac tunnel docks, Charlestown, was blown completely off by a dust explosion at 4 o'clock Sunday morning, and the fire that followed it not only destroyed the remaining portion of the immense structure, but consumed nearly the entire contents of over 400,000 bushels of grain, mostly wheat. A steamer which has just finished loading was towed out without injury, but some small tenements adjoining and a building used as a distillery by Chapin & Trull were damaged more or less by the debris from the roof. The loss is estimated by the fire underwriters at nearly $600,000, making a fire loss that has not been equalled in this city since 1893.

The explosion not only shook up the entire section of Charlestown, but was noticeably felt in the city proper and many of the suburbs. Coming at such an early hour, the tremendous jar aroused half the city, and the flames which followed were sufficient not only to cause a great rush of fire apparatus, but attracted thousands of sightseers.

The elevator was but a few hundred feet from the navy yard, and many persons, hearing the explosion and seeing the bright light, at once concluded that another Maine affair had occurred. The marine guard was at once ordered out, and with a detail from the Bancroft made every possible precaution against the fire spreading in that direction. The department, however, was successful in keeping the flames confined to the elevator, and by 8 o'clock had the fire under control. The entire loss is covered by insurance.

Boston Briefs.

Boston, April 18.—The executive council of the Massachusetts Federation of Labor met and took a decided stand against advertising souvenirs, handbooks and other advertising matter published under the sanction of labor organizations. President Pierce and Vice President Murray were instructed to visit Holyoke and establish new unions for the workers.

Because he found his dinner cold, Thomas Boland poured a kettle of boiling water over his wife, terribly scalding her about the neck, hands and arms. The woman's screams could be heard a block away and brought neighbors to her assistance.

The clergymen of Boston, without regard to denomination, made reference to the national crisis in their Sunday sermons, but there were few discourses where the question of war was the sole topic. The tenor of most of the utterances was that war is a possibility, and that such a conflict on humanitarian grounds was not wholly wrong.

William J. Bryan, after a two days' stay in Boston, left for home Sunday afternoon. At the close of the mass meeting Saturday night, Mr. Bryan went to Dedham with George Fred Williams, whose guest he was until his departure.

Prayers For Gladstone.

Hawarden, April 18.—Mr. Gladstone passed a less comfortable day Sunday. His doctors say there has been little change in his condition during the past week. As indicating the gravity of Mr. Gladstone's condition it is noted that the clergyman officiating at the services yesterday, Rev. Stephen Gladstone, requested the prayers of his congregation for his father. He also requested the prayers of his church that "peace might be maintained between two great christian countries—the United States and Spain."

Suicide by Shooting.

Nantucket, April 18.—Frank McGowan, a meat cutter, employed by Lamb Brothers, shot and killed himself Saturday night. He left a note saying that he was tired of living, and bidding his friends goodbye. He was 20 years old and leaves a mother in East Cambridge.

BOSTON OPINION.

President Is On'y Waiting the Mandate From the Congress to Act.

Boston, April 18.—"The house may well accept all of the senate resolutions except the recognition clause," The Journal argues. "The senate may well yield this point and thus open the way to an equitable compromise; but, regardless of details, the American people insist that the long harassing uncertainty shall be brought to an end. The president only waits for congress to frame its mandate. He will enforce it with all the promptness and vigor which he has manifested in the assembling of our fleets and the marshalling of our army along the southern seaboard. Let this week see the first decisive step toward peace and liberation for Cuba."

"The resolutions adopted by the senate on Saturday vary from those which passed the house only in 'recognizing' the present insurgent government of Cuba," explains The Post, "and in making a formal disclaimer of intention on the part of the United States to acquire sovereignty over the island. The matter of 'recognition' is held to be a purely executive function, and it is questioned whether a joint resolution of congress would carry any weight in that direction. The disclaimer of a purpose of landgrabbing is not essential, although it may be politic; but altogether there is nothing at issue between the two houses which cannot be adjusted without delay, and delay at this point in the game ought to be avoided."

The Globe maintains: "In the Cuban resolution passed by the senate the American people say what they mean and mean what they say. It is axiomatic that this is always the best way to approach any duty, however simple and humble, and it is the only safe way to approach a duty of such far-reaching importance as that which confronts the country at this time, when the opinion of the world and the interests of posterity are involved."

NATIONAL GAME.

Fire Caused a Panic During a Contest at St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 18.—The Chicago team badly defeated the browns Sunday, almost making it a whitewash. Numerous errors marked the playing of the home team, whose members were seemingly demoralized by the terrible fire that interrupted Saturday's game. During the night a large gang of men erected a new fence in place of that burned, and put up temporary seats, which only accommodated part of the crowd, estimated at more than 6000 people.

It was in the beginning of the second inning that flames issued from the east end of the stand, where a room is reserved in which to print the score cards. Within three minutes the fire had enveloped the entire east end of the structure, spread to the adjacent bleachers, and communicated to the tall fence of the fair grounds across the street. The spectators were thrown into a frenzy of fear, men trampled over each other, and women swooned. The stairways were choked with half-crazed persons, and many who found this means of egress closed ran to the netting which is designed to protect the spectators from foul balls and tearing open this wirework leaped onto the field. A number of these persons suffered sprained or broken limbs and ugly bruises and gashes.

Scores of Sunday games: Chicagos, 14; St. Louis, 1. Pittsburgs, 5; Louisvilles, 4. Cincinnatis, 12; Clevelands, 1.

Saturday these games took place: Pittsburgs, 3; Louisvilles, 1. Bostons, 4; New Yorks, 2. Baltimores, 8; Washingtons, 3. Brooklyns, 7; Philadelphias, 6. Clevelands, 3; Cincinnatis, 1.

A crowd of 15,504 saw the game with the Clevelands in Cincinnati Sunday.

Gleason of the New Yorks is the first player to be disciplined under the rules against rowdyism. The Bostons' old catcher, Snyder, put him out of the game.

Louisville enthusiasm never was so intense. Sunday 13,000 saw the contest with the Pittsburgs.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Sun rises—4:57 a. m.; 6:30 p. m.
Moon rises—3:54 a. m.
High tide—10:15 a. m.; 10:45 p. m.

It now promises to be considerably cooler tonight and Tuesday, when probably fair to cloudy weather will prevail.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Alexander Moffitt of Pawtucket, R. I., aged 24, was stabbed in the abdomen by his father during a quarrel.

Edward J. Perkins, a well known lawyer of Amsterdam, N. Y., who had been suffering from melancholia for several months, committed suicide by shooting.

The striking miners in Cardiff, Wales, are handicapped by lack of funds, and their leaders have issued an appeal for aid to the miners and workmen generally throughout the united kingdom.

Notwithstanding the decrease in the number of haddock fleets, owing to their engaging in other branches of the fisheries, Gloucester, Mass., still maintains its lead over Boston in the receipt of fresh mixed fish.

A dispatch from Singapore says that a steamship from Manilla has arrived there crowded with Spanish officials and well-to-do Spanish families, who are escaping from the rebellion which is spreading rapidly in the Philippines. They report that Manilla is panic struck.

F. B. Abernathy and R. T. Eppesen of Colorado Springs lowered the American 50-mile straightaway road record from three hours and 10 minutes to two hours, eight and a half minutes, and P. C. Wright lowered the same record for single wheel to two hours and 10 minutes. The runs were over a surveyed course.

Marine underwriters in Boston have assumed a much more cautions attitude, and the rates quoted Saturday were practically on a war basis. The companies are accepting applications only after close scrutiny. The rates on all cases have been increased, but they vary according to the destinations of the vessels.

The central Cuban relief committee of New York will load a steamship with supplies for the relief of the reconcentrados in Cuba immediately and dispatch her to Key West for orders. She will be followed as soon as possible by a second ship. Both will sail under the Red Cross flag and be in charge of Red Cross agents. It is hoped that the way will be clear for the vessels to proceed to the Cuban ports.

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George K. Carter, E. Frank Mitchell,
Frank W. Crane.

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Wd 5—Quincy A. Faunce,
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William Faxon, George Crane,
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Winslow Hobart.

Pound Keeper,
Franklin Jacobs.



The door of health stands open to every woman who will enter. All that she needs is the key and a little knowledge. The knowledge that she needs is concerning her own nature, her own physical make-up and the principal cause of ill-health in women.

When a woman suffers from headaches and pains in the back and sides, and burning and dragging sensations and the weakness, nervousness and despondency that are caused by diseases peculiar to her sex, she cannot enjoy good general health. The key to the door of health—the cure for all disorders of this description—is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a medicine specially devised for disorders of this nature and no other. It is the invention of an eminent and skillful specialist, Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. When a woman writes to Dr. Pierce she consults a physician who has practiced for thirty years right in one place, and who was some years ago honored by his own townspeople by an election to the National Congress. He will answer letters from women free of charge. All professional correspondence is regarded as sacredly confidential.

"For years I kept failing in health and getting worse and more nervous all the time," writes Mrs. Annie Dulan, of East Stroudsburg, Monroe Co., Pa. "I doctored with two different doctors without relief. My system was run down and my nerves weak. I had ulcers of the uterus which were so painful at times that I was afraid they must be cancers. I felt discouraged and did not get any better until my nurse advised me to write to Dr. Pierce. In May I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took twelve bottles in all, six of each. Thanks to God and Dr. Pierce's medicines, I am cured and am a well woman."

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by N. Urbain Lavoie of Quincy in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Herbert T. Whitman, of said Quincy, dated December 31, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 686, folio 295, which mortgage was assigned to Amy Billings, by instrument dated November 24, 1894, duly recorded with said deeds, libro 725, folio 454, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on SATURDAY, the 30th day of April, 1898, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land in said Quincy numbered one on a plan by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Plans at the end of libro 671 and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring one hundred and sixteen and three-tenths (116.3) feet; southeasterly on Common street, there measuring eighty-seven and twenty-two hundredths (87.22) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring one-hundred and sixteen and forty-four hundredths (116.44) feet; and northwesterly on other land of Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet; containing 9,936 square feet of land, excepting that portion of said lot No. 1, which is bounded and described as follows: northeasterly on Jenness street, there measuring fifty-nine (59) feet; southeasterly on the remaining portion of lot No.1, there measuring eighty-five and forty-five hundredths (85.45) feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Garrity, there measuring fifty nine and three-tenths (59.3) feet; and northwesterly on land formerly of said Lavoie, there measuring eighty-three and sixty-six hundredths (83.66) feet, containing 4,989 square feet of land, more or less; said excepted portion having been sold under foreclosure of a prior mortgage.

Being the same premises conveyed to said N. Urbain Lavoie by the said H. T. Whitman by deed dated April 7, 1892.

Said premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments, and tax titles, if any there be. Terms at sale.

AMY BILLINGS,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

Weymouth, Mass., April 5, 1898, 3t-5-12-19

By WM. M. JEWETT, - - Auctioneer.
Granite Block, Chelsea.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Seth Burrill of Quincy, County of Norfolk, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Amasa G. Whitcomb of Chelsea, County of Suffolk, said Commonwealth, dated April first, A. D. 1890, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 639, folio 74, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the said Amasa G. Whitcomb will sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter mentioned, which are those described in said mortgage deed, on SATURDAY, the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1898, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises as follows:

A certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Walker street in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, bounded and described as follows, viz.: Easterly by lot numbered 36 on plan of lots made by L. Briggs, dated April, 1871, and recorded with Norfolk County plans, and numbered 199, one hundred and twenty (120) feet; southerly by land now or formerly of the heirs of S. A. Appleton, sixty-four (64) feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Gibbons, one hundred and twenty and one-tenth (120.1) feet; and northerly by said Walker street, sixty-nine and four-tenth (69.4) feet; being lot numbered 37 on said plan, and containing eight thousand and four (8,004) square feet of land, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said Seth Burrill by Roger H. Wilde, by deed dated Jan. 31, 1890, recorded Norfolk Deeds, libro 632, folio 449. Sold subject to all and any assessments or taxes, if any. $500 at time of sale.

AMASA G. WHITCOMB,
apr12-19-26 Mortgagee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of EDWARD H. ADAMS,

late of Milton in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Ezra W. Wentworth of Woburn and Adelaide J. Emery of Boston, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register
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WOMAN'S WORLD.

WHAT THE PROGRESSIVE WOMAN'S MOVEMENT HAS DONE.

The Right to Be Ugly—Women In the Public Service—The Broad Minded Woman—Shirt Waists and Women Who Wear Them—A Tan Tailor Made Gown.

The Hon. Martha A. B. Conine, a member of the Colorado legislature, has created no little interest here in the east, where women legislators are unknown, by her appearance in Washington at the national suffrage convention to which she was commissioned as a delegate by the governor of Colorado.

This is the first instance on record where a state has sent a delegate to represent it at a national suffrage convention. Her commission, bearing the great seal of the state, was viewed with much interest. She addressed the house judiciary committee upon the good results of woman suffrage and also spoke the last evening of the convention upon the results of woman suffrage in Colorado.

Those who have always pictured to themselves women in politics as being angular, coarse and masculine in manner and dress were quite surprised to see a slender, graceful figure, with beautiful face and charming manner, clothed in the latest and most becoming style. She is also said to be a model housekeeper, a thing which croakers have insisted was incompatible with women in politics.

Mrs. Conine was born in a small village among the Catskill mountains. At



HON. MARTHA A. B. CONINE.

the close of the war she married J. M. Conine, an officer in the Ninety-third New York regiment. They moved to Wisconsin and lived there until 15 years ago, when they went to Denver. Mrs. Conine is an active member of the Denver Woman's club and is especially interested in securing the establishment of a home of refuge for friendless girls. She is also most emphatic in her espousal of the full political emancipation of women. She says of its results in Colorado:

"We challenge the world to prove that one of the evils prophesied has come to pass. That women as a rule appreciate their freedom, and are willing to assume their responsibility, is beyond question. That there are a few who shrink from such responsibility and profess themselves disappointed at the results thus far, we do not deny; yet we believe it would be a very dangerous experiment to attempt to take the ballot even from this class, since, either consciously or unconsciously, they have moved forward, and are now occupying a higher plane than when disfranchised.

"Our State Federation of Women's Clubs now numbers about 100 clubs, representing a united membership of 4,000. The women's clubs of Denver are largely occupied in studying social and economic questions, earnestly seeking for the best methods for educating their children, reforming criminals, alleviating poverty and securing purification of the ballot—in short, striving to make their city and state a cleaner and better home for their children. Their work receives added encouragement from the knowledge that by their ballots they may determine who shall make and administer the laws under which these children must be reared. The home has always been conceded to be woman's kingdom. In the free states she has but expanded the walls of that home, that she might afford to the inmates and also to those unfortunately having no homes, the same protection and loving care which were formerly limited to the few short hours of the day and the few short years of childhood passed beneath the parental roof."—Buffalo Express.

The Right to Be Ugly.

Woman's right to be ugly, discussed in this city some time since by a lot of well meaning clubwomen in search of a novelty, is exercising both men and women upon either side of the Atlantic just now. The radicals declare that woman has a right—a divine right, if you choose—to be just as ugly as she pleases. They further affirm that the chief cause for her previous condition of servitude and the self assumed superiority of man is all due to the false, mistaken standards demanding that she should be beautiful. "Let woman but once assert her right to be repulsive," say these; "let her but declare her independence of masculine opinion as to her appearance and go about looking quite as homely and awkward as she dare, and the whole present wrongful system of things will be changed, for woman will at last be the equal of man." Now, all of this sounds first rate, and it has the ring of originality, but, as a matter of fact, it is a doctrine old as the hills, and just as specious as it is old. It is sophistry of the very first water.

In the first place, do women seek to please men by their looks any more than men seek to please women in the same way? Neither sex has the exclusive right to vanity, and, if anything, the attribute is stronger in men. All question as to the privilege to be repulsive applies to the one just as it does to the other. Again, it is "ag'in natur'" for a woman to want to be ugly, and as some one has observed, "Whoever seeks to go against the nature of things is pretty certain in the long run to get the worst of it." No woman ever yet subscribed to the doctrine that making herself unattractive was good for the soul without very strong pressure of a most personal sort—in other words, after she had vainly tried to indorse the opposite doctrine and had failed.

Photographs are not needed to acquaint one with the general appearance of these women so zealous in maintaining the right of their sex to be ugly any more than it is necessary to be told that she who inveighs against charm is herself sure to be lacking in it. An amusing side of the discussion is that so far as the American man is concerned a woman may be ugly or anything else she likes, and he will not only never say her nay, but think it all right. According to his indulgent standards, her own sweet will is sufficient excuse for anything she may do or want to do. Still this isn't likely to dampen the ardor of the clubwomen. The fatal curse of beauty is to be denounced at all costs and irrespective of any logic.

A woman who had attended one of these antibeauty meetings for the first time came home so brimful of the subject that she at once broached it to her husband. "John," she cried, "what would you say if I were to go round looking ugly? I've just been to a meeting where they said that the only way by which women could ever hope to attain an equality with men was by becoming positively, outrageously and repulsively ugly. Would you be willing to let me try it, John?" "Certainly," returned this typical American husband, at once grasping the situation, "anything you like, my dear. Only there's one thing, you couldn't be ugly if you tried."—New York Sun.

Women In the Public Service.

A government officer, it seems, repeated the other day the well worn tale that "women were first employed in the government service soon after the outbreak of the war," meaning the war of 1861, and that Mr. Spinner made the experiment. I have no intention of diminishing Mr. Spinner's honors, but I beg leave to say, without fear of successful contradiction, that the employment of women in the service of the United States began in 1776.

Before the Revolution of 1776, it was not unusual to employ women in the public service. Lydia Hill, who died on July 28, 1768, had been postmaster of Salem for many years, and in those days far greater skill was required than now.

The first postmaster of Baltimore was Mary Katharine Goddard, who served from about 1773 to about 1790, printed the Declaration of Independence for congress and occupies, with her brother, William Goddard, a high place in American annals. It was the Goddards who gave us an American postal service before 1776, and in direct opposition to the crown.

The earliest list of postmasters in this century, now before me, reports a woman postmaster for Lancaster, Pa., and a woman filled the office until 1850. The first "blue book" of the United States, issued in 1816, gives the names of three women as postoffice clerks on one page.

The civil service law of the United States does not discriminate against women, but the law used to be administered to the exclusion of women, who were placed on separate lists, and never certified, unless the appointing officer called for a woman. I am informed that the civil service commission is less arbitrary at present, for which I am duly thankful. Of course, I am wholly unable to see why postoffice clerks, in their applications, examinations, ratings, certifications, appointments and promotions should show any allusion to sex, save in names. The law, surely, does not draw the line.

But the point I wished to make is that apparently at no time was the pay roll of the United States without the names of women, and that the practice of 1776 was adopted from the past.—C. W. Ernst in Woman's Journal.

The Broad Minded Woman.

"The earnest woman who takes life very seriously, carefully weighing the motive of the slightest act, is apt to become impatient with her sister who lives as the flowers do, accepting with delight the sunlight of prosperity," says Mary R. Baldwin in The Woman's Home Companion in the course of an article entitled "A Sort of Contempt."

"It has been something of a fashion to imagine that the contempt was on the side of the woman who held what are called the advantages of life, but it is really true that those who have been given wealth, position and opportunities are more guilty of regarding their fellow creatures less favored with scorn than those who are below them. Among broad minded women socialistic tendencies are being stamped out. Their hands are no longer against what we call the upper class of society. Equality means to them a common right to develop the best that is in them, not a community of privilege in the world's goods, not the opportunity for a like service, nor the same sort of pleasure, and the one who has learned to realize the worth of a separate individuality and feels that her work is a part of her birthright is truly a philosopher. She will not envy the careless creature whose lot has been cast amid the enchantments of the world. She will rather pity her that she is emancipated from those struggles and perplexities which are such excellent schoolmasters in teaching sympathy for others.

"But after all are we sure that the majority of favored women do not possess the larger significance of pity? So many times we have had proofs that a soft heart dwelt in an elegantly attired body that it is not wise to conclude that one must feel the stress of poverty and its limitations in order to extend pity and help to the needy."

Shirt Waists and Women Who Wear Them.

One is often surprised to find women to whom one looks for better things practically giving evidence that a shirt waist in their estimation is not expected to represent any particular fit, and so contented are they in their own minds on that point they suppose everybody else holds the same opinions. A greater delusion never was entertained, and, equally misleading is another which takes it for granted that every woman's figure clothed in a shirt waist looks precisely alike. Is it any wonder that we constantly see so many disfigured shirt waisted women complacently going about our streets entirely satisfied with themselves, considering that they are beyond criticism when wearing a sort of regulation summer uniform which is intended to ignore the form, size, weight and age of the individual?

The shirt waist is undoubtedly the most tidy and sensible waist ever invented for certain uses, for certain persons, and it is hoped it will always be so worn. But there is reason also to hope that in other quarters, where there is time, money and the necessity to advocate fitness and becomingness, the waist, if persisted in, will be left to straight backed young women with fine shoulders, slender waists—in fact "good figures"—and that the ill shapen, narrow chested women or pudgy, plethoric matrons, be they young or old, will disguise their defects rather than accent them beneath the favoring lines of some other kind of equally light and convenient bodice which it is time that designers should occupy themselves with inventing.—Vogue.

A Tan Tailor Made Gown.

The tailor gowned girl is confronted with a host of telling new models from which to choose this season. Everything is fresh and new in design, from the graceful clinging skirt to the snug sleeve and noticeably short coat. An attractive costume of this sort is made up in a soft, creamy shade of face cloth, of a weight sufficiently light to be worn comfortably through cool summer weather over wood brown taffeta, the sort warranted not to rustle. The narrow skirt fits closely about the hips, with but a few inches of fullness directly in the back. At the knee a circular flounce is fitted in so that while it gives the necessary graceful flare it shows not a particle of fullness. The joining is hidden beneath a wide trimming of black soutache.

The jaunty little jacket fits the form like a glove, almost meets at the bust and then flares apart, revealing a tight fitting vest of dead white corded silk, fastened with flat gold buttons. Soutache finishes the edge of the coat and adorns the top of the small sleeve, while the lapels are faced with black satin. With it is worn a fetching tip tilted hat of golden brown straw, with for its decoration a single glossy black plume nodding toward the front and a widespread bow of corn yellow liberty silk reaching across the hat. At the back nestle yellow button roses and flots of yellow silk.—New York Tribune.

The Fit of Clothing.

Clothing should always fit properly, says a correspondent. If they hang loosely upon the wearer, they will fail to adequately protect her from chills. while if, on the other hand, they are too tight many evils may result from the constriction of the limbs, or, worse still, of the internal organs. Tight sleeves, garters and boots are responsible for many evils arising from impeded circulation, while no words can be too strong in condemnation of the ruinous practice of constricting the waist by tight corsets. The lungs, heart and abdominal organs are all thus pushed out of place, causing present misery and frequently inducing permanent disease. Boots also are seldom made to fit the foot. If the reader will stand barefoot upon a sheet of paper and mark the outline of her foot with a pencil, she will see at once how little it resembles the shape of the fashionable narrow toed boot. Clothing, to fulfill its purpose, should always be made to fit the wearer—not the wearer forced to accommodate herself to her clothing.

Latest In Clothes Trees.

Brass clothes trees are late additions in the furniture shops. They have the advantage of weight, which gives them stability, a quality often lacking in the article. With them are seen, too, standing brass towel racks. It has been supposed that this form of the rack was practically eliminated from use and to have such made of brass does not commend itself especially. Wet towels, thrown oyer the brass rack, would soon work injury alike to themselves and their support.—New York Post.

The Proper Education.

Charles Dudley Warner has said recently: "Education doesn't consist in giving encyclopedic information. It isn't anything in the world but the training of a man's own mind. Then it becomes an instrument that he can bring to bear on things." And a woman, especially the mother of a family and the mistress of a home, stands in as great need of this sort of education as does any man.—Congregationalist.

Vassar college girls have given a timely hint possibly. They wanted the 10 o'clock lights out rule abolished. The faculty said, "Nay, nay, Pauline." The girls issued an ultimatum, stood by it—and won.

The Countess of Wisberg, wife of Prince Oscar of Sweden, is in London taking a course of training as a nurse, in order to help her husband in missionary work he has undertaken in Africa.

Miss Lillian Fitz-White, who has announced her intention of going on the stage, is a cousin of ex-President Harrison and was at one time a member of William J. Bryan's Sunday school class.

Mrs. U. S. Grant is still suffering from impaired sight, but otherwise is in the best of health. It is her intention to write her memoirs for her children and grandchildren.

IN MERRY MOOD.

The Unkissed Kiss.

I have kissed the girls a-plenty,
Aged from one year to twenty—
Kisses better far than honey; I can taste their sweetness yet—
But far dearer than the kisses
Given me by kindly misses
Is the ever verdant mem'ry of a kiss I did not get.

For one winsome little fairy,
With a grace so light and airy,
Kept me ever fondly saying, "I'll achieve my purpose yet,"
But at length she slyly vanished
With the gift for which I famished,
And she left me sadly sighing for the kiss I did not get.

Reader, pardon this digression.
Does pursuit or does possession
The greater pleasure bring? I really cannot say, and yet
I've forgotten many misses
Who bestowed on me their kisses,
But I'll always recollect the girl whose kiss I did not get.

Now, of course there is a moral
In this simple story for all
These indiscreet young ladies who will some times much regret
That they gave their kisses freely,
For they'll find a lover really
May remember more than all the rest the kiss he did not get.
—Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

Of Course.

"The enemy," a little Boston girl read, "was repulsed only by repeated—by repeated Sarahs."

"That is not in the book," said the teacher.

"I am well aware of that," said the child, "but I have been taught to avoid the use of such diminutives as Sally."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Martial Spirit.

I reckon war'll be timely,—
Fer the boys o' tender years
Air studyin 'bout the soldier
Who wuz "dyin in Algiers."

That "soldier o' the legion"—
Fer the school commencements fine—
The feller "born at Bingen,"
Which wuz somewhars "on the Rhine."

An all o' them air thinkin
How they'll holler high an low
'Bout the battle fought on Linden
When the sun wuz sinkin low.

An the curfew's right onsteady,
But they're holdin it in check,
An the boy is gittin ready
Ter be burnt up on the deck!

So I reckon war'll be timely,
An they'll sail inter the fight,
But I hopes that orful curfew
Ain't a-goin ter ring ternight!
—Atlanta Constitution.

His Suspicion.

"Willie," said the little girl who listens attentively to the conversation of her elders, "does your mother belong to the smart set?"

"I think she does," was the answer of the lad with a cold. "She has started to raise me on mustard plasters and ginger tea."—Washington Star.

Her Promise.

She swore she'd never marry
For aught save love, and I—
I toiled me late and early,
For even love comes high.

And now abroad she's married
An English millionaire
And writes, "I've kept my promise
And wed for love, so there!"
—New York Truth.

A Blissful Supposition.

"Mistuh Pinkley," said Miss Miami Brown, "does you know what a bird of paradise is?"

"Well," was the reply, "of co'se I doesn't know foh sure, but when I gits ter de nex' worl' I wouldn' be a bit supprize ter discuvah dat it was a spring chicken."—Washington Star.

The Surprise.

Oh, the wonder and sensation
When the trusted bank cashier,
With no previous intimation,
Chanced one day to disappear!
All the country round was shaken
By the staggering event,
And no wonder, for he'd taken—
Not a single, blooming cent!
—Town Topics.

Financial Intervals.

"A little quarrel now and then helps a love affair."

"Yes; the lover quits buying roses and gets a chance to catch up with his board bill."—Chicago Record.

"A Spring Fancy."

Spring, with the voices of her hills and rills
(And millinery bills),
Spring, with her daisies and her daffodils,
The world with glory fills,
But brings me not, while my racked being thrills,
A remedy for chills!
—Atlanta Constitution.

Nature and Art.

Van Clove—Miss Peachblow is as beautiful as—as—

Ichabod—As what?

Van Clove—Well, as her own photograph.—Town Topics.

She Made Her Mark.

Ah, plain was her face, and her figure lacked grace!
None noticed her mid the procession,
But she fell with a thud in the slippery mud,
And there she made quite an impression.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Just Like a Man.

Little Ethel—What does your papa like for breakfast?

Little Mabel—He always likes anything he hasn't got.—Boston Traveler.

The Successful Artist.

With pride they saw his chest expand.
Renown? He might well claim it,
With skill to paint the picture and
With wealth enough to frame it!
—Washington Star.

Accounting For It.

He—Phrenologists locate benevolence exactly at the top of the head.

She—Yes; as far from the pocketbook as possible.—Up to Date.

A Suggestion.

Let's have a cooking school brigade,
If threats of war grow louder,
Where each brave amazonian maid
Will fight with baking powder!
—Washington Star.

Only Fair Play.

She—Be to my faults a little blind.

He—I'll be a little blind if you'll keep your mouth a little shutter.—Indianapolis Journal.

She Spins.

So much the maiden spins her wheel,
Whate'er the temperature,
That one is often prone to feel
She'll be a spinster sure!
—Town Topics.

DANCING PARTY

—FOR—

Children and Young People

...AT...

FAXON HALL,

Tuesday, April 19,

From 2 to 6 o'clock.

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Mrs. R. R. Freeman,
Mrs. F. F. Prescott,
Mrs. C. C. Hearn,
Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

☞ Tickets on sale at C. C. Hearn's.

Quincy, April 13. 3t 13-16-18

SQUANTUM PARK.

About 30 Acres

of the Most Beautiful

Building Land,

Right on the shore of Dorchester Bay, is now being laid out into House Lots, and will soon be offered to the public. This land will be shown to intending purchasers

On Patriots' Day,

APRIL 19th.

☞ The grand Opening Sale will be announced later.

ELECTRIC CARS will be run every hour from Atlantic to Squantum Park on April 19, connecting with express trains from Boston at half-past the hour.

A LARGE NEW INN

For Dinners will be opened under first-class management early in the season on this property, which is at the terminus of the electric cars at Squantum Park.

☞ For choice of Lots see plans at the office of

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April 15—3t 16—1w

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THE TAILOR,

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Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.

Quincy, March 30. 1m

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Justice of the Peace.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	72	49	54
Monday	67	63	62
Tuesday	—	58	66
Wednesday	—	59	35
Thursday	—	48	53
Friday	—	42	68
Saturday	—	49	76

New Advertisements Today.

Man or boy wanted to take care of a lawn.
Nice Sussex trap for sale.
Clerk wanted.
Auction sale of household furniture.
E. B. Collins—Millinery.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Bicycles.
Quincy Clothing Co.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Carpet beating.
Girl wanted.
Dog lost.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.,—Wrappers, Corsets.
C. Patch & Son,—Coal.
Lost—Gold Breast Pin.

HOLIDAY NOTICE.

The Ledger will "close shop" tomorrow and observe Patriot's day as a holiday. Advertisers, correspondents and friends will kindly take notice thereof and govern themselves accordingly.

Base ball, land sales and entertainments have been arranged for the holiday and these together with the business of the City Council will make a newsy Ledger on Wednesday, possibly eight pages.

Holiday Attractions.

Opening of Squantum Park.
Base Ball—T. R. & S. A. A. vs. Y. M. C. A. of Roxbury—9 30 A. M.
"Past Redemption," at Music Hall—evening.
Sunlight party at Faxon hall—P. M.
Base ball at South End grounds, Boston.
Dual Y. M. C. A. games at Everett between Quincy and Everett Associations.
Bicycle road race at Dedham—P. M.
Pilgrimage to Concord—exercises, parade and grand ball.

Good Afternoon.

The banking house of Henry Clews and Company is our authority for the following, and its reasons seem sound: The point raised that Spain is bankrupt and is in consequence a weak foe, is not well taken. In the event of Spain going to war with this country it will certainly be impossible for her to raise money by the sale of her bonds, as they have already gone down to 42½, and in the event of hostilities they will go down to probably 25 or less. She will therefore naturally abandon ambition to keep up her National credit, and hence interest on her outstanding obligations will be sure to be defaulted upon. This amounts to about $100,000,000 a year which she will have for war purposes. Contributions and forced revenue from the people will be one of the processes resorted to, to carry on the war. Spain will be in a position similar to that of a bankrupt railroad, which makes a bad foe for a solvent competitor. A railroad in the hands of a receiver pays out nothing except to keep the road in repair and can make forced loans besides through receiver's certificates authorized by court, which becomes a first claim against the road, to provide for pay-rolls and expenses to keep the road in fighting conditon—ostensibly to be in a safe condition to prevent a sacrifice of life. A weak railroad can, therefore, cut rates so low as to inflict serious injury to a strong competitor if it continues the fight long enough. While Spanish 4s at present price (42½) yield 9½ per cent interest, United States 4s at (121) yield only 2⅞ per cent interest and notwithstanding the wide difference in the market value price of the two securities, United States bonds are infinitely the cheapest and most desirable for an investment, because the principal and interest are absolutely secure under any circumstances, whereas, in the event of war, Spanish bonds will certainly be made absolutely insecure, if not worthless.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

There will probably be some surprises in the annual budget to be reported tonight by the Committee on Finance.

The clerks at City Hall are speculating as to whether or not they will have the Saturday half holiday this year.

Two weeks from today and the Assessors will commence their annual travel of the city, but they don't tramp nowadays, they ride.

The Managers of Public Burial Places will meet at Mt. Wollaston cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

The committee on Fire Department were not highly pleased with the quarters of the Wollaston apparatus but were very much pleased with the condition of the Quincy Point apparatus.

There is considerable business to come before the City Council at its meeting tonight, The Committee of Finance will report the annual appropriation order, also on the order for a new sprinkling cart, and for street lights on Garfield, Copeland, South and Whalley street and upon Brook road. The Committee on Police will report on the order increasing the pay of the permannet police. The joint committee on Public Buildings and Streets will report on the order for a new city stable. The Committee on Streets will report a substitute order on the order appropriating $30,000 for paving Hancock street. They will also report orders for public hearings on the petitions to define the lines of Washington and Canal streets at the junction of the two streets and the acceptance of Putnam and Payne streets as public ways. The only matter in the calendar is the transfer to pay bills of the Public Burial Places department of 1897. The order appropriating $100,000 for the sewer department and the communication of the Mayor appointing Mr. McKeon a member of the Board of Registrars of Voters are on the table and many be taken up for action.

The City Council will probably settle this evening as far as they are concerned, what constitutes a Democrat.

The Board of Health will probably give a hearing this week on the charges against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley.

Badly Shook Up.

Michael D. Sullivan of 36 South Walnut street met with a severe accident Saturday night, which fortunately did not turn out to be as serious as was first thought. He had been to Boston during the evening and came out on the 10.50 train. On the right hand side of South Walnut street just above Union street, the street runs along the edge of a high embankment which is in no way protected. Mr. Sullivan was walking along the street on his way home, when he lost his balance and fell over the bank, landing ten feet below. His nose was broken and he was severely bruised and shaken up. The street at this point is very dangerous and should be protected before any further accident happens.

The Genuine Eddy Refrigerators represent the finest construction in the world. A complete line to select from. $5.20 up. A catalogue for the asking. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Y. M. C. A. Dual Games

The first dual games between the Everett and Quincy Y. M. C. A.'s will be held at Everett on the forenoon of Patriot's Day. A large number will leave Quincy on the 8.12 train to see the games. Quincy will be represented in the sprint events by Thomas Greenough, the Braintree flie and William Ross, the crack all round athletic and in the distance runs by such stars as Harry Osgood, winner of the B. A. A cross country run William Lamb, the crack five miler, E. H. McLean, George W. Maver, Peter McPhee, and Dick Jones, who won the last Y M. C. A. cross country run.

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OPTICIAN,

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Next entrance to Postoffice.

Feb. 14. 1y

PLAYED IN RAIN.

And Luck Was in Favor of the Roxbury Latin Boys.

Adams Acadamy played the third game of the season Saturday and were defeated. Throughout the whole game it rained, making good playing impossible; with the water soaked ball both teams played a star game. In the in the first inning Manning of the Adams team split his hand, between the first and second fingers and was obliged to give way to Appleton.

This afternoon Adams will play the Frye School at Merrymount Park, and Friday they will play the first game in the Dual league against Thayer Academy, at Braintree.

ADAMS ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, 1b.,	5	1	2	2	13	2	4
Taylor, p.,	5	2	2	2	2	4	1
Manning, c. & cf.,	5	1	5	5	0	0	0
Appleton, 3b. & c.,	5	0	2	2	8	0	2
Kent, rf.,	5	1	3	3	0	0	0
Burchstead, cf. & 3b.	5	1	2	2	2	5	0
Boyd, 2b.,	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Donaher, ss.,	4	0	0	0	0	3	0
Bennett, lf.,	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
	41	6	17	17	27	16	8

ROXBURY LATIN.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Van Auringe, ss.,	6	3	5	5	4	2	0
Shoenpuss, p. & 1b.,	6	2	1	1	10	3	0
M. Farmer, lf.,	6	1	1	1	0	0	1
Daly, 2b.,	6	2	1	1	2	3	0
Penhallow, rf.,	5	3	2	2	0	0	0
Chandler, p. & 1b.,	5	1	2	2	6	1	2
A. Farmer, c.,	5	2	3	3	4	3	2
George, cf.,	5	1	1	1	1	0	0
Ticknor, 3b.,	5	0	1	1	0	1	1
	49	15	17	17	27	13	6

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Adams,	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	— 6
Rox. Latin,	5	0	0	0	5	1	2	1	1	—15

Earned Runs—Adams, 2; Rox. Latin, 2, Double plays—Taylor, Cilley and Appleton. Van Auringe, M. Farmer and Schoenpuss. Passed Balls—Appleton, 3; A. Farmer, 2. Hit by Pitched ball—Ticknor, Appleton. Time 2 hours, and 15 minutes. Umpire, Higgins.

☞ The Reapers Circle of King's Daughters will hold a sale of useful and fancy articles in the Parish house of Christ church, Wednesday, April 20, from 7.30 till 10 P. M. 2t-18-20

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

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Administratrix's Sale

At Auction of the

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Of the late JONATHAN BAXTER, at late residence, 162 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1898, AT 1.30 P. M.

THE Goods consist in part as follows: 2 Woolen Carpets, Stair Carpet, Straw Matting, Rugs, Oil Cloth, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, 2 Rockers, Parlor Table, Parlor Stove, Air Tight Stove, two Cylinder Stoves, one Chamber Set, Single Bedstead, one Mahogony Bureau, two odd Bureaus, Hair Cloth Sofa, Sick Chair, Range, small lot of Crockery and Tin ware, Oak Extension Table and 4 Chairs, Oil Stove, lot of Tools, lot of Lasts, Step Ladder, Ladders, Wheelbarrow and a variety of Goods. Sale positive, goods to be removed day following sale. Terms Cash.

Per order,
EMMA F. BAXTER,
Administratrix.

April 15—3t 15, 18, 20

By FRANK F. CRANE, - Auctioneer.
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Auction Sale

OF THE

Household Furniture

of J. S. BEAN, Myrtle St., E. Weymouth,

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, AT 1.30 P. M.,

Consisting of Elegant Ivers & Pond Upright Piano, New Oak Chamber Set, several pieces of Plush Parlor Furniture, Rattan Rockers, Oak Sideboard, Square Oak Extension Table, Oak Chairs, Fine Dinner Set, New White Sewing Machine, Woolen Carpets, White Enamel Chamber Set, Arm Chairs, Mattresses, Magee Grand Range, Hall Lamp, Straw Matting, New Columbia Refrigerator, Crockery, Glassware and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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This new house to let, $30 a month. All modern improvements.

Sale positive, rain or shine. Terms cash.

April 18. 3t

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Music Hall,

QUINCY,

PATRIOTS' NIGHT,

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Quincy, April 11. 7t

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Swell Suits in Worsteds, Serges and Cassimeres, **$9.85** to **$10.00.**

Overcoats that the best dressers in town would put on and wear, for **$7.50.**

Have better ones, too, and you can buy them for less money than you can elsewhere. If it is a Suit, Overcoat, Pants, Hat, Necktie, or even Collar Button that you need, you will make a mistake if you do not see ours before buying.

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Good Oolong and English Breakfast Tea, 25c. lb., 5 lbs. $1.00.

COFFEE (quoted by some dealers as Java and Mocha) a rich, full flavored Coffee, ground while you wait, 18c. lb., 6 lbs. $1.00.

A 5-gallon galvanized iron faucet can filled, $1.15.
10-gallon Keg Best Porto Rico Molasses (no charge for keg), $4.50.
10-gallon keg Good Molasses, $2.75.
10 gallons Best Cider Vinegar, including keg, $2.00.
25 lbs. Laundry Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Corn Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, $1.00.
12 Cans Tomatoes, $1.00.
20 quarts Best Pea Beans, $1.00.
100 lbs. Sugar, $5.25.

BOSTON BRANCH GROCERY,

DURGIN & MERRILL'S BLOCK, QUINCY.

April 16. eod

Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.

H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.

4 April 12. 12t

Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

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Soft soles, 15c., 25c.

Spring Heels, all sizes, Black and Tans, 50c., 65c., 75c. and $1.

Boys' Shoes, Black and Tans, $1, $1.25, and $1.50.

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New Idea Fashion Patterns, 10c.

Ladies, clean your Kid Gloves with Miller's Glovine, 15c.

Special Bargains in Kitchen Furnishings.

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BUY YOUR

Tea and Coffee

AT THE

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Opposite the Fountain, Quincy,

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COFFEE GROUND WHILE YOU WAIT.

Prices and Quality Cannot be Beat.

Don't Forget the Place,

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Holiday tomorrow.

No Ledger tomorrow.

It was a summer Sunday.

City Council this evening.

Holiday hours at the post office tomorrow.

Interesting reading will be found on the inside pages today.

Open cars were run Sunday afternoon on the Boston line.

The Rev. W. H. Stewart will leave Wollaston for Vermont in June.

ExPostmaster James F. Burke attended the Bryan banquet in Boston Saturday.

Mr. Henry Gannet, t for many years resident of Wollaston, will soon move to Dorchester.

James S. Whiting, the Ledger correspondent at Wollaston is confined to the house today by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chute from South Boston were visiting their relatives on Howard street, Sunday.

Miss Clothier of Colorado is to speak to the ladies of Wollaston on Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. George A. Litchfield.

At Merry Mount park on Saturday the Adams school nine defeated the Wollaston school boys 12 to 8 in a fourteen innings game.

The barge Merriam is unloading at the wharf of C. Patch & Son a cargo of freshly mined red ash nut coal, recommended for summer use.

Houghs Neck mails now arrive at the Quincy post office at 8.15 A. M. and 5.15 P. M. It closes at 8 A. M., and 5 P. M, for Houghs Neck.

Rev. W. H. Stewart of Wollaston preached at the Wollaston Baptist church Sunday morning. Mr. Stewart's text was found in Hebrews 9:26.

The Wollaston Baptist Endeavor society have invited all the young people in the church to a "Silkaline Tangle" in the vestry on Tuesday evening.

The sunlight parties for children and young people given by Mrs. Rhines are now one of the looked for holiday attractions, and an enjoyable time is anticipated tomorrow from 2 to 6 at Faxon hall.

A little Fallon girl of Quincy street started out this morning to spend two cents for candy. She eached City Square before she found a candy store, and then lost her way. She was returned to her home.

The mercury was above seventy on Sunday between 12 and 4 P. M. Do you remember the hot week the last of April last year, when the mercury was above 70 on four successive days and above 80 on one of these?

The Young People Society of the United Presbytery of Boston will have a rally at the U. P. church corner Berkeley and Chandler streets, on Sunday evening at 7.30. The Quincy church will be largely represented.

At the play given by the Pi Eta society, Harvard, at the Bijou theatre Friday evening, April 15, we noticed Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Saville, Miss Louise Cook, Mr. Carl Hayward and Mr. Frederick Munroe.

Few if any of the local clergymen made any direct reference to the lecture of Mr. Ingersoll. In these enlightened days, as one expressed it to a Ledger representative, they did not feel the necessity of a reply. They did not propose to please Ingersoll to that extent.

Republicans Reorganize.

A special meeting of the Republican City Committee was held Saturday evening at the rooms of the Granite Manufactures' Association to fill vacancies in its offices caused by the resignation of President Charles L. Hammond, Secretary Edgar G. Cleaves and Treasurer Isaac M. Holt. Vice President Freeman presided and after the resignations had been accepted the following officers were elected:

President,—Richard R. Freeman.
Secretary,—Henry P. Furnald.
Treasurer,—William T. Spargo.

A vote of thanks was extended to the retiring officers for their untiring efforts for the success of the party.

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DIED.

GOODHUE—In Quincy, April 18, Mrs. Ellen, widow of Mitchel Goodhue, aged 61 years.

FALLON—In Milton, April 15, Mrs. Mary E. wife of Mr. William Fallon, of Clapp street, aged 27 years, 1 month and 13 days

YOUNG—In Quincy, April 16, Mrs Mary A., widow of Mr. Albert Young, aged 75 years, 4 months and 4 days.
Funeral from late residence 20 Edwards street, Tuesday April 19, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited.

FREEMAN—At West Sumner, Maine, April 17, Mrs. Mary W. wife of the late Benjamin Freeman, aged 91 years, 6 months and 7 days.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

No services were held at the M. E. Church, East Weymouth, Sunday on account of it being the week of the M E. Southern Conference of the M. E. churches which was held at Attleboro.

The East Weymouth polo team easily defeated the Woonsocket aggregation at the Rink, East Weymouth, Saturday night before 1,000 spectators. The visitors could not score once on the home team, while the Weymouths scored 8.

The last stage rehearsal of "Kokakola" will be held tonight at the Odd Fellows' Opera House, East Weymouth, where the opera will be presented Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week.

Messrs. Michael W. White, '98, and George P. Hunt, '00 of East Weymouth are enjoying a week's respite from their duties at the Harvard Medical school.

The annual spring recess of the Weymouth public schools began today.

Miss Florence Locke, a teacher at the Athens school, North Weymouth, is spending her vacation at Needham.

The Algonquin whist club of North Weymouth, held their annual supper at United States Hotel, Saturday night. Among the guess of the club were Mrs. Frank Whiting, Mrs. Harry C. Thomas, Miss Belle R. Norton, Mrs. Edward Browne and Mrs. Frank H. Torrey.

The Monday club met this afternoon at the Congregational church, East Weymouth.

The North Weymouth Cemetery Circle will hold its annual meeting tomorrow afternoon with its president, Mrs. Quincy Burrell..

E. R. Lord is entered for the bicycle races at Dedham tomorrow.

Mrs. John Long of Belchertown is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Pratt, with her two sons.

Miss Nellie Holbrook attended the conference at Attleboro.

Miss Florence Shaw is quite ill.

AT THE FIREMEN'S BALL.

Accompanying the report of Firemen's grand ball for Saturday's Ledger was the following list of names of those present, which was crowded out. It includes several from Quincy:

Col. S. B. Lovell and wife, A. L. Flint and wife, W. Wheaton and wife, M. Matherson and wife, I. Loud and wife, I. Loring and wife, J. B. Vinal and wife, L. South and wife, Stephen Cain, Jr., and wife, I. S. Bacon and wife, J. P. Buzzell and wife, W. Jones and wife, Minot Matherson and wife, Fred Peterson and wife, Frank Shaw and wife, Henry E. Schutz and wife, J. F. Cushing and wife, George Jenkins and wife, F. H. Torrey and wife, Frank Spear and wife, C. H. Abbot and wife, A S. Jordan and wife, Henry Vogel and wife, G. W. Bailey and wife, Geo. Burrell and wife, M. A. Cunningham and wife, J. W. French and wife, G. M. Keene and wife, J. B. Ford and wife, A. Richmond and wife, Edward Sterling and wife, Albert Burrell and wife, A. M. Beedem and wife, W. Richards and wife, M. Carleton and wife, E. A. Harriman and wife, C. H. Pratt and wife, La Forest Jones and wife, George Nash and wife, E. S. Bradford and wife, Edward Ewell and wife, W. O. Collyer and wife.

Oliver Hayward and wife, Charles Leavitt and wife, Emery Andrews and wife, Fred Tirrell and wife, H. K. Cushing and wife, Joseph Kennedy and wife, Fred S. Wilder and wife, Myles Keene and wife, Charles Grady and wife, Joseph Lamson and wife, S. B. Richmond and wife, Charles Hayward and wife, W. Taylor and wife, C. G. Ford and wife, Albert Humphrey and wife, George Wheaton and wife, F. B. Burrell and wife, James Vining and wife, Chester Keene and wife.

Miss Sadie Cash, Miss Fannie P. Chubbuck, Miss Lura Oldham, Miss Grace Walsh, Miss Edna Sterling, Miss Carrie Peterson, Miss Helen Lovell, Miss Emma Maybrant, Miss Persia Thayer, Miss Margaret Dee, Miss Annie Conroy, Miss Bessie Gay, Miss Emily Randall, Miss Mabel Blackwell.

Miss Parker, Miss Alida Woods, Miss Emma Fogarty, Miss Florence Hayward, Miss Maud Clapp, Miss Daisy Pratt, Miss Emma Pratt, Miss Richmond, Miss Helen Beals, Miss Fannie Woods, Miss Blanche Hathway, Miss Flossie Clapp, Miss Bertha Sutton, Miss Fannie Staples, Miss Brett Harlow, Miss Jennie Reed, Mrs. Grace Bean.

D. E. Wadsworth, George P. Hunt, Edward Stiles, William Cowing, Lenoard Cooley, Bert Walsh, George Dexheiner, Ralph Oldham, Russell Norster, C. W. Tirrell, Charles Hollis, Horton Hayward, Abbot Bates, M. F. Drinkwater, William Cowing, John Hartley, G. B. Raymond, Lawrence Drew, James A. Matherson, Mr. Galant, Byron Marr Frank Bates.

Capt. Otis Cushing was floor director while the engineers were assistants, the captains the aids, and the lieutenants the reception committee. Chief Engineer Packard and the assistants engineers of Quincy were included in the invited guests.

How General Joe Wheeler Was Captured.

General Wheeler had a most exciting service throughout the war. He has told me how his horses were shot under him again and again and how he escaped without injury, although he always rode at the head of his troops. Of all the commanders under Jefferson Davis he stuck closest to him. He was with Davis when the cabinet moved from Richmond to Cokesborough, N. C., and he then had eight brigades of cavalry. He told Davis that the soldiers considered the war was over and that he had trouble in holding his troops together. Davis did not agree with him, and he ordered 16,000 horseshoes sent there to equip his troops for flight through the south.

A short time later, however, when he got ready to fly, Wheeler was about the only commander who could get soldiers to go with him, and it was little General Joe who followed the Confederate president with a troop of 500 men. Davis and his cabinet soon saw, however, that their hope was a forlorn one, and they sent orders to Wheeler to disband his troops and take care of himself. This Wheeler did and a short time later was captured by the Union troops and was sent with Jefferson Davis north to prison. Alexander Stephens and Postmaster General Reagan were taken with him, and on the way north General Wheeler says that Stephens thought he was going to sure death. He said as much to General Wheeler, and the general replied, "Well, Mr. Stephens, if this is to be your fate, what must be that of President Davis?" Alexander Stephens raised his hands and replied: "Oh, don't speak of that! His fate is too horrible to consider." General Wheeler said he had no idea he would be killed, and the way he joked about the matter of their joint imprisonment horrified Alexander Stephens. — St. Louis Republic.

Washington Widows.

I like gratitude. I like to hear of grateful people, and an anecdote I heard recently of one Washington man has pleased me immensely. He has recently married the widow of a very wealthy gentleman, and on the proceeds of the transaction he has built a handsome house. When the house was finished and the moving into it was accomplished, the wife and her mother fell to discussing just where they should hang the portrait of the former husband. They had just decided to hang it in a small room on the second floor when the new husband came in and heard of the matter.

"Hang him up stairs!" he said. "No, siree. No, siree. That man was my benefactor. I owe everything I have to him. He shall hang in the place of honor."

And husband No. 1 now smiles down from over the mantel in the drawing room.

But that makes me think of another Washington widow who has recently bestowed herself and her belongings on a second husband.

"It's so fortunate," said she to me. "My first husband's last name began with a W, you know, and so does my second husband's first name. All Mr. W.'s handkerchiefs are just the thing for Willie, and I haven't even had to have the initial on them changed."—Washington Post.

Ages of the World's Charmers.

Miss Browning dilates on a most consolatory fact. The women who influenced the destinies of nations were none of them "actually young." Well, what does Miss Browning call "actually young?" Nineteen is not old, and she who saved France from returning members to a British parliament was 19 at her death. There is a tendency in the male sex to like them young. Helen of Troy was, it is calculated, about 120, but she was the daughter of a god. Cleopatra is put by Miss Browning at about 50 when Antony reckoned the world well lost for her. In any case her medals make her a plain woman, with a very long nose. Mary Stuart had turned things upside down before she was 25, and Diane de Poitiers was 43 and Mme. Scarron 45 before they captured royal lovers. These veteran charmers had health and intelligence, but Lady Hamilton was fat, as well as 40, when she fascinated Nelson.—London News.

Cod on Ash Wednesday.

Once a year, on Ash Wednesday, the Anglicans of all the middle class eat salt fish, and this salt fish is always cod. Shrove Tuesday is a kind of London fish shop festival, in which the whole of the "decoration" is salt cod and half lemons. The cod are salted in the shops, being split and very lightly but sufficiently salted, with a view to imparting flavor rather than to preserving the fish. They are then rolled loosely and elegantly and a lemon laid upon each. The origin of the lemon is difficult to trace. Egg sauce, and not lemons, is the traditional "relish" with salt cod, the eggs being also a survival of the old Lenten list of fare. Possibly the lemons were originally part of the surplus stock laid in for the previous feast of pancakes on Shrove Tuesday.—Cornhill Magazine.

The Early Piano.

The earliest known mention of the pianoforte was in a playbill dated May 16, 1767. The piece announced was "The Beggar's Opera," with Mr. Beard as Captain Macheath, Mrs. Stephens as Mrs. Peachum, Mr. Shuter as Peachum. The principal attraction was given us, "Miss Buckler will sing a song from 'Judith,' accompanied by a new instrument called pianoforte." — Pittsburg Dispatch.

The annual consumption of paper used in Amoy, China, is said to be nearly $10,000,000. Most of it is of local manufacture. The Chinese don't like foreign made paper.

One pound of sheep's wool is capable of producing one yard of cloth.

"Past Redemption."

The St. John's C. L. and A. A. will present this sterling temperance drama at Music hall on Tuesday evening. The cast is a notably strong one,—all general favorites in the city—and it is safe to say that the presentation will be of the usual order of excellence. Many weeks have been spent in hard preparation, but all acquainted with the piece will realize that only hardest preparatory work would incure a creditable perfrmance. The members of the society are sanguine of the complete success of the affair.

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LOST—April 17, in Reservation, ENGLISH SETTER, black and white. Collar marked A. E. Foster. Finder please notify 34 Hancock street, Quincy.
April 18—1t

LOST—A gold Breast Pin, between Presbyterian church and Doble's store, at 5.30 o'clock Sunday. Return to 121 Water street.
April 18—1t

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CLERK WANTED—Must be a good meat cutter and furnish references. Address "A. A.," Ledger office. apr18-6t

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April 18—tf

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April 12—6t 16-1w

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.
Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

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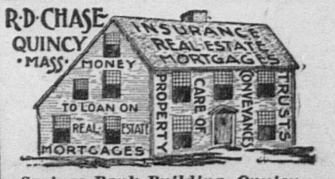
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UNBELIEF.

There is no unbelief.
Whoever plants a seed beneath the sod
And waits to see it push away the clod
He trusts in God.

Whoever says the clouds are in the sky,
"Be patient, heart, light breaketh by and by,"
Trusts the Most High.

Whoever sees 'neath winter's friend of snow
The silent harvest of the future grow
God's power must know.

Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep,
Content to lock each sense in slumber deep,
Knows God will keep.

Whoever says, "tomorrow," "the unknown,"
"The future," trusts the power alone
He dares disown.

The heart that looks on when eyelids close
And dares to live when life has only woes
God's comfort knows.

There is no unbelief,
And day by day and night, unconsciously,
The heart that lives by faith the lips deny,
God knoweth why.

—Edward Bulwer Lytton.

ALL FOR LENKEN.

When Meyer came to Pineville, he gave his name as Wilhelm Windmeyer, and it was promptly changed by the citizens to Bill Meyer.

He came direct from the fatherland to make Pineville his home. He thought it was his duty, too, to tell everybody he had left a sweetheart behind, and that it was for her sake that he was working to make a home. Her name was Lenken. She was very beautiful, he said, and so good that it seemed almost a miracle she had lived to the age of 20.

It was this loyalty to the girl he had promised to marry and who was so far away that made Meyer a favorite with everybody in Pineville.

But Meyer was a slow, easy going fellow, and the one thought about Lenken seemed to occupy every cranny of his thinking apparatus to the exclusion of every other thought. He was a very small man, and that and the wooden leg he wore, he said, had saved him from doing duty as a soldier.

Meyer found employment with Judge Peterkin. The wages were low, but it was a steady job, and that was what Meyer most desired.

During his first year in Pineville Meyer gained a little sum of money and lost four fingers and part of his nose. He was trying to whistle "Die Wacht am Rhine" down the barrel of an old musket when the gun went off accidentally and carried away part of his nasal organ. The fingers were cut off with a small circular saw used for cutting firewood.

Two fingers on one hand were cut off first. When the wounded hand had been tied up, Judge Peterkin, his daughter Molly and Aunt Phyllis, the cook, followed Meyer out to the woodshed to be shown how the accident had occurred.

"It must have been a piece of pure carelessness on your part," said the judge, looking very severe. "Now show me how it was done."

"I vas singing 'Over Die Garten Vall,'" said Meyer. "Den I pick up a shtick of wood like dis"—picking one up with his unwounded hand—"und den I hold it like dis, und den de shtick shlip like dis, und den my fingers vas cut off like dis." And that was how Meyer came to lose the second two fingers.

The second year Meyer laid up another small sum of money and was divested of part of an ear, two toes and a good deal of his hair. The ear and toes were lost accidentally and the hair incidentally from natural causes.

"Why, Meyer, Lenken won't know you when she sees you again, you are such a wreck!" said Molly to him one day.

"Vell, maybe so!" he sighed, but in a moment the confidence in his sweetheart's steadfastness returned. "Oh, she vas so goot, Miss Molly, und so bootiful," he said, "dat it makes no difference to her how I look! She vas true all de time."

Then Molly thought she would see if Meyer would not pay her a compliment.

"How does Lenken look, Meyer? Does she look something like me?" she asked.

"Like you?" he exclaimed. "Lenken don't look like nobody. Miss Wiggin look like you maybe, but Lenken vas different."

Miss Wiggin was Molly's rival beauty in Pineville, and the reference to her made the latter flush very red in the face. Meyer laughed merrily.

"You don't look pooty ven you look like dat, Miss Molly," he said.

Then there came changes, and Meyer did not profit any by them. Judge Peterkin died, Miss Molly married, and Meyer had to look out for himself as best he could. True, Molly still interested herself in him as much as possible, but she had new cares and new duties now that claimed her attention most of the time.

But Meyer was always hopeful and in good humor. His every thought, act and deed was to accomplish something to bring the day nearer when he could write to Lenken and tell her that he had made a home for her. It was all for Lenken.

"How long since you heard from Lenken?" Molly asked him one day.

Meyer thought awhile.

"A little over two years ago," he replied.

"And when did you write to her?"

"Oh, dat vas t'ree years ago."

"Meyer, you ought to be ashamed of yourself," cried Molly. "You must sit down here right now and write Lenken a long letter and tell her that you are still alive. Why, don't you know that she is grieving all the time and imagining that all sorts of accidents have befallen you?"

"Maybe so. I never t'ink of dat."

"For all you know, too, she may have got tired waiting and married some one else."

That brought Meyer to his feet and made him prance around on his wooden leg pretty lively for a minute.

"No, no," he cried. "Lenken would not do dat. Lenken is true. Vy, she t'ink I vas married, too, maybe." The thought seemed to tickle him greatly. "You t'ink I would marry anybody but Lenken?" he asked.

"No, Meyer, I don't suppose you would or could, but with a woman it is different."

"No, it vas all de same," Meyer persisted.

"But are you going to write to her?"

"Maybe so, maybe not," doggedly.

"Why?"

"I want to buy dat land you own down on de river," he said. "You sell me dat land. I write pooty soon maybe."

The matter was not settled just then, but a few days later it was, and Meyer became a landowner in Pineville.

"What are you going to do now?" asked Molly.

"I make a fine farm, one big garten, und build one little house, und Lenken und me live dere und get rich like everything."

"But suppose when Lenken sees how crippled you are that she won't marry you?"

"Und suppose ven I see how pooty she vas I say: 'Come, Lenken, I love you all de time. I lose one leg for you long ago, und I give all de rest for you afterward to make you happy.'"

"Did you lose your leg for Lenken, Meyer?" Molly asked, greatly interested.

"Maybe I did, but some odder day ven Lenken come you ask her."

For once Meyer was rushing things. In a short while he had cleared several acres of land and a little later began to build the house. When the house was completed, he came to Molly in high spirits.

"Lenken is coming next week!" he cried. "Ach, Gott, I vas so glad!"

Molly inquired the day, but Meyer could not tell her. He said he was going to watch every incoming train until she arrived. Molly, too, somehow managed to be at the depot at train time and watched Meyer.

"I am so curious to get a first glimpse at Lenken," she said to herself. "I have wondered so long what she looks like and have heard her praised so much by Meyer that the curiosity is almost killing me."

One evening when the train came in she saw Meyer rush forward and knew that Lenken had come at last. She peeped around the corner and saw a woman looking around bewildered. That woman had beautiful eyes. Molly looked straight into them for a moment, and everything else in the woman's appearance was forgotten.

"Come, Lenken," Meyer whispered, touching her hand. "Ach, du liebchen!" he murmured as their eyes met. Then both turned, holding each other by the hand like children, and started to walk away.

As Molly looked after them there was a soft moisture in her eyes. Then she roused herself and, smiling, murmured, "Why, she must weigh at the very least 200 pounds!"

The bell of the locomotive rang out a warning. There were puffing and wheezing, and the train was in motion. Then there came a piercing scream, and the train stopped suddenly.

When Molly looked through the crowd that gathered in a moment to see what had happened, she saw Meyer lying on the ground, and Lenken was bending above him.

Molly pressed up closer. Meyer looked up and saw her. "It vas for Lenken," he said, his eyes twinkling merrily. Then he added, "But I tinks it vas only de vooden leg dis time."—And it was. —John P. Sjolander in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Settled the Case.

"I was called upon in 1878 to defend a man who was charged with the most unusual misdemeanor I ever heard of any clerk entering on a court calendar," said a lawyer friend from the mountains. "A young farm hand came to me at the hotel where I was stopping, my home being in another town, but my practice extending to the county seat I was then in. The swain told me he had been charged by a girl, to whom he had been paying attention, with giving her measles, she claiming that the disease, which had been epidemic in the neighborhood, had been communicated to her by kissing her repeatedly while the defendant was recovering from measles. The girl's surly father sued the badly alarmed defendant for $50 damages, claiming he had expended that sum in doctor's bills for the afflicted daughter. My client pleaded guilty to kissing the plaintiff, but said he couldn't 'a' helped it ef he'd be'n a-mind ter and insisted that he had never had measles. I tried the case before a kind hearted old squire, and after the court had heard the testimony he delivered a long opinion in which he held that a girl as pretty as the plaintiff would make a boy risk measles and 'even dumb chills' to sip the sweets of her corallike lips. The judge's 'jolly' put both sides in good humor, and the defendant two weeks later married the plaintiff and settled the costs of the suit to appease the wrath of her father."—Louisville Post.

The Woman In White.

Here is one of Nugent Robinson's reminiscences of Wilkie Collins: "I was walking one day toward Hampstead heath with Wilkie Collins. It was raining. Wilkie carried his white umbrella. Presently we sighted near a hedge a very pretty woman dressed in white and accompanied by a child. Wilkie stepped up to her and proffered his umbrella. She promptly accepted it, and I said to him as she disappeared, 'That's the last you'll see of it.' He laughed and insisted that it would be all right. He lived in Wampole street and had given the young woman his address. Well, time went by until one day we two were again strolling, this time in Piccadilly. Suddenly a hansom was halted alongside of us so quickly that the horse was drawn back on his haunches and that same woman leaned out and handed Wilkie his umbrella. I discreetly walked on. That was the original of 'The Woman In White,' and she became Wilkie's housekeeper."

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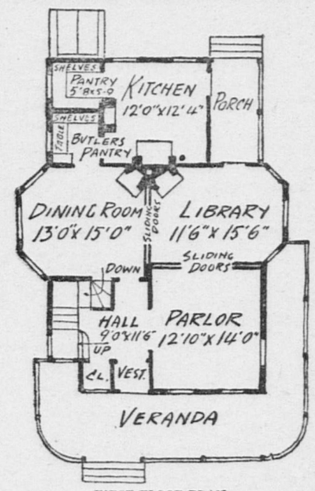
"It was the greatest mistake of my life." This we may all say at least once in our busy lives, and very often that same mistake was that the person had built a house and was afraid to impress his views on the architect as to the conveniences of his building, suited to the especial requirements of his family. He has merely let the architect intimidate him and possibly left his entire building in the hands of some indiscriminate architect, who has built it regardless of cost to the owner and has rushed it through in any old way, making as few detailed plans as possible and thus causing it to be improper and



PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

faulty in construction. This architect has captured his client through some advertisement that appeared in a fascinating manner in some local paper and was undoubtedly stolen from some architect of repute who drew up the plans and elevations for his own use.

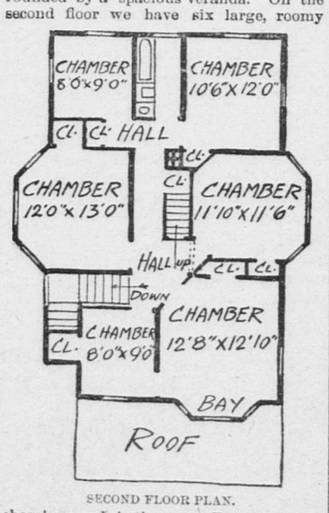
Therefore if you are contemplating building study a book of plans over very carefully, consider your family in every possible way, your furniture, and, above all, the proposed site of your home, and endeavor to build the exterior of your house so that it will blend with the architecture of nature. By a little careful study in this direction you may be able to construct a home whose very first appearance will suggest coziness and comfort. How often you see a house that is located in a most charming locality, yet is greatly lacking in something—something that the uninitiated fail to comprehend, but with a practiced eye the effect is easily noticed! Especially is this the case where architects



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

have a client who has received plans, etc., from a distance through the agency of the mails. Where this is the case care and attention should always be given to a minute description of the surrounding country and natural climatic conditions and whether a wooded or stony country. By a competent architect all these things would be carefully weighed, and he could plan a structure so that it would harmonize with the natural characteristics of that particular locality.

The building that we hereby illustrate is one of our many designs that are planned for the comfort and convenience of the occupants, the first floor consisting of parlor, dining room and library, with a large kitchen and butler's and kitchen pantries. The library and dining room each contain a large Roman brick fireplace. A large front hall, with vestibule, is also a good feature. House on first floor is partly surrounded by a spacious veranda. On the second floor we have six large, roomy



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

chambers and bathroom. Every room is so constructed as to have one large closet.

In the attic are finished two large rooms for the use of the servants, and there is another large unfinished room for use as a storeroom. In this building we have endeavored to utilize all possible room, combining comfort and symmetry in design, and altogether it is a building that any man would be proud of as the owner or as occupant. It is also a house that is well adapted to many localities. It can be erected for $4,000, including everything complete.

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WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be the Stoughton, Canton and Boston Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at Morton square in the town of Stoughton and County of Norfolk and to extend through said Morton square to Summer street, thence through Summer street to Canton street, thence through Canton street to Central street, thence through Central street to the division line of the the town of Sharon, in said County; thence through Bay said town of Sharon to the division line of the town of Canton, in said County; thence through Washington street in said town of Canton to the division line of the town of Milton, in said County, thence to and through Blue Hill avenue, in said town of Milton, to the division line between said town of Milton and the City of Boston, County of Suffolk, its terminus. Also from a point on said Blue Hill avenue, thence in a westerly direction to the division line of the town of Hyde Park, in said County of Norfolk; thence into and through said town of Hyde Park to a point near the present terminus of the Norfolk Suburban Street Railway Company and the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. depot at Readville, and is a terminus.

Its length will be about fifteen miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The capital stock of said Company shall be one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000)

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Stoughton, Canton, Sharon, Milton or Hyde Park, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

Hosea C. Witt of Stoughton,
Bartholomew R. Doody of Canton,
Arthur Merritt of Milton
Edward F. Draper of Walpole,
Fred E. Rollins of Hyde Park,
John C. Lane of Norwood,
A. R. Sanderson of Boston.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands this twenty-first day of March, 1898.

SUBSCRIBERS.	RESIDENCE.	P. O. ADDRESS.	NO. OF SHARES.	
Edward F. Draper,	Walpole,	53 State St., Boston.	Five.	
John C. Lane,	Norwood,	28 State St., Boston,	Five.	
Samuel Billings,	Canton,	Canton,	Ten.	
Cornelius Cohan,	Canton,	Canton,	Five.	
Samuel R. Mosley,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.	
Henry E. Briggs,	Canton,	Canton,	One	
William W. Brooks,	Canton,	Canton,	Three.	
William P. Reynolds,	Canton,	Canton,	Three.	
Chas. P. Grimes,	Canton,	Canton,	One.	
Fred E. Rollins,	Hyde Park,	50 Gordon avenue,	Five.	
Charles F. Paine,	Hyde Park,	Readville Station,	Two.	
William O'Connell,	Canton,	Canton,	Two.	
H. C. Witt,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
D. J. Chisholm,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One,	
George W. Dutton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
Thomas Stratton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
John Stratton,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
William Curtis,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
Edward A. Perrin,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.	
George E. Belcher,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	Five.	
L. Perley Johnson,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.	
A. F. Walker,	Winthrop,	166 High St., Boston,	One.	
Aaron R. Sanderson,	Boston,	53 State St	Five.	
Alden L. Wilkes,	Boston,	160 Tremont St.,	Two.	
Geo. Monk,	Stoughton,	Stoughton,	One.	
A. M. Bridgman,	Stoughton	Stoughton,	One.	
S. R. Doody,	Canton,	Canton,	Five.	
W. A. Mosman,	Boston,	85 Water St.,	One.	
W. G. Norris,	Boston,	34 Oliver St.,	Twenty-five.	
L. Van Vleet,	Boston,	34 Oliver St.,	Fifteen.	
George W. Chapman,	Hyde Park,	48 Maple St,	Two.	
[illegible] A. Billings,	Canton,	Canton,	Five.	
John A. Spencer,	Canton,	Canton,	One.	
O. P. Wolfe,	Canton,	Canton,	One.	
John Curry,	Canton,	Canton.	One.	
John A. Lowell,	Boston,	147 Franklin St.,	Five.	
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H. S. Byam,	Canton	Canton	Two	
C. W. Seavey,	Canton	Canton	One	
R. S. Byam,	Canton	Canton	Three	
Elijah A. Morse,	Canton	Canton	Ten	
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Articles of Association for the Formation of a

STREET RAILWAY CORPORATION.

WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a street railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be NORWOOD, CANTON AND STOUGHTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the Post Office in the town of Norwood and County of Norfolk, and to extend through said Norwood and the Towns of Canton and Stoughton, both in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the Post Office in said Town of Stoughton, its terminus.

Its length will be about ten miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Twenty-five Thousand dollars. ($25,000.)

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Towns, shall act as a Board of Directors, until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

J. E. Hartshorn, Director, of Norwood, Mass.
Samuel H. Capen, Director, of Canton, Mass.
Edward L. Underwood, Director of Canton, Mass.
A. M. Bridgman, Director, of Stoughton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Geo. J. Morse, Director, of Hyde Park, Mass.
A. H. Crossman, Director, of Milton, Mass.
Bradford Hamilton, Clerk and Treasurer.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

WITNESS our hands, this Sixth day of April, 1898.

SUBSCRIBERS.	RESIDENCE.	P. O. ADDRESS.	NO. OF SHARES.
Geo. J. Morse,	Hyde Park, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.	One hundred twenty.
Bradford Hamilton,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Fifty.
J. B. L. Bartlett,	Mattapan, Mass.	Mattapan, Mass.	One.
E. J. Fairbank, Jr.,	Milton, Mass.	Blue Hill, Mass.	One.
Dudley Talbot,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	One.
A. M. Bridgman,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Edward L. Underwood,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
Wm. Cunningham,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park, Mass.	Hyde Park, Mass.	Fifty-seven.
A. H. Crossman,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Ten.
J. H. Packard,	Mattapan, Mass.	Mattapan, Mass.	One.
A. Perry Curtis,	Stoughton, Mass.	Stoughton, Mass.	One.
F. K. Kingman,	17 Gleason St.	Dorchester, Mass.	One.
J. E. Hartshorn,	Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	One.
Eben F. Gay,	Norwood, Mass.	Norwood, Mass.	One.
Samuel H. Capen,	Canton, Mass.	Canton, Mass.	One.

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THE FIRST SHOT.

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that delay is what is desired by those opposed to war in the hope of some action by the Spanish cortes.

The supporters of the senate form of expression are very hopeful that public sentiment will compel the house to adopt it, but they know that the influential conservative element is against them, and they realize that they may be disappointed in the action of the house. In that event they are prepared to stand out against a surrender on the part of of senate. How long this determination will hold good remains to be developed, but the advocates of the recognition of Cuban independence refuse to be convinced that any course than its recognition is tenable. They decline to even discuss the lines of any compromise short of the senate's action on this point. Whether they would hold to this if they should find the house equally determined is not sure in view of the pressure for action. Still many of the most radical pro-Cubans say that insufficient actioh is no better than no action at all. On the other hand, there is an element in the senate of respectable proportions which favors the house resolutions over those of the senate, and whose influence will be constantly exerted in the senate against the resolutions as amended, and there are probably a dozen more who voted for the declaration as a whole who are not heartily favorable to it and who would not be greatly disappointed over finding an opportunity to modify the senate's position. Thus it is while the sentiment in the senate is not yet sufficiently crystallized to justify positive prediction there is enough difference of opinion to present an interesting situation if the house should fail to endorse the senate's action.

The Republicans of the ways and means committee have blocked out a bill for war revenue whenever the necessity for action is apparent. A tax on patent and proprietary medicines, telegraph messages and express packages is incorporated. This scheme of taxation is estimated to raise $35,000,000. The tax on medicines will be 2 cents on packages or bottles retailing at 25 cents or under, and four cents on those retailing above that price.

The tax on messages will be 1 cent on all which cost 25 cents or less and 2 cents on all above 25 cents. A duty of 10 cents per pound is placed upon tea and 3 cents upon coffee, with a countervailing internal revenue tax on stock on hand. This latter will be in the form of a tax on the sales of stock on hand to avoid the constitutional inhibition against a direct tax. From tea and coffee $28,000,000 are estimated. Bottled waters are to bear a tax similar to patent medicines.

For the pressing needs of the government the secretary of the treasury is given the general power to issue certificates of indebtedness payable in one year and to bear not to exceed 3 percent interest. The secretary of the treasury is also authorized to borrow on the credit of the government by popular subscription a loan of $500,000,000.

For an Invasion of Cuba.

Washington, April 18.—The army administration has worked out a complete plan of campaign in the island of Cuba. No details are lacking in the scheme for the occupation of such ports and bases of supplies as it may be necessary to seize in the course of the hostilities, not only in Cuba, but in the outlying islands of the West Indies. In general, the plan is identical with that devised by President Grant at the time of the 10 years' war in Cuba, when it seemed probable that the United States would become involved in war with Spain. General Grant applied his military knowledge to the problem of making a virtual seizure of Cuba and its environments, and the cutting off of the base of supplies of Spain. The records of this work have been carefully preserved, including the maps and charts drawn under the direction of General Grant. These have been revised by means of recent facts obtained by the bureau of military information of the war department and from Consul General Lee since his return from Havana.

To Approach the Insurgents.

Havana, April 18.—Peter Raball, colonial secretary of posts and communications, and three others, designated by the autonomist government as a particular committee to approach the insurgent leaders in eastern Cuba, left by rail Sunday for Batabano, whence they will proceed by steamer to Santa Cruz del Sur, to ascertain whether the insurgent government in the province of Puerto Principe will accept the armistice. If received, the commission will indicate a neutral zone and propose conditions and a place of meeting. Two prominent autonomists and members of the central committee have been appointed by the committee with the same ends in view.

Will Europe Mediate?

London, April 18.—The Madrid correspondent of a local paper says: "I have had a long and interesting conversation with a diplomatic representative of one of the European powers—who requested me not to mention his name or nationality—who confidently said: 'Although war seems certain, the possibility of peace is not yet eliminated. The negotiations are proceeding without interruption, and success is still possible. Personally I must say I believe it will be very difficult to maintain peace, because the excitement on both sides of the Atlantic is too strong to be opposed successfully by the governments; but what I am certain of is this: There will be no war in the ordinary sense of the word. Hostilities will end almost as soon as they begin, because Europe will mediate between the belligerents under conditions which will tend to be extremely favorable to peace with honor for both sides. It is then that the marked moderation of the Spanish government will bear fruit.' "

Not Going to Interfere.

London, April 18.—The general European situation makes it impossible to bring about any attempt to interfere with America's Cuban policy, despite the fact that Austria and France would be glad to intervene if they could get the support of the other powers. Europe, as a whole, including Great Britain, would be glad to escape the unknown complications and dangers which even the Spanish-American war must involve for the general peace of the world, but all alike regard hostilities as now unavoidable, and the chief concern is to make the crisis as brief as possible. To this end it may be safely predicted that the unanimous European influence will be exerted to induce Spain to regard her honor as satisfied and surrender Cuba after the shortest resistance. In fact, there is some ground for the belief that this phase of the question has already been the subject of the notes which are passing between the powers.

To Accept a Commission.

Washington, April 18.—Theodore Roosevelt probably will resign his office as assistant secretary of the navy in case of war with Spain to accept a commision for active service in the army. Nothing definite has yet been decided upon as to what assignment he will accept, but it is believed that he would prefer to serve with the Ney York state troops.



ASSISTANT SECRETARY ROOSEVELT.

From the beginning of the present difficulties with Spain Mr. Roosevelt has been prominent among those who believe that war is the only solution of the problem; and since the disaster of the Maine his advice to the president and members of the cabinet has uniformally been for immediate action against the Spaniards with the full power of the army and navy. He has never doubted that the Spaniards were responsible for the wreck of the Maine, and believes that that act fully justifies an immediate declaration of war.

Hostile Demonstrations.

London, April 18.—A special dispatch from Madrid says there was another hostile demonstration outside the American consulate at Malaga Sunday afternoon. The civic guard dispersed the mob after repeated charges. Three people were injured. Most of the shops were closed.

Friday all of the windows were smashed and a part of the furniture of the consulate was seriously damaged. When the crowd was at the height of its frenzy a ladder was brought and a man, getting hold of the American escutcheon, threw it to the ground amid immense cheering. The escutcheon was paraded as a trophy through the streets and ultimately carried to a crowded thoroughfare, where its appearance caused great enthusiasm.

The Monroe Doctrine.

Berlin, April 18.—The Washington correspondent of a local paper reports an interview with Polo De Bernabe, described as the "first the Spanish minister to the United States has given since his arrival in Washington," in which he is represented as saying: "The original idea of the Monroe doctrine was that it should be applied for defensive purposes and not offensive, as is now the case. In my opinion the newest application of the Monroe doctrine creates a serious precedent and threatens the raising of similar cases in the future.

"Spain has made extraordinary concessions, ignored insult, permitted the carrying of provisions to Cuba and ceased hostilities. Neither the insurgents nor the United States have given sufficient recognition to this. Spain expects for certain that the United States within a reasonable time, will be satisfied of the success of the Spanish concessions."

Belief In Vatican Circles.

London, April 18.—The Rome correspondent of The Times says: "In vatican circles the opinion is still held that an outbreak of war may yet be prevented; and a rumor is afloat to the effect that the pope is endeavoring to persuade Spain to recognize the independence of Cuba.

"Among continental diplomatists a certain degree of irritation is observable at what is alleged to be the attitude of England. Some of the powers, which have special reasons to fear the consequences of Spanish defeat, are evidently of the opinion that Europe has lost a good opportunity of affirming her interests as a compact political organization in opposition to the interests of America."

If the President Wins.

London, April 18.—The Times says editorially this morning: "Whether it was intended or not, President McKinley's action has had the effect of bringing out with the utmost clearness the existence of two wholly divergent conceptions of the American policy, together with the uncertainty as to which is really favored by the mass of the American people. This evidently means delay, and, looking to the rising passions of Spain, the imminent danger of a rupture is to be sought at Madrid rather than at Washington. If the Spanish people, therefore, are able to control their natural irritation, there is still a possibility that war may be avoided, especially if President McKinley wins."

At Key West.

Key West, Fla., April 18.—The arrival of companies A and G of the Twenty-fifth infantry roused Key West from tropical lethargy, and Sunday was marked by a stir unwonted in these exciting times. The fleet in the harbor and the military on land give this lazy town a warlike aspect which sits strangely on it.

The colored troops, 125 in number, were obliged to remain on board the City of Key West all night, because of lack of accommodation at the barracks, already given over to two batteries of artillery. It was eventually decided to quarter them in old Fort Taylor, and Sunday morning they formed in double file and marched there, a body of stalwart men, many of whom have seen war service in Indian campaigns and most of whom rank high as sharpshooters.

Some of the local papers have been protesting against having colored troops sent here, and there has been a slight fear of an unfavorable demonstration. So far from anything of the kind happening, the troopers were greeted with only words of praise.

Revival of an Ancient Jest.

The ancient jest regarding the ditto sign was revived in Cleveland not long ago, and it loses little of its sparkle because of its age.

Into the office of a local manufacturing concern, whose product is wire and wire hardware specialties, an elderly customer from out of town recently stalked.

"This here bill," he remarked, "is wrong. You've added where you should have subtracted."

"How's that?" inquired the bookkeeper.

"You've got me charged with $20 when I don't owe you but $12," replied the stranger.

"But I don't see how you make that out," said the bookkeeper as he glanced at the bill. "Here's one item of $16 and another of $4. That certainly aggregates $20."

"Well," said the aged party, "I'm perfectly willing to stand by the bill. It's your own bill, you know, and I'll pay you just what it calls for."

"Well, it calls for $20."

"Yes, it does, added, but not subtracted."

"What in the world do you mean?"

"I mean this," said the aged patron. And he spread the bill flat on the counter. The bookkeeper glanced at it again. These are the items he read:

"Sold to Mr. Phineas T. Blank:
4 iron wheelbarrows at $4.....$16
1 wooden do at $4..... 4
$20

"Kindly tell me," said the bookkeeper, "how you figure that total any lower."

The aged customer's eyes flashed triumphantly.

"Easy," he cried. "Here you've charged me with four wheelbarrows, $16. That's all right. And then right below you say that one wouldn't do, but instead of taking off the $4 you add it on. Here's your $12."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Curious Legal Decision.

The following anecdote is sent by a Kentucky correspondent, who says it is the exact truth:

"A young man who had not found it convenient to pay a tailor's bill was brought up on a creditor's bill by the cruel tailor before a very kind hearted vice chancellor, who liked the youth. He was handsomely dressed and wore a costly diamond stud in his shirt bosom, but declared under oath that he had no property except his wearing apparel. The tailor's lawyer claimed that a diamond stud was not an article of exempt apparel and asked for its surrender, but the judge ruled that the diamond button held the parts of the shirt together and its removal would lead to indecent exposure of the person. Then the lawyer urged that the shirt was of a new kind which buttoned in the back, but the judge met this by saying: 'The presumption of the law is that shirts button in front, and the court does not judicially know that shirts ever button in the back. The court will not require the defendant to submit to an examination to rebut the presumption.' And so the diamond remained in the bosom which cherished it."

Etiquette at Nice.

One feature of life on the Riviera that particularly strikes the sojourner from this side of the Atlantic is the utter absence of the piazza life that is such an institution at American summer and winter resorts. A recent visitor at Nice writes to the New York Times: "A man may show himself here on the Promenade des Anglais, either on foot or in coach, within certain well defined hours and with well understood restrictions as to his costume, but he must under no circumstances be seen sitting in front of his own dwelling, be it villa or hotel. The front of the premises must be clean and well kept, with as many plants and flowers as you like, but there must be no array of comfortable chairs and little tables, as we have them, or any other outward sign, in fact, that some one lives within and some one who knows how to take life comfortably. To sit in front of a hotel here after breakfast, smoking the cigar of contentment, would be a brazen defiance of all social usages."

How He Shot.

A Texas military company was out on the range practicing at rifle shooting. The lieutenant in command suddenly became exasperated at the poor shooting, and seizing a gun from one of the privates cried sharply:

"I'll show you fellows how to shoot."

Taking a long aim, and a strong aim, and an aim altogether, he fired and missed. Coolly turning to the private who owned the gun, he said:

"That's the way you shoot."

He again loaded the weapon and missed. Turning to the second man in the ranks, he remarked:

"That's the way you shoot."

In this way he missed about a dozen times, illustrating to each soldier his personal incapacity, and finally he accidentally hit the target.

"And that," he ejaculated, handing the gun back to the private, "is the way I shoot."—Los Angeles Express.

Vulgar Shirt Sleeves.

In an article describing the women's billiard room of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel the London Globe says: "If a man should be so bold as to remove his coat, an attendant instantly hands him a lounge jacket. All present shut their eyes and do not open them again until the ringing of a bell announces that the shirt sleeves have been covered."

Many of the fruits and vegetables now eaten in England were almost unknown to our forefathers. Not until Henry VIII's time were there either raspberries or strawberries or cherries grown in England, and we do not read of the turnip, cauliflower and quince being cultivated before the sixteenth century or the carrot before the seventeenth century.



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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M. except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49	r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49	r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49	r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49	r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49	r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49	r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49	r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19	r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36	r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49	r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19	r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36	r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49	r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19	r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53	r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53	r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27	r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49	r

SUNDAYS.

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r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49	r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49	r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53	r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 4:35 p. m. | New Moon 20 5:37 p. m.
Third Quarter 13 9:44 a. m. | First Quarter 28 9:21 p. m.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Thunder showers are indicated for the North Atlantic states.

It is a rumor that a florist is to open headquarters in the square.

Mr. Samuel Holmes of Brooks street, Wollaston, mowed his lawn on Saturday.

E. S. Ago of Atlantic is entered in the bicycle road race at Dedham tomorrow.

Sunday was not an over and above good day for bicycling owing to the bad condition of the streets.

Mr. B. F. Nay has arrived at his summer cottage, Howard avenue, Quincy Neck. Old glory is also flying at the mast head.

A pleasant holiday is predicted.

The street railway is getting its open cars in readiness for the fast approaching warm weather.

F. F. Crane will have a big horse sale at the Brockton fair gounds April 28, when he will have a clearance sale of the stock farm of George J. Ries.

Rev. E. C. Butler of the First Parish preached a powerful sermon yesterday. He made a strong and effective plea for peace and an able settlement of National affairs.

A. G. Olney real estate agent of Wollaston, reports the following transactions:—lease of the Baptist parsonage to Mr. Blaisdell of Allston; lease of a suite in one of the Green apartments houses to N. J. Gilman of New Hampshire; lease of the house owned by F. E. Litchfield, situated on Park street, to Thomas R. Burrows of Quincy.

The Sunday School of the First Parish gave an Easter concert in the chapel of the church Sunday evening, owing to the illnss of the Superintendent, Mr. John O. Hall, the exercises were conducted by Mr. Charles H. Johnson After speaking and singing by the scholars, addresses were made by Mr. Frank Page of Wollaston and Rev. E. C. Butler.

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Suits Threatened.

It is rumored that Messrs. Craib, the contractors for section one of the brick sewer, which was between the pumping station and Coddington street is to sue the city. The ground for the suit is said to be the large amount of quicksand he struck near Butler's pond.

When he figured upon the contract the Sewer Commissioners furnished him with soundings taken along the proposed route, upon which he was to base his estimate, and it is alleged that a very much larger amount of quicksand was found than was supposed. It is also rumored that Messrs. Sheahan is to sue the city for filling his trench with water.

To Boom Houghs Neck.

There was considerable travel to Houghs Neck on Sunday, the most attractive spot was the new resort of A. A. Meyer, who intends to transform Houghs Neck this year into a popular seaside resort. His courage in expending perhaps $20,000 is admired by all, and there is a disposition to encourage his efforts. There is a large four story hotel with forty chambers; another large building which may be used on one floor for a billiard hall and cafe, and on the second floor for dancing; also a large stable, large bathhouse, electric light plant, block of stores, etc.

The Sunday Fire.

The alarm from Box 36 at 5.45 Sunday morning called the department to a slight fire in the house at 13 Quincy street, occupied by George Gauthier. The fire was at the head of the stairs on the second floor. Here there was located a chicken brooder which was heated by an oil lamp, and in some measure the fire started from this. When the fire was discovered, instead of trying to extinguish it Mr. Gauthier ran for the fire alarm box and turned in an alarm, then went back and extinguished the fire.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Hayes was fined $3.51 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Charles Eldridge, and Michael Reardon were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Michael Milan was arraigned for threatening assault on Matilda Kenneman and for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued two weeks.

Daniel Coyle was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

Patrick Hanifan, Jr., was arraigned for seining smelts at Weymouth, and was fined $50.

Martin Curry was brought in on a default warrant for drunkenness and was fined $5.

A TRAVELING MAN

Gives Some Valuable Hints Regarding the Care of the Health While Traveling.

Mr. R. W. Wincherdon, a comercial traveler from Birmingham, whose business keeps him almost constantly on the road, relates in the Sunday News the dangers to health resulting from constant change of residence and the way he overcame the usual injurious effects.

He says: One thing people traveling cannot very well avoid is the constant change in water and food: the stomach never has an opportunity to become accustomed to anything and in a few years or much sooner the average traveling man becomes a hopeless dyspeptic.

For several years I suffered more or less from indigestion, sour stomachs, headaches, distaste for food, often no appetite, gas in the stomach and the usual unpleasant effects of imperfect digestion.

Nearly every traveling man has his favorite remedy for different troubles and I tried all of hem with indifferent results. Finally on the train between Pittsburg an Phildelphia one day, I overheard a conversation between two ladies, one of whom had suffered severely from indigestion and stated she had been completely cured by a remedy which she called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; I remembered the conersation because it directly interested me and at the next town I inquired at the first drug store and bought a package for fifty cents, and from that day to this I have never been without them. They are pleasant tasting tablets not a secret patent medicine but composed of vegetable essences pure pepsin, fruit salts and Golden Seal: being in tablet form they never lose their good qualities like a liquid medicine would, but are always fresh and ready for use.

I carry a box in my pocket continually, and whenever I see any symptoms of indigestion I take one, also one after each meal, and for a year and a half I have not lost a day by reason of poor health and can eat anything and relish what I eat: my digestion is absolutely perfect as far as I can judge from my feelings and although there may be other stomach medicines just as good as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, I do not know what they are. Certainly for people who travel they are far ahead of any liquid medicine, as they are so convenient, they can be carried in the pocket and used whenever needed.

I believe they are sold by all druggists at 50 cents, and believe anyone who will try them will agree with me that for indigestion and stomach trouble Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are unequalled. 3t-18-20-22

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ENGLAND'S FIGHTING LORD.

Little "Bobs," Who Startled the House of Lords With a Jingo Speech.

Lord Roberts, known affectionately and reverently wherever the British flag flies as "Bobs," made a speech in the upper chamber of the English parliament the other day in which he startled their lordships by some good plain jingo talk. His theme was the Indian frontier policy, and among other things he said:

"My lords, I have been derided as a Russophobe and taunted with being disturbed by a phantom forward movement of Russia. Well, my lords, I do not object to the appellation of Russophobe, if Russophobe means one who is convinced that the forces of civilization will compel Great Britain and Russia to eventually meet in Asia, and who is equally convinced that if Russia is ever allowed to cross the great Hindu-Kush barrier and possess herself of Afghanistan and the borderland an attack on India would be merely a matter of time. This barrier, my lords, Russia must never be allowed to cross."



LORD ROBERTS ADDRESSING THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

From which you might surmise that "Bobs" is a fighting lord. So he is. During the 40 years which he spent "serving the widow" in India he did little else but fight, and in Whittaker's you will find a half column agate devoted to naming the battles in which he participated. His title as well as a bushel or so of medals he won with his sword. Officially he is Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, first baron of Kandahar and Waterford. Kandahar is in India and is the place to which he made his famous forced march. Waterford is in Ireland, where his family lived for many years. "Bobs" himself was born in Cawnpur, India, 66 years ago.

Although such a mighty soldier, Lord Roberts is a midget physically, being under 5 feet high and weighing less than 100 pounds. But this did not prevent his winning the Victoria cross when, as a young artillery lieutenant during the Indian mutiny, he killed his man in a hand to hand fight. He has been a field marshal for many years and just now has command of the forces in Ireland.

But what endears him more particularly to the English is the fact that he is noted for his entire absence of all self assertiveness, bombast or pride. Perhaps no stronger illustration of this can be given than is contained in his book recently published, entitled "Forty Years In India." Although he is covered with orders and decorations bestowed upon him by a grateful sovereign and country, yet there is no trace of any of the insignia on the portrait which adorns the frontispiece of the book, and throughout the pages of it there is a manifest effort to accord to others, generally to his subalterns, the credit which they themselves are the first to acknowledge belongs to him.

GENERAL LEE'S DAUGHTER

She Is a Typical Lee, and Alarming Reports Do Not Scare Her.

Miss Ellen Lee, eldest daughter of our consul general in Cuba, is living with the rest of the family at the Lee residence in Richmond, and in spite of the many alarming reports which have been received from Havana during her father's stay there she declares that she has not been a bit anxious about his welfare. She says that the cheerful letters they receive from him do much to keep up the courage of the family.

Many other letters are received at the Richmond home. "Some of them," she says, "are most affecting in appreciation of my father's work, but some of them are more than funny in their warnings and misgivings. But we only laugh at these.

"We can't help feeling proud of the appreciation of my father's work as expressed in some of the letters sent to us and in as many of the newspapers. Of course we feel doubly proud that as a southern man who fought for the Confederacy my father has been able to show how truly patriotic and devoted the southerners now are to the United States. This thought has come to us by word of mouth and in some stanch letters from persons whom we never knew.



MISS ELLEN LEE.

"And some of the people I meet do make the strangest remarks. Only the other day some one said to me, 'Do you know I heard your father was assassinated the other day?' But I only laughed, for what could I say?"

Miss Lee is a tall, slender young woman with a wealth of auburn tresses, flashing eyes and the unmistakable Lee chin. She idolizes her father, as do many others in the state.

Value of Accuracy.

A man of businesslike aspect invaded a down town shoe shop yesterday morning and said:

"I see you claim to do invisible patching. Can you put an invisible patch on this shoe?"

"Yes, sir," replied the proprietor.

"Sure? I don't want it done unless you can, because this is one of my swell shoes and I don't want it to show."

"If I don't put an invisible patch on it, I won't charge you anything for the job."

"All right. Go ahead."

The shoemaker took the shoe, and in about fifteen minutes brought it back to him neatly repaired.

"H'm!" ejaculated the customer. "I think the bargain was that if you didn't put an invisible patch on it you wouldn't charge anything, wasn't it?"

"That's right."

"This is the patch, isn't it?"

"Yes."

"Well, it's perfectly visible. What you meant was, I presume, that you could make the evidences of its being a patch invisible, but you ought to have said so. A bargain's a bargain. Let this be a lesson to you. Good morn'"—

"Hold on. I can fix that all right," said the shoemaker.

He took the shoe again, ran a sharp knife under one edge of the patch, applied a pair of sharp nippers, dexterously ripped it off, threw it behind a work bench and handed the shoe back again.

"There," he said, "is your shoe, and the patch, as you'll notice, isn't visible now. Let this be a lesson to you. Good mor— Oh, he's gone!"—Chicago Tribune.

A Drought Resisting Plant.

The chief reason why alfalfa hay will grow in the short grass country is that it has long roots. They have been known to strike 25 feet deep for moisture. The plant will not thrive, therefore, in soil that is not open and deep. An ideal place for its growth is along the river bottoms in the western part of Kansas—land under which great lakes of "sheet water," miles upon miles in extent, are found from 10 to 25 feet below the surface. The roots of alfalfa readily push down to the water and drink when they need moisture, and the result is that the plant blossoms and prospers and becomes a never failing source of revenue to the man who cultivates it. On the rolling uplands, where there is scarcely an average rainfall of 25 inches a year, the plant will live and produce hay nearly always. It makes good pasturage under ordinary conditions there and is almost certain every year to produce a fine crop of seed. All the uplands are fertile enough, the only trouble about making use of that fertility being the lack of moisture. Irrigation has not yet succeeded in bringing water in abundance to the assistance of the tiller of the soil in this region, and therefore only such a plant can live as has deep roots and a pertinacity that even the hot winds of Kansas cannot shake.—Franklin Matthews in Harper's Weekly.

One of the Kaiser's Jokes.

There are many good anecdotes about the German emperor, and it must be owned that they all prove the kaiser to have no small amount of humor. The following, which comes from Herr Ehlers, the traveler, is smarter than most. The emperor and Ehlers were college chums from Bonn, and the emperor never forgot his old college student. At Bonn, on special occasions, the different corps used to drink to one another, and the following set form was always used: The president of the Palatia corps raises his glass, saying, "I have the great honor and pleasure to empty my glass in drinking to the corps of Borussia." The president of the latter corps then replies, "The corps thanks and drinks." On the birth of one of the sons of the emperor Ehlers telegraphed him, "I have the great honor and pleasure to empty my glass in drinking to the youngest Hohenzollern." The emperor promptly wired back, "The youngest Hohenzollern thanks and drinks."—Toronto Chronicle.

The Heat of the Sun.

According to the best authorities, less than one thousand-millionth part of the sun's rays reaches the earth. It is fortunate that this is so, as any considerable concentration of the rays upon our planet would speedily destroy it. According to the same account, if all of the ice at the north pole were so piled that the heat of the sun could be focused on it, it would dissolve at the rate of 300,000,000 miles of solid ice per second. The heat is estimated to generate energy at the rate of 10,000 horsepower to every square foot of space. The beginning of the radiation of heat from the sun must date back something like 100,000,000 years. Like everything else, it had its start and must have its finish. It may continue for 15,000,000 or 20,000,000 years longer, but there is a limit and it must be reached. One cannot but wonder at the condition of the universe at that time and what will come after.—New York Ledger.

Why Rain Falls In the Streets.

Little Dot—I don't like to stay in the house like this. What makes it rain so hard?

Careful Mamma—So that the grass can grow and the flowers come out, dear?

"Does the angels send down all this wet just for the grass and flowers?"

"I suppose so."

"Well, what do they slosh it all over everything for? There isn't any flowers in the streets."

"It can't be helped, I suppose."

"P'raps they are servant angels and used to washing windows."—Strand Magazine.

Awful.

German Professor (in his lecture on water)—And then, gentlemen, do not forget, if we had no water we could never learn to swim—and how many people would be drowned!—Vienna Fremdenblatt.

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that Minister Woodford had suggested, in a tenative way, a plebiscite as a possible solution of the highly perplexing problem. This ambassador also advised his foreign office that the suggestion did not meet with favor and had not been followed up. Since then there has been no talk of a plebiscite so far as is known here.

Sagasta to His Followers.

Madrid, April 20.—The supporters of the government in both houses of parliament met Tuesday and were addressed as follows by the premier: "The times are so grave and the circumstances are so exceptional that acts and not words are necessary to face the present difficulty. Attempts are being made to sully the glorious history of Spain by an infamous calumny. The different Spanish governments have done their utmost to avert war to which we are being provoked. We have now reached the limits of concessions compatible with honor and territorial integrity. We consented to the last concession at the instance of the pope and the powers. We yielded in fact, but now attempts are being made upon our honor and menaces directed against our territory. That is a thing to which Spaniards will never consent. This is not the moment to trace a parliamentary program, but the moment to unite ourselves, as our fathers have done, in the face of an odious attempt against the integrity of our territory. The insult offered us today is the most infamous that has ever been offered."

Premier Sagasta counselled the rapid constitution of the chambers in order to accord to the government the means to defend the country's interests. "Spain," he added, "will not allow a parcel of her territory to be taken from her with impunity; nor will she be a party to any trafficking for her possessions." Prolonged applause greeted the speech.

The Mosquito Fleet.

Washington, April 20.—There appears to be a mistaken impression in some quarters as to the functions of the mosquito fleet. The primary use of the vessels will be to protect the battleships and other ironclads from attack by torpedo boats and destroyers. The purpose is to create in the navy something like the same system that prevails in the army in conducting hostile operations. The battleships correspond to the heavy artillery, the mosquito fleet to the infantry and the torpedo boats to cavalry.

The naval bureau chiefs are considering the advisability of utilizing some of the smoothbore guns for the auxiliary cruisers. Working day and night, and using up the raw material for the manufacture of guns as rapidly as it can be produced, the naval ordnance bureau is unable to supply the enormous demand now made upon it for guns of medium calibre. This is the case, notwithstanding the fact that almost all available ordnance of this character in foreign markets has been purchased. A large part of the guns that have been set apart for the auxiliary navy has been absorbed by the M... sels, and it is the...

officered, it is true, but what is this to the crew of a Spanish ship, all of one nationality, under strict discipline, and fighting for their kingdom? The United States navy will no doubt fight well; but their drawback is that they are fighting for a cause not exactly patriotic, but for the independence of a rebellious party in an island which even the American government refuse to recognize as capable of forming a government."

Cuban Jubilation.

Key West, April 20.—Wherever the eye turns it is met by the colors of Cuba, invariably the stars and stripes float above the insurgent ensign; and here and there a new broom surmounts all, signifying that Spain will be swept from the sea. Every conveyance wears the bunting of the two liberty-loving nations, and the streets of the town are kaleidoscopic with colors.

Throughout Tuesday the "vivas" of patriotic Cubans have sounded through the town, and there were processions of more or less dignity in every part. For the first time the flagpole over the old Spanish consulate was made to bear the Cuban flag, and when the banner was raised "Cuba Libre" rang out from every throat. A number of demonstrations were held last evening.

Dr. Clark's Eloquence.

Newton, Mass., April 20.—At the Patriots' day meeting of the Middlesex County Christian Endeavor union Rev. Francis E. Clark, D. D., president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, spoke on "The Duty of Young Patriots in the Present Crisis." He claimed that it was the duty of young patriots in the present crisis to be thoroughly informed, and to accept the opinion of no mere partisan as to the issues of right and wrong in the approaching conflict. They should be supremely guided by conscience, and should make national conscience if it does not already exist, and should foster and keep it tender if it does exist.



REV. FRANCIS E. CLARK.

Speaking of the war cry, "Remember the Maine," he asked: "What does this slogan mean? Is it a cry of revenge and hate? Is it meant to inflame a too excitable nation? Is it the skillful watchword of a party that right or wrong demand bloodshed and retaliation? If so, it is earthly, sensual and devilish. It is the watchword of the father of lies and all evil passions. If, however, it means ... the faithfulness, devotion ... of the

NEW ENGLAND DOINGS.

Nearly Twelve Hundred Tons of Hay Consumed In Charlestown.

Question of Curtailment of Print Cloth Output.

Further Secessions From the Ranks of the New Bedford Strikers.

Boston, April 19.—One of the long hay sheds of the Boston and Maine railroad in Charlestown was burned last night and nearly 1200 tons of hay, owned by Hosmer, Robinson & Company, commission merchants of this city, were burned. The loss on the building will not exceed $2000, while the hay was valued at $18,500.

The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, and burst out suddenly from the middle shed. The district fire companies were well nigh exhausted by the big elevator fire of Sunday, but they responded promptly and for a few minutes held the fire in check. The flames, however, worked through the other parts of the building and soon burst out from all sides, necessitating a call for help from the city proper. Fortunately there were no freight cars at the sheds, and the fire was extinguished within an hour.

Strikers Cooling Down.

New Bedford, Mass., April 19.—The gain in returning help over Saturday was noticeable at all the mill gates Monday morning. No crowds were allowed to gather, and, indeed, there appeared to be no disposition on the part of the strikers generally to meet at the gates, as was done during the first part of last week. From the reports of the police who watched last week, and who have kept careful run of those entering the mills, it would appear that about half the complement of cloth mill help throughout the city are at work. Thirty more weavers than last week went to work at the Pierce mill, and at the Acushnet mill a loom-fixer, who stood at one gate, counted 12 weavers enter who were not at work last week, some of them being members of the union.

At the Grinnell mill the new help included speeder tenders and weavers, as well as some of the back-boys, who have started a strike within the general strike, their grievance being that, while the speeder tenders have been promised $2 and $3 a week to stay out, they have been promised nothing.

The speeder tenders have voted not to return to work. The state police will probably remain here for several days.

The strikers have received reports for two causes for complaint. One of these is the report that in some of the mills children under age have been among those who have gone in. This will be called to the attention of the state police. The other is that some of the overseers and second hands, in going to and from their work, have made jeering remarks to the strikers whom they passed.

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BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Julianna C. Packard to Josiah Baxter, dated April 13, 1881, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 527, folio 377, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, the tenth day of May, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein substantially described as follows:

A certain lot of land in said Quincy, situated on Edwards street, with the buildings thereon, and bounded southeasterly on Edwards street, fifty feet; northwesterly on land of Henry G. Pratt, six rods, more or less; northeasterly on land of Benjamin F. Curtis, fifty feet; southwesterly on land of Henry T. Rodgers, six rods, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to me by James Burr, by deed dated March 31st, 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 519, fol. 275.

This conveyance is made subject to the right of H. G. Pratt and his assigns to draw water by means of a suitable pipe from the well on the granted premises for the use of the occupants of the dwelling house on said Pratt's estate. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

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Surviving Executors of the Will of Josiah Baxter, Mortgagee.

Quincy, April 16, 1898. 16 3,30

THE CONSULAR REPORTS

Official Statements Concerning Cuba's Awful Condition.

THE MESSAGE OF GENERAL LEE.

United States Consuls Describe the Effects of Weyler's Inhuman Policy of Concentration—Hundreds of Thousands Dead and the End Not Yet—Spanish Troops Starving.

The consular correspondence which accompanied the president's message was prepared in response to a resolution of inquiry adopted by both the house and senate. The correspondence was prepared for transmission to congress just before the blowing up of the Maine, and, having been held up since, now includes communications up to April 1. It covers the communications of Consul General Lee at Havana, Consul McGarr at Cienfuegos, Consul Brice at Matanzas, Consul Hyatt at Santiago de Cuba and Consul Barker at Sagua la Grande. In preparing the correspondence for transmission to congress considerable portions of the important communications, and especially those marked confidential, are omitted. General Lee's correspondence runs over the period from Nov. 17, 1897, to April 1, 1898.

It was on Nov. 23 that Consul General Lee made his first report to the department of state on the condition of affairs in Cuba. It is as follows:

Autonomy a Failure.

"SIR—I have the honor to briefly submit a statement of what appears to be the present condition of affairs in this island.

"First.—The insurgents will not accept autonomy.

"Second.—A large majority of the Spanish subjects, who have commercial and business interests and own property here, will not accept autonomy, but prefer annexation to the United States rather than an independent republic or genuine autonomy under the Spanish flag.

"Third.—The Spanish authorities are sincere in doing all in their power to encourage, protect and promote the grinding of sugar. The grinding season commences in December.

"Fourth.—The insurgent leaders have given instructions to prevent grinding wherever it can be done, because by diminishing the export of sugar the Spanish government revenues are decreased.

"It will be very difficult for the Spanish authorities to prevent cane burning, because one man can start a fire at night which will burn hundreds of acres, just as a single individual can light a prairie by throwing a single match into the dry grass.

"Fifth.—I am confident that General Blanco and Pando, his chief of staff, as well as Dr. Congosto, the secretary general, with all of whom I have had conversations, are perfectly conscientious in their desire to relieve the distress of those suffering from the effects of Weyler's reconcentration order, but unfortunately they have not the means to carry out such benevolent purposes. In this city matters are assuming better shape under charitable committees, etc. Large numbers now are cared for and fed by private subscriptions.

"I witnessed many terrible scenes and saw some die while I was present. I am told General Blanco will give $100,000 to the relief fund."

Nov. 27 General Lee sent to the department the communications of two gentlemen whose names he says are suppressed for obvious reasons but whom he knows personally as standing high in the community concerning the condition in los fosos (the ditches) in Havana.

In Heaps Like Animals.

The communication says, among other things: "Four hundred and sixty women and children thrown on the ground, heaped pellmell, as animals, some in a dying condition, others sick, others dead, without the slightest cleanliness or the least help, not even able to give water to the thirsty, without either religious or social help, each one dying wherever chance laid him."

The communication goes on to state that the deaths among these reconcentrados average 40 or 50 daily, and that on an average there were but ten days of life for each person. It says that these unhappy creatures received food only after having been eight days in the fosos, during which time they were obliged to subsist upon the bad food which the dying had refused. Some horrible instances of the distress witnessed are given.

"Among the many deaths we saw," says the communication, "there was seen one impossible to forget. There is still alive the only witness, a young girl of 18, whom we found seemingly lifeless on the ground. On her right side was the body of a young mother, cold and rigid, but with her young child still alive and clinging to her breast. On her left side was the corpse of a woman holding her son in a dead embrace. A little farther on a dying woman, having in her arms a daughter of 14, crazy with pain, who, after 12 or 14 days, died in spite of the care she received."

Further along the communication says that if any young girl came in who was good looking she was infallibly condemned to the most abominable of traffics. The communication says that 1,700 persons had entered the fosos since August, and of these but 243 were then living. It places the number of deaths among the reconcentrados at 77 per cent.

On Dec. 3 General Lee sent to the state department a communication referring to a cipher dispatch he had sent two days previous, in which he informed the department that he had learned from the United States consul at Matanzas of an "extensive and dangerous conspiracy under the ex-governor of the province, directed against Americans, action against them to be contingent on the movement of the United States government in favor of the independence of Cuba."

A Plea For Warships.

General Lee stated that rumors had been more or less frequent regarding the riotous intention of some of the dissatisfied elements against American citizens there and in other parts of the island. Such demonstrations, he said, must come from Spanish noncombatants or from volunteer forces. He did not think there was any danger from the former, many of whom seemed to favor annexation rather than autonomy or the independence of the Cuban republic. "I am inclined to think," says he, "that if General Blanco can manage the volunteers, as yesterday he said he could, the trouble from that source is diminishing. The origin of the mobs in this city in the past has always been located in the ranks of the volunteers, who alone have organization and arms."

In consequence of the assurances that American life and property would be protected General Lee said that he had declined to make application for the presence of one or more warships in Havana harbor and had advised Americans who had wives and children not to send them away, at least for the present.

"I still think," continued General Lee, "that two warships at least should be at Key West prepared to move at short notice, and that more of them should be at Dry Tortugas, and that a coaling station should be established there. Such proceedings would seem to be in line with that prudence and foresight necessary to afford safety to Americans residing on the island and to their properties."

Under the same date General Lee sends another communication containing the statements of Senor Canalejas, the editor of the Madrid El Heraldo, who had just returned from Pinar del Rio province after the conflict between the Spanish forces under General Valasco and the Cuban forces under Diaz, in which Canalejas was quoted as saying that the Spanish forces had displayed their usual valor, but that the province was not pacified; that out of 14,000 Spanish troops only between 3,000 and 4,000 were able to operate, the balance being sick at hospitals, or in garrisons and towns; that he believed autonomy premature and was inclined to the adoption of energetic military action for the purpose of pacifying the province: that the truth should be known in Spain, where public opinion and the press had been deceived regarding the annihilation of the war and the so called pacification of the western provinces.

Cats Used as Food.

Under date of Dec. 7 General Lee sent a communication to the department regarding the measures for the relief of the reconcentrados, much of which is not made public. In the portion given out General Lee says:

"I see no effect of the governmental distribution to the reconcentrados. I am informed that only $12,500 in Spanish silver has been dedicated to the Havana province out of the $100,000 said to have been set aside for the purpose of relieving them on the island, and that reports from all parts of the province show that 50 per cent have already died, and that many of those left will die, and most of these are women and children. I am informed an order has been issued in some parts of the island suspending the distribution to reconcentrados.

"The condition of these people is simply terrible. I hear of much suffering in the Spanish hospitals for want of food. I hear also that the Spanish merchants in some parts of the island are placing their establishments in the names of foreigners to avoid having their provisions purchased on credit by the military administration.

"In some parts of the island I am told there is scarcely any food for soldiers or citizens and that even cats are used for food purposes, selling for 30 cents apiece. It is a fair inference to draw from existing conditions that it is not possible for the governor general to relieve the present situation with the means at his disposal.

"FITZ-HUGH LEE."

Dec. 13 came the following:

"SIR—I have the honor to make the following report: The contest for and against autonomy is most unequal. For it there are five or six of the head officers at the palace and 20 or 30 other persons here in the city. Against it, first, are the insurgents, with or without arms, and the Cuban noncombatants; second, the great mass of the Spaniards bearing or nonbearing arms—the latter desiring, if there must be a change, annexation to the United States. Indeed, there is the greatest apathy concerning autonomy in any form. No one asks what it will be or when or how it will come.

"I do not see how it could be even put into operation by force, because as long as the insurgents decline to accept it so long, the Spanish authorities say, the war must continue."

Half the Reconcentrados Dead.

Dec. 14 General Lee sends another communication saying that the total number of reconcentrados in Habana province will reach 150,000, and that the death rate from starvation alone would be over 50 per cent. For the relief of these people, he says, $12,500 in silver has been set aside, "so that if every dollar appropriated reaches them the distribution will average about 17 cents to a person, which, of course, will be rapidly exhausted, and as I can hear of no further succor being afforded it is easy to perceive what little practical relief has taken place in the condition of these poor people."

Dec. 28 General Lee makes the first communication about the new scheme of autonomy. He says that he has been informed that the authorities are engaged in forming an autonomist cabinet, arranging for the members to take the required oath on Jan. 1, and "also for an election 30 days thereafter. * * * My present information is that most of the Spaniards will refrain from voting and nearly all the Cubans. * * *

"The feeling in Havana, and, I hear, in other parts of the island, is strong against it, the Cubans desiring an independent republic, and the Spaniards preferring annexation to the United States rather than autonomy.

"On the night of the 24th inst. there seems to have been a concerted plan over the island to testify the disapprobation of the people to the proposed autonomistic plan of the Spanish government." [He goes on to describe how it culminated about 2 o'clock on the morning of the 25th, when a mob assembled in the principal square with cries of "Death to autonomy!" and "Viva Weyler!" He says the men in the mob had stones in their pockets and some were armed with weapons.]

"They made a demonstration, too, against the office of the Diario de la Marina, a paper published in this town favoring autonomy, but were dispersed by the military police and soldiers. * * * I am, etc.,

FITZ-HUGH LEE."

The Awful Death Rate.

The same day General Lee acknowledges the receipt of President McKinley's proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to make charitable contributions for the relief of the distress in Cuba. Other telegrams follow during the next few days as to the class of contributions which would be most valuable in relieving the suffering.

Jan. 8 General Lee makes the following report:

"SIR—I have the honor to state, as a matter of public interest, that the 'reconcentrado order' of General Welyer, formerly governor general of this island, transformed about 400,000 self supporting people, principally women and children, into a multitude to be sustained by the contributions of others or die of starvation or of fevers resulting from a low physical condition and being massed in large bodies without change of clothing and without food.

"Their homes were burned, their fields and plant beds destroyed and their live stock driven away or killed.

"I estimate that probably 200,000 of the rural population in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Habana, Matanzas and Santa Clara have died of starvation or from resultant causes, and the deaths of whole families almost simultaneously or within a few days of each other and of mothers praying for their children to be relieved of their horrible sufferings by death are not the least of the many pitiable scenes which were ever present. In the provinces of Puerto Principe and Santiago de Cuba, where the 'reconcentrado order' could not be enforced, the great mass of the people are self sustaining. * * *

"A daily average of 10 cents' worth of food to 200,000 people would be an expenditure of $20,000 per day, and of course the most humane efforts upon the part of our citizens cannot hope to accomplish such a gigantic relief, and a great portion of these people will have to be abandoned to their fate. * * * I am, etc.,

"FITZ-HUGH LEE."

General Lee inclosed in this communication an editorial from the Diario de la Marina, which vigorously denounced the "seditious tumult" of the day before as a victory for Gomez and the enemies of Spain. On the same day he also sent to the department some statistics about the mortality in Santa Clara, showing that while there were 5,489 deaths in that town in the seven years previous to 1897, which included 1,417 in one year from an epidemic of yellow fever, there were in 1897, owing to the concentration order, 6,981 deaths out of a total population of 14,000. The death rate increased monthly from 78 in January, the month before the concentration order went into effect, until December, when there were 1,011 deaths. Jan. 12, 13, 14 and 15 General Lee sent brief cablegrams to the department with regard to the rioting and demonstrations against autonomy and Blanco and the three newspaper offices.

The Cause of the Riots.

Jan. 13, he said, some of the rioters threatened to go to the United States consulate. "Ships," he said, "are not needed, but may be later. If Americans are in danger, ships should move promptly for Havana. Uncertainty and excitement widespread." The rioting ceased the next day, and General Lee reported all quiet.

On the 18th General Lee sent a dispatch marked confidential regarding the rioting. It follows:

"SIR—The recent disorders in this city are to be primarily attributed to a group of Spanish officers who are incensed at articles appearing in three of the newspapers of Havana—Reconcentrado, La Discusion and El Diario de la Marina. It is probable that the Spanish officers were first provoked by the denunciations of Weyler in the columns of one of these papers and determined to stop it, and afterward being supported by the mob turned the demonstration into an antiautonomistic affair.

"I send today an analysis of the autonomistic plan. The intense opposition to it on the part of the Spanish arises from the fact that the first appointments of the officers to put into form its provisions were made generally outside of their party in order to show the Cubans in arms that autonomy was instituted for their benefit and protection.

"The intelligent Spaniards * * * see no prosperity in the future, but rather other wars and more confusion, in the same old attempts to make the waters of commerce flow in unnatural channels. The lower Spanish classes have nothing in mind when autonomy is mentioned except the Cuban local rural population; hence their opposition. * * * FITZ-HUGH LEE."

Jan. 21 General Lee transmitted a copy of the decree which established the autonomic regime on the island of Cuba.

On Jan. 15 to 22 General Lee reported by cable daily that all was quiet in Havana, and that the recent rioting had caused some delays, but that no difficulty was apprehended as to the landing of supplies.

Feb. 4 he reports the receipts of moneys from various sections of the United States for relief purposes and the manner in which it is being distributed.

Feb. 10 he telegraphed the state department as follows: "Captain general returned yesterday. Met with no success of any sort. Spaniards everywhere unfriendly. Rumors of coming demonstration against him here. I think him an excellent man, but in an unfortunate position. Three serious combats reported within a week. In each insurgents victorious."

The same day he sent to the state department a statement of the condition in the towns in the neighborhood of the city of Havana, made by a person he had sent to those places for the purpose of inspecting the number and condition of the starving.

The Mayor Powerless.

The statement covers four towns in the neighborhood of Havana and is largely a repetition of the awful tale of suffering which came from the other portions of the island. At Melena del Sur, the statement says, it is impossible for the mayor, owing to the unhealthy conditions prevailing and the want of resources, to relieve the miserable people, "who die in great numbers from starvation, fever and smallpox. There are other towns in the same condition—for example, Guines, Catalina and Nadruga—whose situation could be in some degree relieved if the country people were allowed to leave the town freely in search of food.

"In some towns this is entirely prohibited; in others they are obliged to pay a tax. Not having anything to eat, how can they pay a tax? In every town the first thing noticed is the unhealthy condition of the men and their total lack of physical strength."

At Catalina de Guines the statement reports the condition of the reconcentrados as sad and desperate. There are, it says, "no zones of cultivation," and the reconcentrados are not allowed to leave the town in search of work or food even with a military pass.

"Food is so scarce that one must walk four or five miles before finding a sweet potato. In these districts the relief given to the reconcentrados by General Blanco is a farce."

The land near the town comprised in the zone for cultivation, the statement says, has been rented by four Spaniards who have wealth and influence, and they employ the few reconcentrados who are able to work at 30 or 40 cents per day, but nobody can leave the town without a pass good for a month and which costs 20 cents. The workmen have to leave at 6 in the morning, and, not being able to take meals with them, are obliged to work until 6 in the evening without food. The women who leave in search of vegetables are sometimes deprived of them on their way back by guerrillas. In 15 days 200 reconcentrados have died in Guines from starvation.

"One of the few protectors of the reconcentrados—in fact, a heroic one," says the statement, "is a young man named Jose Amohedo, whose father and mother died attending the suffering poor, and who himself has given up eight houses belonging to him as dwelling places for the reconcentrados, all the contents of a grocery store which he possessed, and who is as destitute as they are, but always attending to those who suffer."

March 1 General Lee reports that the distribution of food, medicines and clothing to the destitute is proceeding satisfactorily. The work, he says, has been well organized and systematized under the supervision and direction of Miss Clara Barton, president of the Red Cross society of the United States, and her active, able and experienced assistant.

He says that the number of the poor and destitute is so large that it is impossible to relieve large numbers in each locality, but that he can state with confidence that under the present system of distribution the supplies are not lost or wasted, but reach those for whom they are intended.

March 14 he incloses a letter from Consul Barker of Sagua, who requests him to transmit the following letter, which is addressed to him (General Lee):

"DEAR SIR—I will thank you to communicate to the department as quickly as possible the fact that the military commander and other military officers positively refuse to allow the reconcentrados to whom I am issuing food in its raw state to procure fuel with which to cook the food.

"In addition, they prohibited this class of people—I am only giving food to about one fifth of the destitute, the authorities have quit altogether—from gathering vegetables cultivated within the protection of the forts, telling them, 'The Americans propose to feed you, and to the Americans you must look.' * * *

"WALTER B. BARKER, Consul."

March 24 General Lee cables that the work of relief is progressing, and gives details about the distribution of supplies, and adds, "Have been greatly assisted by Mr. Klopsch."

March 28 General Lee reports that "instructions have been given by the civil government of Havana that the alcaldes and other authorities shall not give out any facts about the reconcentrados, and if any of the American relief committees should make inquiries concerning them, all such inquiries must be referred to him."

General Lee's dispatches conclude with a dispatch under date of April 1, transmitting the decree of the governor general terminating the concentration order.

From McGarr and Brice.

There is one communication from Owen McGarr, consul at Cienfuegos, under date of Jan. 10, informing the department that the sugar mills in his district had been grinding since the 1st of the month. He says the utmost diligence is required to prevent the firing of the canefields and concludes:

"The sugar crop is the support of all classes, especially the laboring class, and should it be destroyed a famine would be inevitable."

The communications from Mr. Brice, consul at Matanzas, number only seven or eight, and most of them are brief. The correspondence from him begins with the 17th of November last and closes with the 8th of February. Probably the most striking feature of Mr. Brice's communication is a distinct article written on the 18th of January last and devoted to Cuban destitution.

In this he notes the receipt of a circular letter of the state department dated ten days before. "This," he says, "intimates that help is to be extended by the United States to the starving people of Cuba. The news of this relief has been known," he continues, "for the past two weeks and has extended all over the province. This consulate has been overwhelmed with people of all classes asking to be remembered when this relief comes."

Mr. Brice then gives a number of facts illustrating the suffering in the province. He says there are in Matanzas province 90,000 people who are in an actual starving condition and require food, clothing and medicines. Continuing, he says:

"In addition to the above are thousands of families of the better classes and formerly well to do who today are living on one meal a day, and that very scant. They have sold or pawned furniture, jewelry, clothing, etc., to eke out an existence, until all is gone or nearly so. Too proud to beg, they suffer in silence, and many die of starvation. The daughter of a former governor of this province was seen begging on the streets of this city.

"Many of these people call on me privately at my residence asking and praying for God's sake to be remembered when this relief comes from the United States. One has to be here, know and mingle with these people to fully realize the terrible destitution and misery existing in Cuba. It is to be hoped that this relief from the United States will come quickly, for hundreds are dying daily of starvation. Conditions are dreadful, and no relief is afforded by the Spanish authorities."

Dead Before His Door.

In his first communication of the series, dated Nov. 17, Mr. Brice stated that neither the Spaniards nor Cubans of that section were in sympathy with the proposed autonomy and reforms. He noted the issuance of the order to municipal authorities to give out rations and clothing, but says that no attention was paid to it. In this communication he places the death rate at over 80 persons daily, nearly all of whom were dying for want of food, medicines and clothing. "As I write this," he says, "a dead negro woman lies in the street within 200 yards of this consulate starved to death. She died some time this morning and will lie there maybe for days."

Mr. Brice also notes the issuance of an order allowing the reconcentrados to return to the country, but he says the restrictions in the order are such as to practically prohibit. "If they went," he says, "what can they do without money, food or shelter?" adding: "Only those who can obtain employment on sugar plantations can live. Insurgents say no one will be allowed to grind in the province of Matanzas. The situation is indeed deplorable, and I am free to say no real help can be expected from the Spanish government, and the fate of the remaining reconcentrados is slow, lingering death from starvation."

Writing on the 17th of December, Mr. Brice says that the relief offered to reconcentrados and other poor people by the Spanish authorities is ineffectual. "I have," he says, "personally visited the head masters of distributing stations. Two thousand rations were given out for a few days only to 8,000 persons. There are more than 12,000 starving people in this city today. One out of four or six receives two ounces of rice, 1½ ounces of jerked beef and sometimes a small piece of bread per diem. Even this ration of food has been discontinued since the 11th inst."

Mr. Brice mentions several instances of

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On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will run on the different routes as follows:

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Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.[illegible] 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minu[illegible] until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.[illegible] 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes u[illegible] 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quin[illegible] at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour u[illegible] 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Nepon[illegible] at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour u[illegible] 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leav[illegible] Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every ho[illegible] until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave N[illegible] ponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.[illegible] P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corn[illegible] Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. a[illegible] every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, v[illegible] Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A [illegible] and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later fro[illegible] Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from Nort[illegible] Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.2[illegible] 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.2[illegible] 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturd[illegible] to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late[illegible] from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later fro[illegible] Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, [illegible] 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, [illegible] 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then eve[illegible] 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour un[illegible] 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hou[illegible] until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 an[illegible] 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M. then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only except on Wednesday and Saturday, when ca[illegible] at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minute[illegible] past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and ever[illegible] hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hou[illegible] until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and ever[illegible] hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hou[illegible] until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba	*6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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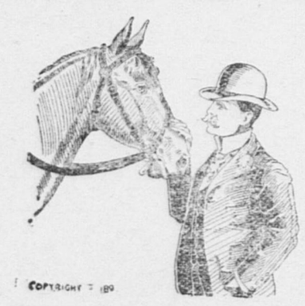
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Monday	67	63	62
Tuesday	51	58	66
Wednesday	50	59	35
Thursday	—	48	53
Friday	—	42	68
Saturday	—	49	76

New Advertisements Today.

Ernest Worsdell—notice.
Granite Clothing Co.
Wm. A. Hodges—Houses and lots for sale.

A FALSE RUMOR.

Capt. Kincaide and Co. K. Ready to Respond.

Some one recently circulated a report that Captain Henry L. Kincaide and twenty members of the Braintree Company had resigned. Investigation shows this report to be false and that Captain Kincaide and every member of his command stand ready at a moment's notice to spring to arms and defend the nation's honor.

Saved by Fenders.

Fenders upon electric cars proved a life saving device on Monday afternoon. Miss Pearl Terry was bicycling in City Square. She noticed an approaching electric car near the corner of Temple street, and got the impression it would turn the corner. It was not a Quincy Point car however and as it came straight ahead, Miss Terry became confused and was thrown in front of the car. The fender caught her and she escaped miraculously with slight injuries.

McNish—Allison.

An Emdem, Ill., paper prints the following item of interest to many Quincy people:

"At the home of the groom, on Thursday, April 7, occurred the marriage of William J. McNish to Miss Sarah J. Allison. At high noon Elder T. T. Holton led the way to the parlor, where, in the midst of relatives and friends, he pronounced the beautiful and impressive ceremony that joined their hearts and hands. After the ceremony, congratulations were extended. The guests were then invited to the dining room to partake of a bountiful repast. After dinner several pleasant hours, were spent in social conversation, and the guests left for their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. McNish many years of connubial felicity. The groom has been a resident of Logan County all his life, and he has won by his honesty and industry many friends and he brings his bride to a beautiful home. Miss Allison was a resident of Quincy, Mass., until six weeks ago, when she came west to visit friends in this vicinity, and is now surrounded by those who will make her future happy.

The Art Exhibition.

The art exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary opened today at 3 o'clock and will remain open until Friday night. Wednesday evening the representatives of the press and the ministers of the city will be present; and Thursday evening will be Auxiliary night—when a tea will be served. Friday evening is general night. Piano music will be furnished each evening, and a number of Quincy's young men, readers of the Youth's Companion, by whom the pictures are loaned, will be present to explain them. Ninety original drawings in ink, pencil and oil are to be exhibited. The public are urged to attend.

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APPROPRIATION ORDER REPORTED.

An Effort to Increase School Committee Item $1,000 Defeated.

An Extended Debate on Confirmation of Edward J. McKeon as Registrar.

Large Sum Recommended for Improvement of Hancock Street—Other Business.

Monday night's meeting of the City Council was the longest session of that body for many months and reminded one of the City Council of old which frequently held sessions near unto midnight. Two discussions prolonged the session, one on the acceptance of the Finance Committee's report on the budget, and the other on the confirmation of Edward J. McKeon as registrar of voters. Councilman Willard was the only absent member.

JURORS DRAWN.

Assisted by Councilman McGrath and City Clerk Cleaves, Mayor Sears drew Warren T. Arnold, Archibald McLeod and William W. Craig as traverse jurors.

PETITIONS.

A petition was received for a concrete sidewalk on the west side of Beale street from the railroad to Hancock street, and on the west side of Beach street from Hancock street to Rawson road. To Committee on Streets.

A petition was received from Charles H. S. Stoddard for State Aid. Laid on the table and later an order granting him $4 per month was passed.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for the location of one pole on Washington street, between Edison and Mill streets. Laid on the table until later when an order for the same was offered.

A number of petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

Councilman Packard presented petitions for the widening and relocation of Hancock street at the corner of Granite street, by taking land of the Briesler estate, and for the widening of Hancock street on the west side between School street and the Music hall block. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Little presented a petition of the Electric Light and Power Co. for of location ten poles on Miller street. To Committee on Streets.

CITY DEBT.

The joint Committee on Finance and Legislative Matters reported ought not to pass on the order authorizing the Mayor to petition the Legislature for an act to refund the city debt becoming due this year.

In response to a question, Councilman Sidelinger said the Committee were almost unanimous in their report. It was poor policy and it was better to meet the matter now. Report accepted.

The Committee on Finance reported an amendment to the orders for street lights on Garfield street, Brook road and street and Whalley road, charging the amount to this year's appropriations when made. Amendments adopted and orders passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The Committee on Finance reported a slight amendment to the order for $400 for a new sprinkling cart. Amendment adopted and order passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

APPROPRIATION ORDER.

The Committee on Finance reported the annual appropriation order which is compared by the Ledger with the estimates:

	Mayor's Estimates, 1898.	
By the Board of Assessors:		
Transfer from Register of Deeds and Probate,	$150 00	
Books, advertising, binding and postage,	200 00	$1300 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	175 00	
Clerical services,	825 00	
By Board of Health:		
Inspection,	600 00	600 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	250 00	
Abating nuisances and contagious diseases,	150 00	300 00
Garbage,	2,500 00	2,400 00
Inspection of plumbing,	800 00	700 00
By the Managers of Public Burial Places:		
Cemeteries,	4,600 00	4,600 00
By the Mayor:		
Approved by the President of the Council.		
Contingent fund,	125 00	125 00
By the Auditor:		
Salaries of city officers,	14,650 00	14,650 00
By the City Clerk;		
Clerical expenses,	420 00	420 00
By the Chief Engineer, Fire Department:		
Pay of men,	13,854 00	13,500 00
Horse shoeing and keeping,	2,496 00	2,300 00
Fire alarm, including purchase of battery,	1,500 00	1,000 00
Fire alarm, special appropriation on account of damage by February storm,	1,350 00	1,350 00
Fuel,	400 00	350 00
Lighting engine houses,	500 00	450 00
Firemen's clothing,	200 00	200 00
Repairs and fixtures,	850 00	850 00
Miscellaneous,	2,500 00	2,200 00
Keeping chief's horse,	200 00	200 00
Horses, harnesses and hose,	1,100 00	1,100 00
By the Tax Collector:		
Clerical services,	400 00	400 00
By the City Treasurer:		
Clerical services,	520 00	520 00
Approved by the Committee on Finance:		
Grand Army Post, Post 88,	350 00	350 00
City Hospital,	3,000 00	3,000 00
By Commissioner of Public Works:		
Engineering,	300 00	300 00
Removal of snow,	3,700 00	3,700 00
Street lighting,	16,800 00	16,300 00
Advertising, printing and stationery,	2,900 00	2,900 00
Edgestones and setting, and permanent sidewalks (abutters paying one-half the cost),	3,000 00	3,000 00
Clerical service,	625 00	625 00
Repairing public buildings, and care of City Hall,	5,500	5,500 00
Miscellaneous expenses, maintenance of horses and purchase of tools,	20,000 00	20,400 00
Bridges, culverts, drains,	3,000 00	3,000 00
Watering streets, including $300 for water (same schedule as 1897),	4,400 00	4,400 00
By the Board of Managers of the Thomas Crane Public Library:		
Replacing and purchase of books,	1,000 00	
Periodicals, binding and printing,	800 00	
Salaries and assistance,	2,650 00	6,000 00
Fuel and lighting,	400 00	
Miscellaneous,	600 00	
Catalogue,	500 00	
Insurance,	106 50	
By the City Solicitor:		
Law library,	75 00	75 00
By the Park Commissioners:		
Parks,	500 00	500 00
By the Chief of Police:		
Chief of Police,	1,000 00	1,000 00
Permanent men,	7,488 00	7,488 00
Station,	450 00	450 00
Enforcement of liquor law,	1,200 00	1,100 00
Special police and miscellaneous,	1,862 00	1,762 00
By the Mayor:		
Miscellaneous city expenses, awards and claims,	4,000 00	4,000 00
By the City Clerk:		
Approved by the Committee on State Aid.		
State Aid and Soldiers' Relief,	5,300 00	5,500 00
By the Overseer of the Poor:		
Almshouse and outside poor,	9,500 00	9,500 00
By School Committee:		
For Schools,	98,104 00	95,000 00
By the Treasurer:		
City debt,	62,080 00	62,080 00
Water debt,	28,500 00	28,500 00
Park debt,	1,000 00	1,000 00
Interest on city debt,	11,243 30	11,243 30
Interest on park debt	1,840 00	1,840 00
Interest on sewer debt,	10,710 00	10,710 00
Interest on temporary loans,	6,500 00	6,500 00
Grand total,	$372,298 80	367,038 30
Water department, maintenance.	$16,500 00	14,250 00
Water department, interest,	30,305 00	30,305 00
Sewer debt,	5,500 00	5,500 00
Painting Standpipe,		250 00

SCHOOL APPROPRIATION.

Councilman McGrath moved to amend by making the amount for the School Committee $96,000, in place of $95,000.

Councilman Freeman moved to lay motion on table.

The president ruled motion out of order.

Councilman McGrath hoped amendment would be adopted. He thought the committee acted under a misconception. It was stated that $3,000 more was asked for teachers than necessary.

To cut of $2000 was all that could be done and not affect the schools.

Councilman Cain could not vote without more information on the matter. He had been told by a number of the School Committee that the amount could be cut five per cent.

Councilman Sidelinger said the School Committee asked for $98,000 and the Finance Committee thought this could be cut to $95,000 without damage to the schools. Miscellaneous supplies was what we could not agree upon. Much was wasted in this department.

Councilman Freeman said some of the School Committee admitted the amount could be cut five per cent. The committee agreed to take $500 from the evening schools, $1,500 from books and supplies. The full amount the teachers could receive at the highest salary was asked, and the committee believed the amount asked for assistance and substitutes could be cut $1000.

Councilman Poland,—The School Committee should be given a chance to economize.

Councilman Packard,—We should put confidence in our School Board. Two members were reelected last year which showed that the citizens want them to look after the schools. We want the children of the schools to have what is necessary. We once had the best, but now other places had equally as good schools as we have. We cannot get supplies as cheap as Boston and he did not believe anything was wasted there. He did not believe we should fool over $1000. They say they can run the schools for $96,000 but not for $95,000.

Councilman Sidelinger,—When did the school say they could run the schools for $96,000.

Councilman Packard,—They said they would run the schools for what we gave them.

Councilman Cain thought it our duty to save and lower the tax rate if we could.

Councilman Freeman,—The School Committee asked for $98,000. It was agreed that $500 could be taken from the evening schools and $1,500 from books, supplies, etc. On salaries they asked for $847 more than was used last year. From 200 to 400 children can be accommodated this year without further increase of expenditures.

Councilman Prout agreed with the last speaker. The committee believed the amount could be cut $3000 without injury to the schools.

Councilman McGrath— The School Committee asked for $800 more than they used last year for assistants but the balance went into the item of teachers. The main cut contemplated by some was from the special teachers who are of great advantage to the schools.

Councilman Merrick was one of the minority in favor of $95,000. He felt the cut to $95,000 was excessive. The salary list cannot be reduced. The matter of $3,000 is a fund upon which the School Committee draws for emergencies. In April a large number of new pupils come in and the pay for the extra teachers for them must come from this amount. In Quincy when a teacher is absent she draws her pay and the teacher who fills her place must be paid from this amount. Last year an emergency arose in the High school and a special teacher was hired at a cost of $250. This year that teacher is permanent and will cost $600. The evening schools and supplies might be reduced without harm. It was not the supplies that made efficiency in the schools. A few supplies well used would assist a teacher. He felt $96,000 was not too much and he would not call it extravagance.

Councilman Poland,—If there are members of the School Board who are of the opinion that the amount can be cut $5000 it is no more than fair to cut it down. The cut made is but about three per cent. The School Committee will ask for all they can get.

Councilman Sidelinger replying to Councilman Merrick said we do not want to cut the salaries. We claim the saving of the extra $1,000 can be made in other ways than salaries.

Councilman McGrath believed this was a heavier cut than on any other apropppriation

Councilman Sidelinger said the cut here was but three per cent. while on the fire department it was eight per cent.

The amendment was lost by a vote of 16 to 5.

The report was then accepted and the order ordered to a second reading.

HEARINGS ORDERED.

The Committee on Streets reported orders for public hearings on the acceptance of Payne street, Putnam street, and the relocation of Washington and Canal streets at these intersection.

The Committee on Streets reported a substitute order for the paving of a portion of Hancock street, changing the amount from $30,000 to $13,000 and providing for paving the east side of Hancock street from Gilmore street opposite Merry Mount park to Elm avenue; for granite edgestones and concrete sidewalks beginning at the northerly line of Mrs. S. G. Horton's near Russell park, and running northerly about 1600 feet to Butler road, and from the northerly line of Elm avenue and running to a point opposite the north line of Linden street a distance of about 2,000 feet; also to lay granite edgestones on sidewalk on the east side of Hancock street beginning at a point over Furnace brook and running northerly about 3,400 feet, one-half of the cost of edgestones, curbing and concrete sidewalk to be assessed on the abutters.

The same committee reported an order giving Quincy E. L. & P. Co. a location for two poles on Newcomb street extension. Ordered to second reading.

CITY STABLE.

The joint committee on Streets and Public Buildings reported a substitute order for $5,000 for city stable on the Pdor farm. Ordered to second reading.

The Committe on Fire Department reported an order for fire alarm box at corner of Quincy avenue and Howard street. To Finance Committee.

The Committee on Police repor ed that

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

F. F. Crane will have a furniture sale at East Weymouth on Thursday afternoon.

The report of the City Council given in today's Ledger required 35 pages of copy.

Mr. Morey, who has charge of the land on Newcomb place, is about to erect several houses there.

The Atlantic Junors defeated the South Boston Independents in an exciting game of ball by a score of 27 to 23.

George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, No. 146, will meet at Odd Fellows' hall, Adams building, the first and third Thursdays of the month.

Ex-President Bryant was among the interested spectators at the City Council meeting this week, and engaged in an after-Council debate.

The Merry-Go-Round whist club of Atlantic as a theatre party will attend the performance of Richard Mansfield at the Hollis, Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. Jonathan Pratt, who removed from Quincy avenue, about two weeks ago to Howard street, Quincy Neck, died Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock. She has been for some time an invalid.

A grand coffee party was held Monday evening at St. Mary's hall under the auspices of St. Mary's C. T. A. & M. R. society. The affair was largely attended and a good time was enjoyed.

Mr. N. B. Furnald left Tuesday night for West Sumner, Maine, to attend the funeral of his oldest sister, Mrs. Mary Freeman,—aged 91 years, 6 months and 7 days. He was accompanied by his son Henry.

Frank Ellis, an employe at the quarry of J. B. Reinhalter, had his leg severely jammed Monday noon, by a large rock falling upon it. He was taken to the office of Dr. Dion where the injured member was dressed.

The Grocery clerks of Atlantic gave a very pleasant social in Music hall, Altantic, Monday evening. There was a large number present and a general good time was enjoyed. Cuff's orchestra furnished excellent music for the ocasion.

We notice by the Boston papers that Mr. Frank Coe of Atlantic has been chosen captain of the new Beacon club, composed of about thirty members, made up of good riders from the firm of Smith Patterson & Co. Summer street. They were at Lexington Patriots' day, and attracted much attention in their new uniforms

Councilman Arthur W. Newcomb of Ward Two attended the ninth annual banquet of the Massachustets Society Sons of the American Revolution, Patriots' day, at the Hotel Vendome, Boston. About three hundred were present and the occasion was the most enjoyable one that the society has had. Among the speakers were Mayor Quincy, Bishop Lawrence, President of the Sons of the Revolution; British Consul at Boston, and F. H. Appleton, of Peabody, the new president. There are among the members 23 actual Sons of Revolutionary patriots.

"INNISFAIL."

The T. R. & S. A. A. Pleased With their First Effort.

The Atlantic Dramatic Club presented the drama "Innisfail" or "the wanderer's dream," under the auspices of the T. R. & S. A. A. at Music Hall on Monday evening, with the following cast of characters:

Felix O'Flaherty,	Mr. J. F. McKenna
Gerald O'Connell,	Mr. E. A. Shea
Henry Blackwood Headford,	Mr. B. A. McLane
Brandon Benner,	Mr. E. T. Colbert
Bartholomew O'Connor Malone,	Mr. M. J. McNally
Con o' the Bogs,	Mr. J. F. Mohoney
Boucher,	Mr. M. A. Creame
Effie Headford,	Miss Alice Gerry
Mary Ann Malone,	Miss Mary C. Ago
Mrs. Ford,	Miss Bessie M. Mahoney

Each member sustained their part acceptably, though at times the play became a little draggy. The ladies' voices were a bit weak which made it difficult for those in the rear of the house to distinctly understand what was said on the stage. Mr. McKenna made a capital Felix, reminding one of Joe Murphy in the love scenes. Mr. McNally as the professor was good, and would have pleased the audience could they have seen more of him. Mr. Mahoney as Bogs, was the devil himself." "Gerald O'Connell" looked sweet enough to kiss, and "Effie Headford" has only herself to blame for not doing it.

At the end of the first scene in the first act, President Whitehead of the association stepped before the footlights and presented the winners of the prizes offered for the greatest number of tickets sold for the entertainment. Miss Mary C. Igo won first, a lady's gold watch. Miss Clara Nelson second, gold ring; Miss Tena Badden third, a toilet set. Each lady received her prize modestly.

The T. R. & S. A. A. are pleased with the result of their first undertaking in the amusement line, and thank the public for their generous patronage, between 700 and 800 being present.

One little notice in the form of a request near the bottom of the programme was either ignored or not noticed, for a very few ladies removed their hats during the evening, much to the disadvantage of those sitting directly behind them. This is annoying especially in Music hall where the seats are not raised on the main floor as in the theatres and some modern churches.

The Sunlight Party.

Rain did not interfere with the good time of about one hundred children and young people who attended the sunlight party given by Mrs. Rhines at Faxon Hall on the afternoon of Patriots' day. It was a very pretty affair, as most of the young ladies were in beautiful light dresses and the boys every inch young men. The matrons were: Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater, Mrs. R. R. Freeman, Mrs F. F. Prescott, Mrs. C. C. Hearn, Mrs. J. F. Curtis, who were seated at the right of the stage. Each of the dancers were presented to the matrons by Mr. Henry W. French, the efficient floor director. All the popular dances were on the order, including the German, two step and lanciers, and the young people were very proficient. The music was furnished by Prof. Holmes, violin, and Mrs. Rhines, piano. At intermission Mr. and Mrs. Wales were present to supply ice cream and cake, and many were indebted to Mr. Henry H. Faxon who "treated." A hurdy gurdy party is announced for May 7.

Past Redemption.

The audience assembled in Music hall on the evening of Patriots' day was treated to one of the best amateur productions ever offered in this city.

"Past Redemption" is a most difficult piece but its difficulties were easily overcome by the young men and women who essayed the different roles.

The play has a wholesome moral and an entire absence of the revolting, boisterousness of the usual temperance piece. Space forbids the extended notice which each character richly merits, and we must be content with the statement that the play was a grand success in every way.

Silkalene Tangle

The Wollaston Baptist Endeavor Society entertained their many friends in the vestry of the church with a Silkalene Tangle Tuesday evening. At the end of each piece of cord was something which foretold the future of each seeker; such as pennies meaning wealth, thimbles, single blessedness, wish bones, buttons, etc., while one young lady, after working some while found a young man at the other end of her string. A collation was served by the reception committee under the direction of Mr. Charles Sayward, who also had charge of the evening.

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UNLUCKY CHANGE.

Adams Academy Lost After They Had Won the Game.

Adams Academy was defeated Monday in a hard fought game, by the Frye School. The work of the Adams boys was up to perfection, although somewhat handicapped by the loss of Manning. If the visiting umpire had acted fair Adams would have won, and as it was they held the lead up to the seventh inning. The pitching of Mr. Linfield was of the highest standard and he was well supported by Taylor behind the bat. In the eighth inning Linfield gave way to Taylor and Appleton took Tylor's place.

ADAMS ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, 1b.,	6	3	5	5	6	0	0
Taylor, p. & c.,	6	1	2	2	10	2	1
Linfield p. & 3b.,	6	0	1	1	1	3	0
Appleton, 3b. & c.,	5	1	1	1	1	0	2
Kent, rf.,	5	0	2	2	1	0	0
Burchstead, cf.,	5	2	2	2	1	0	0
Boyd, 2b.,	4	2	3	3	4	0	2
Donaher, ss.,	5	1	2	2	1	3	1
Bennett, lf.,	5	0	2	2	2	0	0
	47	10	20	20	27	8	6

FRYE SCHOOL.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Blackwell, 2b.,	6	4	5	6	4	6	0
Austin, 1b.,	6	1	3	3	7	0	4
Connolly, 3b.,	6	0	3	3	1	0	0
Shannon, lf.,	6	3	1	2	1	0	0
Plunkett, rf.,	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
J. Eaton, c.,	4	1	1	1	11	1	4
Murphy, ss.,	6	2	2	2	1	2	0
Kerrigan, p.,	6	1	0	0	0	4	3
O'Brien, M.;	5	2	0	0	0	0	0
	50	15	17	18	27	13	11

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Adams,	2	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	3	—10
Frye,	1	0	2	0	0	1	9	2	0	—15

Earned Runs—Frye, 1; Adams, 2. Two-base Hits—Blackwell, Shannon. Double Plays—Murphy, Blackwell and Austin. Passed Balls—J. Eaton, 3. Time—3 hours, 10 minutes. Umpire—Ringsley.

Adams has improved greatly and a hot game is expected at Braintree Friday. Saturday the team will go to Duxbury to play the Powder Point School.

Y. M. C. A. Games.

The Quincy Y. M. C. A. was well represented in the games held at Everett Patriots' day, Thomas Greenough and George Maver winning first prizes.

In the 100-yard dash Greenough won handily, and in the 440-yard run after leading until within a few yards of the tape was beaten for first place by Kennard of Everett.

The low marks given the Quincy men in the 5-mile handicap prevented their winning good positions, although Richard Jones won fifth place after running a plucky race from the 2 30 mark. The time prizes were all won by Quincy men, Maver winning first in the fast time of 29.27, Jones second in 30.07, and McPhee third in 30.32.

Walter S. McBurnie was manager; Mr. Knox, Oscar Card and Norman Ware the judges; Clarence Davis, starter; and William Lamb, timer.

Holiday Shoot.

Members of the Wollaston Trap club held a shoot on Patriots' day, resulting as follows:

A. L. Baker,	11111111110110101110100011—19
Whitmarsh,	11111110110111100011011111—19
Bates,	10101111111101110111111011—20

Mr. Baker won the 60 per cent. badge after two years' trial.

The first regular shoot of the season will be held on the 30th of April, at 3 P. M. All members expected to be present.

Yachting.

The boats in the city of Boston race on Patriots' day finished in this order; Vitesse, 1-18-12; Alpine, 1-19-08; Glide, 1-20-54; Midget, 1-51-47. Fifth class Chewink, 1-25-21; Ray, 1-26-07; Attila, 1-28-38; Cuttysark, 1-45-26; Banshee. 1-46-28. Bernice and Gnome disabled and Dorothy Q. withdrew.

THE POPULATION OF QUINCY.

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WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. J. L. DRAKE, No. 6 Saville street, Quincy. April 18—tf

WANTED—A man or boy to take care of a lawn this summer. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. tf

WANTED—A retail agent to sell granite Address H. H., Ledger Office, Quincy. April 14. -6t—p-1w

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework in a family of two. Apply to F. H. CRANE, 42 Elm street. Quincy April 15—6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

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TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. March 29. eod-tf

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When the sparrows build and the leaves break forth,
My old sorrow wakes and cries,
For I know there is a dawn in the far, far north,
And a scarlet sun doth rise.
Like a scarlet fleece the snowfield spreads,
And the icy founts run free,
And the bergs begin to bow their heads
And plunge and sail in the sea.

Oh, my lost love and my own, own love,
And my love that loved me so,
Is there never a chink in the world above
Where they listen for words from below?
Nay, I spoke once, and I grieved thee sore—
I remember all that I said,
And now thou wilt hear me no more—no more—
Till the sea gives up her dead.

Thou didst set thy foot on the ship and sail
To the icefields and the snow;
Thou wert sad, for thy love did not avail,
And the end I could not know.
How could I tell I should love thee today
Whom that day I held not dear?
How could I know I should love thee away
When I did not love thee anear?

We shall walk no more through the sodden plain
With the faded bents o'erspread;
We shall stand no more by the seething main
While the dark rack drives o'erhead;
We shall part no more in the wind and rain,
Where thy last farewell was said,
But perhaps I shall meet thee and know thee again
When the sea gives up her dead.

—Jean Ingelow.

THE POISONER.

I have said little about poisoning, remarks M. de Goron, ex-chief of detectives of Paris, in his recently published "Memoirs," not because the crime is less common than formerly, but because science has made it so difficult of detection and chance so seldom puts proof into the hands of the police.

It was chance, however, that permitted me on one occasion to detect a poisoner.

A commercial traveler, M. X. had his letters addressed post restante at the Theatre Francais bureau. One morning, unexpectedly called back to town, he was astonished to see at the postoffice on a little blue envelope a handwriting unfamiliar to him. Opening it, he read:

MY WELL BELOVED—I have seen your husband and have observed with satisfaction that the disease has made serious progress. His lips are quite white, his eyes hollow, his countenance ashen. I think we can hope to be rid of him in a month.

P. S.—I'll bring another little packet tomorrow.

The poor drummer at first thought it a hoax, but reflecting that chance might have put into his hands the proof of an adulterous crime which would have had a sinister end, he hurried to the office of the surete bearing the title blue accuser, which he handed to me.

I turned it over in my hands, surprised that criminals who could plan such an infamous crime should forget the elementary precautions.

I wondered if it were not a practical joke, merely to make work for the police. Then I reflected that most big crimes are discovered by the criminals' imprudence, and I resolved to investigate.

My duty was to solve the mystery. I had the postoffice watched.

Early next morning a pretty young woman called to get the letter.

She was frightened when an officer very politely took her by the arm and led her to a carriage.

No one saw the arrest. The carriage was already on its way when the woman demanded:

"Where are you taking me, sir?"

"To the chief of detectives, madam."

She fell back and said no more, but her hands shook nervously and her lips were bloodless.

Large, graceful, beautiful, still young, the woman was dressed with the severe elegance of the prosperous bourgeoise. She was a blond, whose blue eyes, marked round with bister, and whose mobile features seemed to mirror all her reflections.

By the manner in which she entered the office I knew she was a woman of the world. She sat down, nervously beating on the table. Her gesture was abrupt, her voice hoarse, and there was an odd look in her eye.

"What do you wish?" she said. "Why am I, an honest woman, brought here?"

I tried to calm her, but her voice became harsher as she cried: "It's infamous! I need not tell you my name."

Then, with due regard to dramatic effect, I handed her the blue envelope.

She fell on her knees, crying in a voice broken by sobs: "Mercy! Mercy! I am an unhappy woman! I am a poisoner! Yes, I wished to kill my husband! But I alone am to blame. He had to obey me. Punish no one but me.

"If you knew," she went on, "how I hate my husband! To see him there, always near me, is a torture worse than death. I love the young man who wrote that note with all my soul. With him I am in heaven. But to go home and endure my husband's embrace, his lips upon my cheek—it is like fire. At any cost he must die! I prefer crime to that agony of every minute, every second. But I swear I alone am guilty Punish me. I have merited death, but spare him, I pray you!"

Almost at the moment she seized a pair of scissors from my desk and would have stabbed herself had not her hand been staid.

I forced her to sit down and told her how much better it was that the crime had been discovered, and by gentle means I got from the weeping woman the name and address of her lover. Then I bade her wait in a neighboring room under guard.

I sent out agents to arrest the lover and meanwhile questioned her again. She said she didn't know what the powder was. The lover had sent it at her request for something "slow and sure."

Two hours later the men brought in M. Leon Z., the gayest assassin they ever saw, they said.

"Well, well," he had laughed as he saw the men file in, "this is funny. I never thought it would turn out so comical."

And all the way to my office he couldn't stop laughing. He laughed even when he entered my room. I was obliged to recall to him the gravity of the accusation. He was a kind of smooth dandy of 25 or 26, with a brown mustache and the conquering eye.

"Pardon me, sir," he said. "It's so funny I can't help it."

"You call poisoning funny?" I demanded.

"A poisoning! He, he, ho, ho! Ah, if you knew you'd laugh with me!"

"Go on; speak," said I sternly.

"Well, the story is queer. Mme. X. is pretty, amiable, and, my faith, I was very happy. But such an imagination she had! 'You understand,' she'd say to me, pointing to her husband, reading a picture paper there in his own house, 'that man must disappear. I can't bear it year after year. He must die.' It seemed funny to me—for I'm not a tragic lover—so I replied in a hollow voice: 'You wish poison? You shall have it.' Three times a week I sent a little package of bicarbonate of soda, with which she dosed him, supposing he was dying by inches, when really he was getting fat on it. If you only knew how jolly it was to feel like conspirators and take double toll of kisses! 'How you must love me,' she'd say, throwing herself into my arms; 'you who are so honest, yet have committed a crime for me!' Believe me or not, chief, she loved me too much, and I'm not sorry to be released by this denouement."

Of course the gay cavalier might be lying. We took no chances and sent to a bureau in his room and found a lot of little packets carefully folded. They were taken to the municipal laboratory, where, sure enough, they turned out to be bicarbonate of soda.

Then came the other agents who had been watching M. X. They said that they had learned at his restaurant that the poor victim of poisoning was as fresh as a rose and enjoyed a great appetite, perhaps due to the bicarbonate, which assists digestion.

Before bringing the conspirators together the judge and I scolded the lover. He had such an air of having done no wrong that he certainly deserved a wigging.

Before we had finished he had lost all desire to laugh and was wondering how it would all turn out. I went into Mme. X.'s room and told her the whole story. She was silent, but her attitude said: "Heavens, what stupids these police are, and how clever is my lover! He has fooled them, and we shall be freed!"

Then the lover came in and made his confession. As he spoke Mme. X. changed expression. Her lip curled contemptuously, her eye flashed. At last she interrupted:

"See here, Leon; you are lying! Tell the truth! I'd rather go to prison than bear this shame!"

"Be reasonable, dear," said Leon. "Do you suppose I'd risk the guillotine for your beautiful eyes?"

"Wretch!" she cried, menacing him with a gesture of such fury that he recoiled to the door. "Idiot! And I believed in your love! You're mocking me! Beast! Beast! But I hope you'll go to prison, just the same! Mustn't he, sir?"

We separated the lovers, but there was no reason for detaining them. In law intention does not constitute crime. And the "poisoned" man had swallowed nothing worse than digestive remedy. It was like a woman who one day bought a revolver to shoot her lover. The armorer, suspecting her purpose, loaded it with blank cartridges, all of which she dutifully discharged at the offender without harming him.

We set the lovers free with a sound "talking to." Leon went away less jolly than he came. To the woman, weeping like Magdalen, but calm, I said: "Madame, you wished to commit crime, and it is not your fault that you failed. The law does not permit us to punish you as you deserve. But take care! You shall be watched, and if any accident befalls your husband we shall know how to explain it."

With this result: We learned that she never saw the pretty Leon again. Nine or ten months later the agent who kept an eye on the X.'s closed his last report in these words, "The family is more united than ever."—New York World.

English Recruits.

Every recruit must be a British subject. The enlistment of an alien is, of course, contrary to international law. He must be unmarried. Shrewish wives have driven many men into the ranks, but not with the consent of the authorities. The married man who represents himself a bachelor is liable to two years' imprisonment with hard labor. They were not so particular in 1808. A delicious piece of doggerel published in that year represents a recruit taking leave of his wife and family:

Farewell to you, dear Nancy,
Likewise my children three.
Behold, I come to take my leave
Of friends and family.

Nancy suggests selling her cloak and the furniture to pay his "smart money." But Jack replies that he has been attested. Smart money won't do, and he must cross the main:

You will see me roll in splendor
When I return again.

Have you views on vaccination? You must give up the idea of going a-soldiering or your convictions. "Are you willing to be vaccinated or revaccinated?" the interrogatory runs. At last the oath is reached: "I, Thomas Atkins, do make oath that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to her majesty, her heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend her majesty, her heirs and successors, in person, crown and dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of her majesty, her heirs and successors and of the generals and officers set over me. So help me God!"—Good Words.

What It Was.

Benevolent Stranger—How on earth do you manage to live?

Rural Waggles—I ain't livin, boss; it's only a bluff.—New York Journal.

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BOHENY POUNDED OUT.

Walkover For the Bostons In Tuesday's Game.

Wiped Out Monday's Loss In New York.

Pitcher Nichols In Control After the First Inning.

Boston, April 20.—The Bostons played a game of baseball of such summer form yesterday that the crowd of 8500 enthusiasts forgot the inclemency of the weather and reveled in the enjoyment of the contest. It was not an exciting game. The New Yorks were simply outclassed. They made the timid anxious by touching up Nichols for four hits in the first inning, but there was a blight on their batting prowess during the rest of the game.

When "King" Nichols had toyed with the visitors for seven innings "Ted" Lewis warmed up a bit in the next two and the "giants" found it just as difficult to fathom his pitching as they did Nichols'. His speed was a good index of the condition of his arm, and Manager Selee rubbed his hands gleefully as he noted his pitcher's good work. As inning after inning passed the crowd applauded Nichols every time he came in and each time he went to the bat. Here, too, he excelled, making a single and a home run.

Doheny started in to pitch for New York and lasted three innings. In this time he was hit safely nine times, with a total of 15 bases. Gettig, who succeeded him in the fourth inning, was also hit freely throughout the game.

The batting of the Bostons was well bunched. "Bobby" Lowe was the star, and failed only once to score a hit. Collins and Nichols also showed up in good style. In fielding good and bad was well mixed. Hamilton, Duffy and Stahl were like "colts," and made a number of brilliant catches. Long made a stop in deep short, and threw out Grady at first when it did not look as if he had a ghost of a show to get his man. "Kid" Gleason and George Davis monopolized the brilliant fielding features for the New Yorks, although Grady did some great back-stop work in the face of wild pitching

"Charley" Snyder, the old Boston catcher, who umpired behind the bat, received a great hand. West Curry was on the bases, and both did very creditable work. The game was run off smoothly, a bluff kick by Joyce being the only incident. The score:

Boston.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Tenney, 1 b	5	2	2	6	0	0
Hamilton, c. f	4	1	1	3	0	0
Long, s. s	5	1	2	2	6	2
Duffy, l. f	5	2	2	5	0	0
Collins, 3 b	5	3	3	2	0	0
Stahl, r. f	2	1	2	2	0	0
Lowe, 2 b	5	2	4	3	1	0
Bergen, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Nichols, p	4	2	2	0	2	0
Lewis, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	14	18	27	9	2

New York.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Van Haltren, c. f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Tiernan, l. f	3	1	1	3	0	0
Joyce, 1 b	4	0	1	5	1	0
Davis, s. s	4	0	0	2	3	0
Gleason, 2 b	4	0	1	4	2	0
McCreery, r. f	4	0	0	1	0	2
Hartman, 3 b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Grady, c	3	0	0	4	1	1
Doheny, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gettig, p	0	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	32	2	4	24	10	3

Boston .....0 7 3 2 0 0 1 1 —14
New York ....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 2

Two-base hits—Hamilton, Van Haltren. Three-base hit—Lowe. Home run—Nichols. Stolen bases—Tenney, Duffy. Double plays—Lowe, Long and Tenney; Gleason and Davis. First base on balls—By Nichols, 1; by Lewis, 1; by Doheny, 1; by Gettig, 3. Struck out—By Nichols, 2; by Lewis, 1; by Doheny, 2; by Gettig, 1. Passed balls—Grady, 3. Wild pitches—Doheny. Time—1:55. Umpires—Snyder and Curry. Attendance—8000.

Rain prevented other league games.

In Springfield—Springfields, 10; Hartfords, 4. (7 innings).

In Attleboro—Attleboros, 14; Pawtuckets, 2. (6 innings).

In New Bedford—New Bedfords, 10; Cuban Giants, 8.

In Brockton—Brocktons, 11; Newports, 3.

In Fall River—Providences, 11; Fall Rivers, 4. (5 innings).

A Democratic Landslide.

New Haven, April 20.—The first spring election under the new charter took place yesterday, and resulted in a Democratic landslide, the average majority being 1600. Twelve out of 15 wards returned Democratic aldermen, and the lower chamber will stand 29 Democrats and 16 Republicans. On joint ballot there are 46 Democrats and 29 Republicans. The license vote was 6244 in favor and 1961 opposed. The vote was unusually large for an off election. Wards that have gone Republican for years were counted in the Democratic ranks.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ellen Harty was burned to death in Lawrence, Mass., while trying to make a fire burn by using kerosene.

The Republicans of the Tenth Ohio district, on the 1477th ballot, nominated S. J. Morgan for congress, to succeed Congressman Fenton.

Three icehouses owned by the Pocasset Ice company in Johnston, R. I., were destroyed by fire. Loss on building and contents, $5000; insurance, $2000.

Senator Walthall, who has been critically ill with typhoid pneumonia for some days, was resting more easily at midnight, but little hope was felt of his recovery.

Several of the leading citizens of Portsmouth, N. H., have sent a petition to the navy department, asking one of the old monitors for that port, for the defense of the navy yard and city.

The factory of the Butler Box company in Chelsea, Mass., was burned last night, together with the stable and seven horses. The cause of the fire is a mystery. The loss on the building and contents is $6000.

The adjutant general of Texas has ordered the ranger forces to concentrate on the southern and western frontier for the purpose of repelling attacks from Mexican outlaws, fear of which is justified by reports from that end of the state.

DUFFY THE STAR.

Made a Wonderful Catch In the Game With the Giants.

New York, April 19.—The New Yorks found the southpaw delivery of Klobedanz a much easier proposition Monday than that which Nichols served upon then Saturday. "Kloby" was not at his best either in speed or control. He developed a knack of hitting batsmen which, while rather disagreeable for the New Yorks for a moment or so, came in handy in the long run. Two of the men thus staggered got round, and his base on balls and wild pitch helped to swell the home team's tally collection.



HUGH DUFFY.

Bill Joyce caught one of Klobedanz's inshoots full on the cranium, but Bill scarcely winked an eye, and seemed possessed of additional ginger when he reached first, for he hypnotized Tenney into making an error, and raced around the bases a moment later. Seymour, too, had fits of wildness, but he followed them up with effectiveness, and positively refused to become rattled.

The "Champs" did not field any better than they hit, with one exception. The exception was a bloodstirring catch by Duffy in the first inning. Warner drove a scorching high liner to left, which would have been good for three bases, or perhaps a home run, had not Duffy, while going after it at full tilt, intercepted the ball and pulled it down with his left hand. It was a catch in a thousand, and the Boston captain was compelled to expose his pompadour several times in acknowledgment of the applause bestowed upon him. Score:

Bostons	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Hamilton, cf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Tenney, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	2
Long, ss	5	0	1	3	2	0
Duffy, lf	3	0	0	2	1	1
Collins, 3b	3	1	1	3	1	0
Stahl, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Lowe, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Bergen, c	4	0	1	4	1	0
Klobedanz, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Stivett, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	6	24	10	3

X—Stivetts batted for Klobedanz in ninth inning.

New Yorks	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Van Haltren, cf	4	2	0	1	0	0
Tiernan, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Joyce, 1b	4	1	2	7	0	0
Davis, ss	4	2	3	2	4	0
Gleason, 2b	4	1	1	4	2	0
McCreary, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hartman, 3b	4	0	2	1	3	1
Warner, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Seymour, p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Totals	34	8	10	27	11	1

Innings:
Boston .....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 —2
New York.....4 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 —8

Earned runs—Boston, 1. Two base hits—Hartman, Davis 2, Bergen. Three base hits—Stahl. Stolen base—Joyce. First base by error—Boston, 1; New York, 3. First base on balls—off Klobedanz, 1; off Seymour, 5. Hit by pitched ball—Joyce, Seymour, Tiernan, Klobedanz. Struck out—by Klobedanz, 3; by Seymour, 5. Wild pitches—Seymour, 1; Klobedanz, 1. Left on bases—Boston, 10; New York, 7. Sacrifice hits—Van Haltren, 1. Time, 1:50. Umpires, Snyder and Curry. Attendance 8500.

In Philadelphia—The Philadelphias defeated the Brooklyns by hard hitting. Hallman at second accepted 10 chances, many of them being difficult. Jones' work at short was again rather ragged. Attendance, 5580. Score: Philadelphias, 13; Brooklyns, 3.

In Louisville—Weak batting lost the colonels another game yesterday. Killen was very effective, while Clarge was touched up rather lively, and his support was poor. Threatening weather kept the attendance down to 700. The score: Pittsburgs, 7; Louisvilles, 2.

In Washington—The baseball season opened here with a parade of the Washington and Baltimore teams. At National park 6000 people with the assistance of a brass band welcomed the senators and their old-time foes. Hughes was in fine form, while many fielding and battery errors by the Washingtons helped the Baltimores. The score was 9 to 0 in favor of the Marylanders.

In Reading—Readings, 4; Wilkesbarres, 2.

In Allentown, Pa—Allentowns, 1; Montreals, 2.

In Springfield—The Springfield ball team won an 11-inning game from the Cuban ex-Giants, 8 to 7.

In Charlottesville, Va—Harvard appeared here yesterday for the first time since 1893. She was given a warm welcome by the university of Virginia players and rooters. The game was in doubt up to the last inning. The Virginians led by one run till the eighth, when the Harvards batted out three runs and won, 7 to 5.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Two aristocratic families at Barcelona have contributed $500,000 to the national subscription for the Spanish navy.

Advices just received from the town of Alfonso XII, province of Havana, announce that a dynamite bomb was exploded near the church there Saturday, killing two people.

The London Times announces that its correspondent has been expelled from Havana. Against the expulsion The Times comments editorially, characterizing the act as "another of Spain's efforts to stifle the truth."

Governor Hastings of Pennsylvania refused to issue a warrant on the requisition of the governor of Massachusetts, for the extradition of George B. White of New Bedford, who is alleged to have obtained money under false pretences from several Boston banks. The governor's reason for declining to honor Governor Wolcott's requisition is the delay in the arrest of White, for whom a warrant was issued and which was revoked in 1896. White is under arrest in Philadelphia.

CONSULAR REPORTS.

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distress, among others the following: In a family of 17, living in an old limekiln, all were found dead except three, and they barely alive. He says again that General Blanco's order allowing the reconcentrados to return and cultivate the crops is inoperative and of no avail.

Writing on the 17th of January, he says: "The people are shut up in the cities and towns, like rats, to starve. We have 15 or 18 families of American reconcentrados who own property in the country, and, were they allowed to go to their homes, could make a good living. All these have begged and pleaded with the authorities under Blanco's order to go and were in every case refused."

Consul Barker's Report.

Consul Barker covers the condition existing in Santa Clara province in a number of communications, beginning on the 20th of November, 1897, and closing on the 24th of March last. His letters constitute one long story of distress—of sickness, destitution and death—until indeed the picture, even as drawn in the plain language of official communications, is revolting.

On Jan. 10 Mr. Barker suggests that the United States shall offer her good offices to Spain with a view of securing an armistice of 90 days' duration for the purpose of discussing terms of settlement between Spain and the insurgents, the United States to be the umpire. Pending negotiations, he would have all troops quartered and held in the large fortified coast towns in order that the reconcentrados may return to the country and to employment. He adds that the relief from the United States must be continued or the people must starve so long as there is an armed Spanish soldier in the country, "since these people, for fear of being murdered, do not go to their country homes." On the 15th of January Mr. Barker says:

"In this consular district a reign of terror and anarchy prevails which the authorities, if so disposed, are utterly powerless to control or in any measure subdue. Aside from the suffering and desperation caused by the unparalleled destitution, I regard the situation as rapidly assuming a critical stage. As stated heretofore, in no way have the authorities departed from the policy pursued by the late but not lamented General Welyer. Spanish troops, as well as the guerrillas, under the cruel chiefs Carreraz, Clavarrietta and Lazo, continue to despoil the country and drench it with the blood of noncombatants. Although the 'bando' of the captain general provides that laborers may return to estates, it restricts their operations to those having a garrison. Last week a number belonging to the 'Santa Ana' estate, located within a league of Sagua and owned by Mr. George Thorndike of Newport, R. I., were driven off after returning and refused permit as a protection by the military commander, Mayor Lemo, one of the trusted officers under the Weyler regime."

Feeding the Starving.

On March 12 Mr. Barker states that from Feb. 15 to March 12 he cared for 1,200 persons, increasing the number on the relief list after that date to 2,000. He then details the work done by the Red Cross society, the various local committees and others, to each of whom he gives due credit. Having done this, Mr. Barker states his opinion to be that if provision could be made to care for 25,000 persons in that province, whatever might be left would manage to survive. He thought that to keep 25,000 persons alive would require 80 tons of provisions a month. He then stated that of the 5,000 utterly destitute persons in that city the mayor had, in a manner relieved about one-third of the number with rations of rice and beans. In this communication Mr. Barker indicates that the Spanish local authorities were willing to accept aid from the United States.

On the 24th of March Mr. Barker increased his estimates as to the amount of food necessary to keep life in the people of that province. He said that 50 tons were needful for that time, and that the distress was far greater than his former reports had shown. In the communication of the 20th of March Mr. Barker says:

"The distress is simply heartrending. Whole families, without clothing to hide nakedness, are sleeping on the bare ground, without bedding of any kind, without food, save to such as we have been able to reach with provisions sent by our own noble people, and the most distressing feature is that fully 50 per cent are ill, without medical attention or medicine."

Mr. Barker adds that if $5,000 could be telegraphed to Consul General Lee blankets, cots and medicines could be purchased there in the several towns adjacent, and thus save thousands who must die if compelled to await the sending of these supplies from the United States. "I have," he says, "found that the civil governor is willing to lend every aid in his power, but he admits that he can do nothing but assist with his civil officers in expediting relief sent by the United States. The military obstruct in every way possible."

Blanco's Order of No Avail.

In the earlier portion of his correspondence Mr. Barker indicates the reasons why General Blanco's orders relieving the reconcentrados must prove of no avail. He says that while the first article of the order grants permission to the starving class to return to the country, the third article abrogates this permission in exacting that the places to which they go must be garrisoned. This condition alone, he says, will preclude over one-half of these poor unfortunates, for their homes are in ruin, and the sugar estates able to maintain a guard can care for but a small percentage of the whole.

Mr. Barker says that while he does not question the good intention of those now in power, yet "it is a self evident fact that the authorities are utterly helpless to extend any relief to those who have thus far survived the pangs of hunger." Mr. Barker says that his observation does not bear out the statement made by the captain general through a letter to the Spanish minister that "extensive zones of cultivation have been organized, the daily rations are provided by the state and that work is furnished." Mr. Barker also points out the impracticability of grinding cane under the present conditions. He says in his letter of the 20th of November that he had interviewed most of the large planters in his consular district, and they had stated that unless assured of immunity from the insurgent chief, Gomez, they would not attempt to grind, as by doing so they would jeopardize their property. He adds that it is "an unquestioned fact that the military are powerless to give this necessary protection."

Spanish Soldiers Companion Victims.

Mr. Barker places the mortality figures for six of the principal cities of his district for the period beginning with Jan. 1 and ending Nov. 15, 1897, at 80,589. He says this is the official record, and that fully 25 per cent should be added to cover deaths of which no record was kept. "Undoubtedly," he says, "one-half the concentrated people have died, and today Spanish soldiers are companion victims of the surviving noncombatants. This appalling death roll is mute yet convincing proof of the terrible destruction of life of the main policy pursued in attempting to subjugate the island. The suffering among the troops as well as the reconcentrados simply beggars portrayal, while discontent ripens daily."

On the 13th of December Mr. Barker relates the particulars of a visit he made to five of the principal railroad towns in his consular district. In Santa Clara, Cruces, Esperanza, Jicotea and Santa Domingo he says "the destitution is simply too harrowing to recite and must become intensified each day. The death rate for last month shows an increase of about 25 per cent. In these towns I got my information from the mayor of each. From them I learned while there was an issue of food running from three to five days, beginning on the 8th ult., consisting of six ounces of bacon or jerked beef and six ounces of rice for adults, with half this allowance for children under 14 years, the pittance given was sufficient only for one-fourth to one-tenth of the starving. No further relief has been given up to date, and the mayors of these towns are authority for stating that the captain general had ordered discontinuance of food to the concentrados."

Consul Hyatt's Report From Santiago.

The reports on the condition of affairs at Santiago are made by Consul Hyatt, beginning on the 15th of November last.

Among property holders, whether Americans or citizens of other nationalities, he says, there is but one sentiment. This sentiment is "hands off" or such active intervention as will speedily terminate the struggle. They, he says, greatly deprecate the constant agitation which makes the governing classes enemies to American interests and brings no corresponding advantages. On the 26th of November Mr. Hyatt wrote:

"The text of the new autonomy, as published here, is not meeting with favor by the most ardent friends of Spain. There is, however, a feeling of relief and safety since the change in the captain generalship."

A portion of this dispatch is withheld by the state department. Writing on the 5th of December last, Mr. Hyatt said:

"The reconcentration order is relaxed, but not removed, but many people have reached a point where it is a matter of entire indifference to them whether it is removed or not, for they have lost all interest in the problem of existence. A census of the island taken today, as compared with one taken three years ago, I feel confident, would show that two-thirds of the residents are missing, and the Spanish army would make no better showing."

On the 14th of December Mr. Hyatt wrote:

"I give it as my opinion, an opinion that is not biased in favor of Cuba, that Spain will be compelled to prosecute a far more vigorous war than has yet been done if she conquers peace in Cuba. I think I speak advisedly when I say that in this end of the island at least there are many thousand square miles where the foot of the Spanish soldier has never trod. Within this zone the insurgents have their families, corral their horses and cattle and raise their crops. Why Spain, with a large body of as obedient and brave soldiers as ever shouldered a gun, has not penetrated these grounds and scattered to the four winds the comparatively small body of men who are there is a question I will not attempt to answer. As I write, a man is dying in the street in front of my door, the third in a comparatively small time."

Mr. Hyatt's letter of the 21st of December deals largely with the surveys and the death rate on the island, which he characterizes as appalling.

Smallpox and Yellow Fever.

He also reported smallpox and yellow fever as prevailing, and said that out of a total of 16,000 soldiers recently sent to Manzanillo, nearly 5,000 were in hospitals or quartered on the people. On the 12th of January Mr. Hyatt inclosed a translation of an order issued by General Gomez forbidding the grinding of the sugar crop for the years 1897 and 1898. He adds that in that part of Cuba all idea of making sugar crop is entirely abandoned. He mentions the inhibition on operating the Pampo mines of manganese ore, and instances several sugar estates which are held up and which, he says, are becoming more worthless than before.

He closes with a brief but thrilling picture of the conditions on the island. "It is," he says, "beyond the power of my pen to describe the situation in eastern Cuba. Squalidity, starvation, sickness and death meet one in all places. Beggars throng our doors and stop us upon the streets. The dead in large numbers remain over from day to day in the cemeteries unburied."

On the 31st of January Mr. Hyatt mentions the destruction of a railroad train by dynamite bombs near Santiago at the time of General Blanco's visit, saying that it was believed that insurgents were responsible for the destruction because they believed General Blanco to be on the train. Two cars were shivered in atoms, five passengers were killed outright and 22 badly wounded.

In one portion of his correspondence he refers to the effort of a Mr. Rigney, an American sugar planter, near Manzanillo, to prepare for cane grinding during the coming season. "A few nights since," he says, "the insurgents fired seven cannon shots among his buildings, one ball passing through the roof of his house. Americans were hopeful that they would be allowed to make their crop, but the action of the insurgents toward Mr. Rigney gives the problem a doubtful aspect. It may have been a personal matter against Mr. Rigney."

Consul Jova's Statements.

John F. Jova, vice consul at Sagua la Grande, under date of Nov. 11, 1897, gives his view of the autonomistic policy promised by Spain. He takes strong grounds against it, saying that an autonomist party in that district could not exist. "In the meantime the concentrados," he says, "continue perishing. It is impossible to describe the extent and intensity of such tremendous suffering, of such iniquitous, unjust and sinful inquisition, to annihilate thousands of women and children If this godless combination could be accurately represented, it would seem an exaggeration induced by stirred fellow feeling, with sensibility of heart. Moving among the unceasing crowd of famished beggars, one can scarcely do more than commiserate the undeserved misfortunes. No history in the world, ancient or modern, saw an instance of this frightful, dreadful suffering. Perhaps civilization has not seen its like. In conclusion I beg to state that in my humble judgment the efforts toward the enforcement of the reform of autonomy will prove altogether futile."

BOSTON AFFAIRS.

Fateful Day For the Alleged Murderer of the Fuller Trio.

Boston, April 20.—This is a fateful day for Thomas M. Bram. By noon the 12 men in whose hands his fate rests had retired for the last time to their jury room to deliberate on the testimony which has been offered during nearly six weeks, and from the vast mass select that portion which in their judgment has a bearing on the case.

Alman A. Strout, a leading Portland attorney, died at a hotel yesterday afternoon. He had started for California, hoping to regain his health, but was obliged to turn back. He got as far as this city, where he was taken sick.

A body which has been identified as that of Patrick Kelly, who disappeared about two months ago, was taken from the bay yesterday by the harbor police. The body is so badly decomposed that it is impossible to say whether death was due to violence or not.

The exact contents of the Hoosac tunnel dock elevator at the time of the fire last Sunday has been given by the underwriters insuring the risk as 5000 bushels of oats, 100,000 bushels of corn and 205,000 bushels of wheat. Wheat at the time of the fire was quoted at $1.12, corn 35 cents and oats 35 cents, so that the value of the burned grain was about $262,500.

Patriots' day was celebrated by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company with a reception and dinner in the Quincy House. The gathering was the largest ever held by the company, some 400 members and friends attending. Colonel Henry A. Thomas responded for the president, and Attorney General Knowlton spoke for the commonwealth. Other speeches were made by Colonel Henry Walker, Lieutenant Weaver, Senator Morse, Captain Lombard, Colonel Sidney M. Hedges and Chaplain Roblin.

A hundred colonists in Sydney, N. S. W., have offered their services to the American consul, in the event of a war between the United States and Spain.

Senators Talked Freely.

Washington, April 20.—Comparatively little business was transacted by the senate yesterday, all of the senators being fatigued on account of their long vigil over the Cuban resolutions. Consideration of the sundry appropriation bill was resumed, and the wide latitude of debate permitted under the rules of the senate afforded opportunity for some explanations to be made concerning the action of the senate upon the Cuban question. Mr. Cockerell and Mr. Bacon explained the action of the Democrats in voting against the conference report, and the colloquies that ensued between them and some of the Republican senators were spicy and interesting. A running fire of debate was participated in by Mr. Mantle, Mr. Cannon, Mr. Hale, Mr. Spooner and others, the discussion lasting about three hours.

Several Bankers Lost.

New York, April 20.—The grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against George B. White on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses on the evidence of ex-Mayor Strong and several clerks of the Central National bank, which, it is alleged, was victimized to the extent of $19,595. The Mercantile National, the Chemical and the American National also lost about $20,000 each through White's operations, it is alleged, besides seven in Boston and two in Philadelphia. In all, 13 banks are interested, and the total loss is said to be $202,000.

One method by which White operated was to go to a bank where he had a small account, representing that the season for buying tanhark was at hand and that he would require the usual accommodation. This was always accorded him on his statement of his assets and condition of his business. The statements he made were apparently borne out soon afterwards, when the checks came back in the usual course of business. They were also drawn for odd amounts not large, and came from small towns in Pennsylvania, where, presumably, he had been buying barks. These checks are now regarded with suspicion by the banks which have suffered, and it is intimated that the payees whose names appear upon them never had any existence in fact.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 20.—The Globe: "The American people have said what they mean, and they mean what they have said. They demand peace not only in Cuba, but in the United States, and 'at once!' They demand that we shall cease to belittle ourselves by magnifying so simple a task. They demand a chance to think of something else beside war and rumors of war."

"President McKinley has won," says The Journal. "His wishes have prevailed. He is given the power to intervene without being compelled to recognize at once the present insurgent government. Congress has armed him with the full authority for which he has asked."

Searched For Weapon.

Salem, Mass., April 20.—The pond of about four acres in West Peabody, about 200 feet from the shanty where Annie Geary was murdered April 10, was drained, and the police made a careful search, in hope of finding the weapon which inflicted the fatal wounds. Nothing was found to throw any light on the tragedy, yet the pond is supposed to be the natural place for the assassin to throw the weapon, although there are several ponds and brooks in the vicinity, which will be searched later.

Decided '76 Election.

St. Paul, April 20.—General Hugh J. Campbell, the best known man in South Dakota, died at Sioux Falls yesterday from pneumonia. His vote decided the presidential election in 1876 in favor of R. B. Hayes. At that time he was a member of the Louisiana returning board and cast his vote for the Republicans.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, APRIL 21.
Sun rises—4:54; sets, 6:33.
Moon sets—7:46 p. m.
High water—11:45 a. m.; 12 p. m.

Though cloudy skies covered New England the greater part of yesterday, no rain fell until afternoon, and then only in the southern and western portions. While the foul weather will probably continue most of today, fair weather seems certain tonight and Thursday, with slightly higher temperatures and westerly winds. Fair weather is also probable Friday and Saturday with temperatures between 50 and 60 degrees during the day.

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[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

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SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 4:35 p.m. | New Moon 20 5:37 p.m.
Third Quarter 13 9:44 a.m. | First Quarter 28 9:21 p.m.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Memorial day will be the next holiday.

Not as pleasant a holiday as many wished.

Mr. Harry W. Reed spent his holiday with friends at Onset Bay.

Active work has been commenced finishing the paving of Copeland street.

Miss Madeline Pollock of Bigelow street is convalescent from an illness of several weeks.

Mr. Ernest Drew, the popular clerk at T. Gurney's is enjoying a visit from his mother this week.

Mrs. Joseph C. Morse was taken to her summer cottage Tuesday where it is hoped her health will improve.

Emerson Clarke of Farmington, Ill., was the guest of George W. Thayer of Crescent street the first of the week.

Mr. Jesse Litchfield of Pearl street entertained a few friends Monday evening with cards, crokinole, a cake walk and dancing. It was a very enjoyable party.

Mr. John Chisholm who has been visiting friends for the past week in this city, has returned to Fort Ethan Allen to rejoin his regiment which left on Tuesday morning for Chickamauga.

The Boston Association of Universalist churches will hold two sessions at the Universalist church Quincy, today, afternoon and evening. Revs. Hodge, of Franklin; and Dunham, of Wakefield; will speak this afternoon and Revs. Albion, of Malden; and Roblin, of Boston; this evening. Mrs. Ward of Hingham will sing a solo.

Mr. John W. Wilder of Altantic, the well known wheelman met with a very serious and painful accident a few evenings since in Dorchester. He was riding home after dark and though going along at a moderate pace was suddenly struck with terrific force by a fellow coming along on the wrong side of the street at a fast clip. Both were thrown to the ground and the blood flowed freely from two bad wounds on Mr. Wilder's face. The flesh was laid open near the eye and his nose as almost broken. The party who was clearly to bame got away before his name could be learned, but Mr. Wilder, is now a strong believer in lamps after sundown and will procure one at once.

Wollaston Post Office.

Advertised letters for week ending April 16:
Mrs. H. Burn Smith, Mrs G. L. Rice, Miss Clara Potter, Mrs. H. C. Robinson, W. H. Stevens.

—James H. Perkins, '98, the new captain of the Harvard crew, lives in Milton. He prepared for college at Milton Academy and Hopkinson's school. This is his third year on the 'versity crew.

The Genuine Eddy Refrigerators represent the finest construction in the world. A complete line to select from. $5.20 up. A catalogue for the asking. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

—Holbrook has three physicians and at the annual March meeting, the town voted to pay each of them $33 for the coming year, provided they made thirty-three visits.

"Well, well,"
saw the men file in.
never thought it woul
ical."
And all the way to

APPROPRIATIONS.

(*Continued from page 4.*)

the order to increase the pay of Police ought not to pass. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported a substitute, relative to public rights near the Wollaston depot authorizing

The Mayor to institute such legal proceedings as may be advisable to enforce and preserve any existing right of way acquired by prescriptions or otherwise that the public now has, commencing from Beale street east of where said street crosses by a bridge the tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and extending in a northwesterly direction north of said bridge over the premises of said company to Newport avenue; also to cause such action to be taken as advisable to secure proper approaches to and exits from the Wollaston station.

Substitute accepted and adopted.

The Committee on Ordinances made a favorable report on transfers to pay bills of Public Burial Places in 1897. Passed.

The joint Committee on Ordinances and Streets reported a substitute ordinance relative to electric wires in conduits, cables, etc.

Substitutes accepted and after second reading placed in orders of day.

Councilman Swithin offered an order authorizing Mayor to execute deeds on releases for land of the Adams Temple and School Fund. Laid on table.

Councilman Parker offered an order designating the streets to be watered between April 30, and Nov. 1, practically the same as in 1897 and levying an assessment of 2.2 cents per linear foot. Adopted.

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

Upon motion the Mayor's appointments of Edward J. McKeon as Registrar of Voters was taken from the table.

Councilman Sidelinger spoke in favor, and moved confirmation.

Councilman Cain argued at length in opposition, claiming that Mr. McKeon was a Republican, whereas the law required the appointment of a Democrat. The Democrats did not expect much from this administration but they asked and demanded their rights. If they cannot get these of the Council they will go elsewhere. He quoted the law, and then told of the course of Messrs. Cunningham, McKenna and McKeon and others in the last city election. How the first two had been rewarded and now there was an office for McKeon. McKeon was last year offered the Democratic nomination of the Council but refused. He was elected a delegate to the municipal convention and on the Ward Committee but declined. He was further prominent in an independent movement to elect Mr. Sears mayor. All the Democrats now wanted was fair play. When the attention of Mayor Adams was called to the fact that Howard Rogers, a Hodges man had been serving as a Republican election officer he was removed. Would the Redublicans be as fair.

Councilman Sidelinger asked how it was proposed to get rights.

Councilman Cain said he should favor going to the Supreme Court.

Councilman Sidelinger thought the best way to confirm the appointment and thereby find out who was a Democrat.

Councilman Little thought there was doubt as to the politics of the nominee. He read correspondence between the Democratic City Comitttee and the Mayor. Councilmen should not vote on party lines.

Councilman Parker (Republican) thought nominee should be favorable to Democrats. Party was large enough outside of the two mentioned. He believed in independence in voting but where a Democrat was required he could not endorse Mr. McKeon

Councilman Merrick (Republican) saw justice in presentation of case by Councilman Cain. Democrats were entitled to a man satisfactory to them. Mr. McKeon was not.

Councilman McGrath gloried in the independence of Mr. McKeon in voting for Mr. Sears but as a Democrat was called for and the Democratic City Committee had decided that Mr. McKeon was not a Democrat, he must refuse to support him.

Councilman Jameson thought Mr. McKeon always had been a Democrat. That one wing of the party now wanted to turn him down out of spite. The politics of a man should not be judged by municipal elections alone. Thought it a queer state of affairs when a Councilman needed "a friend" on the board of registrars to get favors.

Councilman Cain explained that the favors were only fair play.

Councilman Poland at first thought Mr. Cain right but it was a hard question to decide who was a Democrat. Thought Ward Six Democrats favored the appointment of Mr. McKeon. The Mayor should be sustained.

Councilman Little arose to ask a question but forgot it in rising.

Councilman Cain said it was not the Democrats who needed coaching to register. He said Mr. McKeon was his personal friend and belonged to the same secret societies. He had been threatened by the members if he opposed but he did it out of principle.

Councilman Merrick thought it was not for the Council to decide who is a Democrat. The Democratic City Committee said Mr. McKeon was not. But as Councilman Cain was looking for favors the favors might be too large to grant.

Councilman Cain replied.

Councilman Poland thought Council must decide if McKeon was a Democrat. He believed he was a good Democrat.

Councilman Packard called for the previous question.

Councilman Little closed the debate asking only fair play.

The question on confirmation was put and declared carried. It was doubted and verified by a rising vote, 13 to 8.

The roll was not called but names were secured by reporters as follows:

Yeas—Badger, Clark Freeman, Hill, Hultman, Jameson, Nash, Nicol, Packard, Poland, Prout, Sidelinger, and Swithin..—13.

Nays—Cain, Keith, Little, McGrath, Merrick, Newcomb, Owens and Parker —8.

Absent—Willard.

Not Voting—President Pinkham.

SEWER APPROPRIATION.

The order appropriating $100,000 for sewer extension on a 3 1-2 per cent. loan was taken from the table.

After debate the per cent. was changed to 4 per cent. because of the condition of the money market, and the order passed unanimously, 18 to 0.

President Pinkham then referred the matter of sewer assessments which was considered by the Council of 1897 to the joint Committee on Finance and Sewers.

Adjourned at 10.45 to meet May 2.

Celebrated First.

There was a hot bowling game in the candle pins at McDonnell's alleys, West Quincy, Tuesday night between the West Quincys and Murrays of Boston. When the visitors arrived they illuminated the streets with red fire and roman candles which was evidently meant to say that they would bowl all around the West Quincys. This however, was where they made their mistake, for when the score was added up it was found that the West Quincys had been victorious by a score of 1228 to 1222. The visitors neglected to burn any red fire upon their departure, but it is said that there was a kind of blue haze about them as they boarded the train.

Sudden Death.

Mr. Walter R. Hall, who for several years sang bass in the choir of the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, died Sunday morning after an illness of three days from cerebro-spinal meningitis, at his boarding place in Boston. The congregation will be surprised and shocked to learn of his untimely death, and he will be missed by scores of friends in Atlantic, to whom he has shown many favors. The funeral will be held from his parent's home in Deering, Maine. Mr. Hall was a member of several social organizations, among them being, U. O. P. F., and Metropolitan Wheelmen, was also a member of the Alpine Male Quartette of Boston.

G. A. R. Funeral.

The funeral of the late Henry Talbot was held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. John's church and was very largely attended. Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., was present in a body. After the services at the church, which were conducted by Rev. Fr. Johnson the remains were escorted by the Post to St. Mary's cemetery, West Quincy, where the burial service of the Grand Army was conducted.

Scrub at the Neck.

Patriots' Day was celebrated at Quincy Neck by a game of "scrub." About 15 or 18 young men, including the Bent Creek's club, met at the corner of Howard and Winter streets and for two hours were happily engaged in an exciting contest. The scene at the epening was enthusiastic, and the ball received some hard knocks, and even the small showers throughout the afternoon did not prevent the boys from enjoying themselves.

Runs Every Inning.

The Quincy Point A. A. Juniors defeated the North Weymouth A A. Juniors Patriots' day at Quincy Point. It rained a little but that did not hinder the teams. Good playing was done on both sides. The score was 40 to 21 in favor of Quincy Poiut. Umpires—Caldwell and Federhen

Holiday Golf.

The handicap match at the links of the Wollaston Golf club on Patriots' day, which opened the season, was won by L. W. Glover of Quincy, but R. B. Porter made the best gross score.

—Co D. of the old 4th Mass. regiment held a reunion at the Harvard House, Randolph, on Saturday evening and discussed the war situation. Braintree, Holbrook, Brockton and Boston were represented Edward Cottle was elected commander.

Schools Celebrate.

The A and B grammar grades at the Coddington school were never more profusely decorated with flags and bunting than for the Patriot day exercises on Monday afternoon. The committee on decorations were Marden Hayward, George Tupper, Florence Greer and Bessie Merrill. There were also some creditable blackboard sketches by Sidney Carr, John Mahoney, Ralph Damon and Alfred Wason. The programme of the aftrenoon was :

Recitation—"Love of Country," School.
Reading—"Patriots' Day."
Gymnastics.
Singing.
Declamation—"An Appeal to Arms," John Mahoney.
Composition—"Causes of the Revolutionary War," Margery Melcher.
Declamation—"Rising of '76," Percy Taber.
Composition—"Historic Places in Quincy," Minnie Heffernan.
Declamation—"First American Congress," Robert Hardwick.
Recitation—"The 19th of April," Vesta Pawsey.
Singing.
Declamation—"The Revolutionary Alarm," Robert Callahan.
Composition—"Battle of Lexington and Concord," Alfred Wason.
Recitation—"Emerson's Hymn," School.
Declamation—"The Little Regiment," Merton Alden.
Recitation—"Lexington," Annie King.
Composition—"Liberty Bell," Ethel Randall.
Declamation—"Declaration of Independence," Herbert Arnold.
Composition—"Quincy in the Revolution," Sidney Carr.
Recitation and pledge, Bessie Merrill and School.
Remarks by Dr. Hallowell and Col. Porter of School Board.
Singing—"America."

TOWN TOPICS.

As New York and Chicago continue to become "greater" it will not be many years before they will be trying to annex each other.—Roxbury Gazette.

A woman in New York with spiritualistic tendencies claims to have been in heaven and hell. If she means Boston and Chicago, why doesn't she say so right out? —Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

Chicago will do well to abolish railroad grade crossings in the cleared and inhabited parts of the city. It is an example all cities and towns and even open country should follow.—New York Tribune.

Philadelphia is not only the most corruptly governed of all our great cities, but there doesn't seem to be any organized and effective public sentiment there to correct this state of things.—Boston Herald.

Chicago is excited over the low level of Lake Michigan. They should cheer up. The lake is only shrinking from the Chicago river as it liquefies and starts lakeward. Any self respecting lake would do the same thing.—Omaha World-Herald.

RAILROAD TIES.

New York's "L" roads have 5,520 employees.

Great Britain's bill for coal used on railroad locomotives in the last half of 1897 was $7,633,270.

The Chinese railway system, it is said, is made up of two lines aggregating 293 miles in length.

At Asheville, N. C., street car headlights are carried on the roof. Smoking is permitted in any car until a woman objects.

The rules posted in the office of one of the elevated railroad stations in Chicago say that the girl cashiers shall not "read, sew, flirt, gossip or comb their hair" while on duty.

OHIO.

Ohio wants its name bestowed on a battleship. As though 'twere not honor enough to Ohio that it supply presidents and generals!—Utica Herald.

Until Ohio formally renounces all claim to the right to name one of her sons for the presidency the honor of having a battleship named Ohio must not be hers.—New York Sun.

A Fashion Item.



The Forger (to his country friend)—My position under the government has naturally made me very particular in the matter of dress. I wear stripes all the time now, having lost my fondness for checks, and the other being the only style in vogue here.—Scribner's.

So Reminiscent.



Young Composer—And what did you think of my new operetta, professor?

The Professor—I was surprised, I can tell you. So young a man and yet such old melodies!—Fliegende Blatter.

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10-gallon Keg Best Porto Rico Molasses (no charge for keg), $4.50.
10-gallon keg Good Molasses, $2.75.
10 gallons Best Cider Vinegar, including keg, $2.00.
25 lbs. Laundry Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Corn Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, $1.00.
12 Cans Tomatoes, $1.00.
20 quarts Best Pea Beans, $1.00.
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A TRAVELING MAN

Gives Some Valuable Hints Regarding the Care of the Health While Traveling.

Mr. R. W. Wincherdon, a comercial traveler from Birmingham, whose business keeps him almost constantly on the road, relates in the Sunday News the dangers to health resulting from constant change of residence and the way he overcame the usual injurious effects.

He says: One thing people traveling cannot very well avoid is the constant change in water and food: the stomach never has an opportunity to become accustomed to anything and in a few years or much sooner the average traveling man becomes a hopeless dyspeptic.

For several years I suffered more or less from indigestion, sour stomachs, headaches, distaste for food, often no appetite, gas in the stomach and the usual unpleasant effects of imperfect digestion.

Nearly every traveling man has his favorite remedy for different troubles and I tried all of hem with indifferent results. Finally on the train between Pittsburg an Phildelphia one day, I overheard a conversation between two ladies, one of whom had suffered severely from indigestion and stated she had been completely cured by a remedy which she called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; I remembered the conersation because it directly interested me and at the next town I inquired at the first drug store and bought a package for fifty cents, and from that day to this I have never been without them. They are pleasant tasting tablets not a secret patent medicine but composed of vegetable essences pure pepsin, fruit salts and Golden Seal; being in tablet form they never lose their good qualities like a liquid medicine would, but are always fresh and ready for use.

I carry a box in my pocket continually, and whenever I see any symptoms of indigestion I take one, also one after each meal, and for a year and a half I have not lost a day by reason of poor health and can eat anything and relish what I eat; my digestion is absolutely perfect as far as I can judge from my feelings and although there may be other stomach medicines just as good as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, I do not know what they are. Certainly for people who travel they are far ahead of any liquid medicine, as they are so convenient, they can be carried in the pocket and used whenever needed.

I believe they are sold by all druggists at 50 cents, and believe anyone who will try them will agree with me that for indigestion and stomach trouble Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are unequalled. 3t-18-20-22

TODAY'S COURT.

George W. Vining was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until May 4.

James H. Shields was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Antonio Naclenio was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy. Case continued until April 21.

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TELEGRAPHIC,

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

MAY ANSWER WITH SHOT AND SHELL.

Departure of the Spanish Fleet From Cape Verde.

Believed to Be Hastening Across Ocean.

Warships to Be Sent Out to Ascertain Their Movements.

Stern Reality of a Conflict to be Faced by the President—Fleet to Move Toward Havana Saturday, Preceding Vessels Loaded With Necessaries for the Victims of Weylerism. Enthusiasm for the Queen Regent and Juvenile King—Address From the Throne.

Washington, April 21.—Spain's answer to President McKinley's ultimatum may take the form of shot and shell. Her formidable fleet, which has been mobilizing at the Cape Verde islands for some days past, sailed yesterday from that point for an unknown destination.

This information was received last night by the attaches of the late legation of Spain who have remained in this city. It is the expectation of administration officials that Minister Woodford will learn of the sailing of the fleet, and will cable this government of its departure and perhaps its destination. So important is this information that there is reason to believe that the navy department will put every bit of machinery in motion that it is possible to start to ascertain the whereabouts of the fleet.

It is conceded to be highly probable that the fleet will hasten across the ocean to Porto Rico and Cuba, to prevent by force the ousting from the island of the naval and military forces of the Spanish government now there. On the other hand it is possible that the ships have gone to the Canary islands, but this is now considered improbable in view of the fact, officially reported, that the vessels had been coaling for several days, before their departure, and that their bunkers are filled to overflowing with fuel.

As a result of information which the Spanish attaches have received, the officials are confident that the Pelayo, which was officially reported to have sailed from Cadiz on last Sunday, joined the fleet before its departure, and sailed with it; and that, furthermore, arrangements have been made for the re-enforcement of the squadron by the armored cruiser Carlos V.

In order to ascertain the whereabouts of the Spanish vessels, it is probable that swift men-of-war will be sent to eastern waters. As soon as they sight the enemy it will be their duty to return and inform the government of what they have seen, when Commodore Schley's force and Captain Sampson's fleet will be gathered to administer a crushing blow to the enemy.

If the Spanish ships should come to Cuban or Porto Rican waters, as now seems probable, they will be met by a fleet which will undoubtedly be amply able to destroy them. It is admitted that these vessels may not go to Cuba or Porto Rico, but may make a counter demonstration against New York or one of the northern ports, in which event it would be necessary to draw the ships away from the gulf in order to give them battle.

The president now realizes fully that he is face to face with the inevitable, and those who saw him yesterday noticed that he seemed less careworn and anxious than for weeks. He is no longer tortured with the thought that upon him alone depends the issue of peace or war, for congress has taken from his shoulders all responsibility of this kind, and from this moment forward he is called upon to carry out the people's will as declared by their representatives.

He knows that Spain will not yield to our demands without at least a show of force, and he is prepared to make a display without delay. On Saturday the fleet at Key West will move toward Havana, and in its pathway will follow vessels loaded with supplies for the starving thousands in Cuba. Havana will be blockaded, and perhaps other Cuban ports, and it is hardly conceivable that this should be done without the firing of a single shot. The sailing of the fleet will be an act of war. There is no idea of bombarding Havana; if it was ever entertained it has been abandoned.

When Mr. McKinley affixed his signature yesterday to the resolution he cabled the ultimatum at once to Minister Woodford for immediate presentation at the Spanish court, and simultaneously he sent a copy of the ultimatum to Minister Bernabe for the latter's information. As soon as that functionary received his copy he cabled to Madrid and posted to the state department to ask for his passports. They were given him on the spot, but he was too late to prevent the formal serving of notice on his home government through regular channels. This little diplomatic by-play may not be of the utmost importance, overshadowed as it must be by the momentous happenings of the day, but it is a bit of color in a sombre canvas, illustrating the Spanish subtlety with which the administration has had to cope.

The minister and nearly all of the other members of the Spanish legation, with their belongings, left Washington for Montreal last evening. Every precaution was taken to make sure that no indignities should be shown him, and perhaps in view of the unfortunate incidents of the last few days this was just as well.

The policy to be followed by this government in the treatment of neutrals and in regard to privateering is contained in the following statement: In the event of hostilities between the United States and Spain, it will be the policy of this government not to resort to privateering. The government will adhere to the following rules:

First, a neutral flag covers an enemy's goods with the exception of contraband of war.

Second, neutral goods not contraband of war are not liable to confiscation under an enemy's flag.

Third, blockades in order to be binding must be effective.

This doctrine is undoubtedly laid down to meet the various inquiries received by the diplomatic representatives of the United States from foreign governments as to the attitude assumed by the United States. It is substantially in line with the rules practiced in the Chinese-Japanese war, placing the United States in a most advanced position so far as the protection of individual property and neutral goods at sea is concerned. By it Spanish goods are made free from seizure on the seas in the bottoms of a neutral power. This decision on the part of our government will doubtless be welcomed in Europe.

The object of most concern at the war department was the calling out of volunteers. This turns out to be a much more complicated question than was at first supposed, and the officials in desperation are looking to congress for immediate relief in this extremity. There are all sorts of ambiguities and conflicts in the existing laws, which, it is said, consist of nothing more than a lot of patchwork dating from the beginning of the republic. It is recalled that even President Lincoln was obliged to call upon congress to validate the calls he had been forced to issue for troops, and no successful effort has been made since that day to provide adequate machinery whereby the government might avail itself in an emergency of the vast resources of the United States in the way of troops. One of the difficulties that confronted the officials, when it was supposed that the way had been cleared in a certain measure for the use of the national guard as United States volunteer troops, was a conflict between sections 1106 and 1645, revised statutes. It was the purpose of the department, in deference to the wishes of the national guardsmen, to allow them to preserve their own organizations in the event that they are called into the national service, but the national guard regiments are all organized on the three battalion basis, and each infantry regiment consists of 12 companies, with majors, battalion adjutants, etc. The regular army organization provides for one major, a very much reduced staff of officers and 10 companies. It is manifestly improper, therefore, to muster the national guardsmen to the army with their present organization, and it is believed to be inexpedient to attempt to reorganize the guard on so short notice.

POLITICAL BICKERING.

Senators Advised by Mr. Thurston to Do Campaigning on the Hustings.

Washington, April 21.—In the senate yesterday Mr. Teller, speaking upon the Cuban question, said that he had no desire unduly to criticise the president or the administration. He had felt from the beginning there should be a unanimity of action on the part of all parties in congress if there was to be a war—a war which he thought might have been averted if the preceding administration and even the present one had acted properly its part in the diplomatic negotiations. Coming down to the speech of Mr. Hale last Saturday night,, he said that it was the first time in his long experience in the senate that he had heard congress threatened with an executive veto, or had heard the senate threatened with a deadlock with the house of representatives. He did not believe that the president had ever authorized any man to say that he would veto resolutions sent to him by congress. Mr. Teller maintained that even today there was no necessity for intervention by the United States. Should we recognize Cuban independence and give the patriots our moral support, he had no doubt they would be able to sustain themselves and gain their freedom.

Mr. Foraker called attention to statements made in the senate two years ago by the present secretary of state, Mr. Sherman, to the effect that the Cuban republic had an established form of gov-

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Jury In the Bram Case Upheld the Prosecution.

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Prisoner to Be Spared the Ignominy of a Felon's Death.

Boston, April 21.—For a second time a verdict of guilty has been awarded against Thomas Mead Bram for the murder of Captain Charles I. Nash of the barkentine, Herbert Fuller, on the high seas, during the night of July 13, 1896. The verdict this time, rendered by a jury shortly after 10 o'clock last night, carried with it the additional words, "without capital punishment," under a law enacted since the first trial. The verdict of "guilty without capital punishment" was somewhat of a surprise to those who had assembled in the courtroom when the jury was ushered in.

The last day of the trial began with the charge to the jury by Judge Colt. Instruction was given on the law of evidence, and the court added that should the jury require it, further instruction would be given. The jury then retired, and for several hours no word was received. Then came a conference between the court and counsel, when it was decided that the recess of the court would continue until 10 o'clock at night, at which time the jurors would be asked if they had reached a verdict.

When the session was resumed a messenger who was sent to the jury room returned with the reply that a verdict had been reached. The jurors were ushered to their places, having been out 10 hours and 50 minutes. The defendant rose as his name was called by the clerk. He leaned forward in the dock, and did not for a moment remove his gaze from the 12 men who were about to speak the word that meant so much to him.

As he heard the verdict and knew that once more his hopes of freedom were shattered his face was turned upward and his lips moved as though in prayer. He sank into his seat, covered his face with his hands, and wept.

Judge Colt advised the jurors to have nothing whatever to say to representatives of the press as to what transpired in the jury room. They were at liberty to do so if they wished, but the court considered that it would be most injudicial. He thanked them in behalf of the United States for the service they had rendered and told them they were at liberty.

It is understood that a majority of the jurors were for conviction without qualification, but three were for acquittal, and a compromise was effected at the last moment. Fourteen ballots were taken, and it is said that the 13th ballot stood 9 to 3 in favor of conviction with capital punishment.

The tragedy for which Bram is once again convicted was part of one of the most terrible ever committed on the high seas. Captain Nash, his wife and Second Mate Bomberg were the victims. It was for the murder of the first named that the indictment was drawn. After his first conviction Bram's counsel, on appeals and points of law, carried the case to the full bench of the supreme court of the United States and secured a new trial. The date of Bram's execution had been set for June, 1897, but the sentence was invalid, owing to the appeal being yet undecided. The second trial commenced March 14 and has continued for more than five weeks, or twice as long as the former one. Considerable difficulty was experienced in selecting a jury, owing to the extent to which the report of the previous trial had been read, and nearly 200 talesmen were examined before a complete panel was secured. The only direct evidence in the case was that given by Charles Brown, the sailor who was before the grand jury at the time Bram was indicted and was discharged. He testified that while standing at the wheel and looking through the chart room window he saw Bram strike the captain with some weapon resembling an axe. Counsel for the defense apparently considered the evidence of this man the most serious, and made every effort to overthrow it. The case was fought inch by inch from beginning to end, and many narrow points of law were raised and sharply argued as piece by piece the circumstantial evidence was offered. Counsel on both sides occupied a full day each with the closing argument, and the charge by the court consumed 50 minutes.

Engineer Was Killed.

Los Angeles, April 21.—A Santa Fe train was held up by two robbers at the Mojave river bridge, two miles west of Oro Grande, in San Bernardino county, Wednesday. Engineer Gifford was killed by one of the robbers, after he had mortally wounded Paul Jones, one of the bandits.

The robbers flagged the train at the approach to the bridge and boarded the engine, took the engineer and fireman back to the express car and endeavored to detach it from the passenger coach, but could not. They cut off the mail car and compelled the engineer to pull it to the siding. Here they rifled the mail car and secured the registered mail. They then backed down to the train again and were proceeding to the express car when Gifford opened fire.

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Thursday	60	48	53
Friday	—	42	68
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New Advertisements Today.

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Good Afternoon.

Some have received the impression that the school appropriation and other departments of 1897 have been "cut" this year. But it is rather the estimates which have been reduced and in the gross the appropriations are larger than in 1897. Last year there was appropriated for the schools $93,500; this year the amount now stands at $95,000, although the estimate was over $98,000. The order of 1897 called for the following totals:

Current expenses,	$234,895.00
Debt and interest,	116,231.21
Water department,	43,124.94
Grand total,	$394,251.15

The items of the 1898 order as reported are:

Current expenses,	$245,165.00
Debt and interest,	121,873.30
Water department,	44,805.00
Sewer department,	5,500.00
	$417,343.30

It will be seen that the grand total of this year now stands $23,092.15 more than in 1897. The extra item of $5,500 for sewer department is already in the treasury, so that $17,592.15 additional for city purposes must be raised. Possibly the increase in valuation may meet this, but it is doubtful. Much of a reduction in the tax rate cannot be ex ected this year.

The bill providing for the appointment of a jastice of the peace to issue warrants and take bail in Quiny was passed to be engrossed in the House Wednesday, after some opposition. The fate would have been different but for the explanation of Representative Thompson. Some perfecting amendments are possible.

The passage of the liquor license bill limiting the number of licenses in Boston to one for every 1000 population might have made Boston a free-rum city in 1899. The proposed bill to place the limit at 1000 instead of 500 was reconsidered in the House Wednesday, and an amendment adopted providing for 800 licenses.

As the population of 1895 was 496,929 it will be seen that 800 is a reduction and a gain for temperance. Representative Newcomb as chairman of the House Committee on Liquor Laws has done good work for the bill and spoke in favor. Both Represenatives Newcomb and Thompson voted for its passage the vote on roll call being 159 yeas, 79 nays.

The Bostons hve only won fifty per cent. of their games, while the Baltimores have not lost a game. The Bostons should get out of the second division.

The large force at the Ledger office yesterday was not sufficient to put into type all the news prepared for publication, and had there been, the eight pages would not have held it. As it was, two editions were printed and every copy sold.

"The only hope of relief and repose from a condition which can no longer be endured, is the enforced pacification of Cuba. In the name of humanity, in the name of civilization, in behalf of injured American interests which give us the right and duty to speak and act, the war in Cuba must stop." From President McKinley's message, April 11, 1898.

Sir John Herschel proved that an icicle 45 miles in diameter and 200,000 miles long would melt in one minute should it fall into the sun.

ENLISTING NOW.

Capt. Kincaide Ordered to Recruit More Members.

Co. K Will Respond to Call With 100 Men.

The Present Officers and Members of the Company.

It looks as though the governm nt meant business, for Capt. Kincaide of Co. K has received orders to recruit his company up to one hundred men. The present company numbers sixty men and this morning the enlistment, was commenced for the additional members.

Capt. Kincaide has already issued circulars which read as follows:

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The present officers and members of Co. K are:

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Second Lieutenant, Charles F. Spear.
First Sergeant, Maurice A. Colbert.
Sergeant, John R. McGrath.
Sergeant, Joseph F. Moham.
Sergeant, Thompson B. Crane.
Sergeant, Herbert F. Barrett.
Corporal, George F. Phillips.
Corporal, William J. Leslie.
Corporal, John S. Odom.
Corporal, Theodore H. Hermanson.
Corporal, Henry J. Matthews.
Corporal, George E. Adams.
Musician, P. E. Quill.
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Thomas C Brown,
Harry L. Berry,
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MILTON.

Mr. Barnabus T. Sakai of Noya, Japan, will preach Sunday evening at the Episcopal Mission church at Ellsworth hall, at 7.30. All are invited to be present.

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ART EXHIBITION.

Youths' Companion Drawings at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

The Art exhibition of original drawings at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association opened Wednesday afternoon and will continue during the hours from 3 to 9.30 until Friday night. The exhibition is in charge of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. Theophilus King being chairman of the committee.

It is without doubt the best exhibition of the kind ever given in Quincy and is a feast for lovers of art. The collection numbers some ninety original drawings made for the Youth's Companion, and were used as copies of illustration for that magazine. The pictures are in oil, pen and ink and lead pencil, and among the well known artists are F. T. Merrill, W. L. Taylor, F. J. Boston, C. Copland, Alice P. Stephens, Clifford Carleton, C. M. Relyea, H. Burgess, W. T. Smedley and C. S. Reinhart. The total value of the pictures shown is about $2000.

Young men were present to explain the pictures and the circumstances under which they were drawn, and it proved to be very interesting.

Wednesday evening was the clergy and press night, and during the evening at intervals there were vocal solos by Mr. Lester Gardner, piano solos by Mr. C. C. Bradford and mandolin solos.

This evening will be Ladies' Auxiliary night and the ladies will serve tea free of charge. Pupils of the public schools are admitted at special rate.

High School Debate.

At the weekly meeting of the Q. H. S. D. S. the open debate of last week on the proposed annexation of Quincy to Boston was concluded by the following speakers: Mr. Lewis, '98, Mr. Field, '98, Mr. Pendis, '98, Miss Ward, '98, and Miss Mitchell, '99.

The board of decision after a brief deliberation decided against annexation. Miss Comins, as critic, made comments on the pronunciation and position of speakers.

The monthly election was then held, these nominations being made and those with an asterisk elected:

President, —*Miss Ward '98; Mr. Field, '98.

Vice-President,—Miss Brown, '98; *Miss Osborne, '98.

Treasurer, — Mr. Thayer, *Mr. Pendis.

Secretary,—*Mr. Thomas, '99; Mr. Hewiston, '98.

A new and interesting feature of the election was the plan of nomination speeches in favor of the nominees.

The entertainment included four numbers:

Piano solo, Miss Dunbar, 1900.
Declamation, Mr. Swift, '99.
Essay, "Chaucer," Miss Gordon, '98.
Declamation, Miss Mitchell, '99.

The new debate "Resolved, That the New Woman is an Improvement on the Woman of Former Times," was then begun.

Affirmative speakers,—Misses Martin, Osborne, and Park, of '98.

Negative speakers,—Misses Powers, Sweeney, and Ward, of '98.

Adjourned.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The Committee on Ordinances of the City Council will meet Friday evening.

The Board of Health met Tuesday evening to consider charges presented against the Inspector of Plumbing. A hearing will be held shortly.

TODAY'S COURT.

George Martin and Thomas A. McPherson were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Antonio Macienio was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy. He entered a plea of nolo-contendere and was given until April 21 to pay a fine of $50.

The continued case of Francis A. Maguire for violating the smelt law at Weymouth was called and again continued until Saturday.

The case of Patrick Hanniford of Weymouth for violation of the smelt law was continued until April 30.

Francis Gilligan, William H. Welch, Herbert Phillips, Frederick Phillips and Robert Gilligan were arraigned for wilful trespass at Weymouth. Case continued until next Thursday.

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SOULE—DEWSNAP—In Quincy, April 20, by Rev. Preston Gurney, Mr. George H. S. Soule to Miss Minnie E. Dewsnap, both of Boston.

A FEW POINTERS.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists; ask for a free sample today.

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You Remember Him

Don't you? The old time end man in the old time minstrels who made up with oval black face, big eyes, big mouth, red collar as high as the tariff on tobacco, black coat and striped pants, with a joke painted on a sole, who gave two taps on his bones as he sat down, rolled his eyes so the whites would show, opened his mouth till it looked as wide as the Atlantic ocean and then remarked: "Jest kum in on de railroad; jest kum in, get so tired travelin', so many trains, tires a man so to get off de track and let de trains go by. Yah! Yah! Yah!" Your father might have seen that same man and your grandfather before him, and it is safe to say they both heard the same old gag as you did. Where's the old time minstrel now? One old happy lal is on a farm down East; another is building a town out West. A few are with Primrose and West and the others are all selling Clothing in Quincy. You didn't know it? Go into any store in town and just mention that you can buy something at the new store for less than they want for it. You will hear the same old gag: "They don't keep anything decent." "They're a cheap store." "They haven't such goods as we." And when you come to think it over, it's funny. They're about the only store in town who has a buyer in constant touch with all the markets, who has a fresh, new stock; and as for being a CHEAP STORE, we're proud of the reputation we have gained in four weeks what some stores couldn't gain in a life time. We're proud to know we have fitted men to Suits who never bought a suit in Quincy before. We want to show you some Swell Suits at $6.50 to $12 00.

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Boston Association.

The good intention of many Universalists in this vicinity to be present at the meeting of the Boston Association to be held here yesterday was doubtless chilled by the unpropitious weather of the morning but notwithstanding the lowering clouds and the rumors of war, a good many of the faithful gathered at the appointed time and both afternoon and evening sessions were well attended and the services were deeply interesting.

At 3.30 Rev. T. E. Potterton, the President of the Association called the meeting to order and devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hoscoe of Rochester, Vt. As a response to prayer, Dr. Garey sang a solo in a very acceptable manner. The welcome of the society to visiting friends was extended by the pastor, whose greeting was cordial and hearty.

Two phases of "The Four Square Life," the physical and intellectual, were then discussed in a vivid and eloquent manner by the speakers allotted to that task.

Dr. D. M. Hodge, of Franklin, took up the physical side of life and considered it in relation to religion, claiming that the body as the servant of the soul should be religiously cared for and perfected to the utmost.

In this age of the world new emphasis is being placed on physical conditions because of their intimate relationship to the higher nature and needs of mankind. He did not recognize the pyschology which divides man, like ships, into different compartments, yet in accommodation to popular conception, we may treat the physical side as distinct and independent. He deprecated the old religious idea that the body was evil and was to be abased, and insisted that in modern thought the body is as divine as the soul. It was a strong and telling address and was delivered with both grace and earnestness of manner.

The theme of the intellectual side of man was well developed, in the second address by Rev. S. G. Dunham of Wakefield, who is a young man of considerable oratorical power. Intelligence, he said, is the great interpreter of the universe. There was no beauty in the flowers, no grandeur in the heavens, to the beast. The path of human progress, through intellectual development, from the beginning till now, was pictured out in graphic language.

Between these two notable addresses, the congregation had the pleasure of listening to a solo by Mrs. Ward, wife of the Hingham pastor.

Supper was served in the vestry at 6, and about 100 sat down to the bountiful and attractive tables spread by the Ladies' Aid for the occasion.

In the evening a powerful address, on the social side was given by Rev. J. F. Albion, of Malden. Mr. Albion is a popular speaker, and with his favorable presence and direct address wins from the start. His talk was bright, keen, and may be characterized as enjoyable throughout. He dwelt upon the heart-prayer of people for social intercourse, and how it drew men together; and spoke earnestly of the importance of cultivating the large social element in the church.

The last speaker, Rev. J. F. Thompson of Plymouth, who was hastily called to take the place of Rev. Mr. Walkley, who had been called away by urgent business, enlarged upon the religious side of man's nature, and the subject was handled with admirable clearness and perception, leaving an excellent impression upon the hearers.

Then followed a solo by Mr. Cassidy of Atlantic.

At the close of these addresses, Mr. H. F. Nye sang a beautiful song and with a verse of a familiar hymn this profitable session of the Boston Association came to a end.

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Jan. 13. 1p tf

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100 patterns of all wool $10.00 Suits, Scotch effects, Serges, etc., made this season, **$5.50**

Just received from our own workshops, 1,000 Suits in medium weight Blue Serges, fine Worsted Checks and Plaids, a genuine $15 for **$8.00**

If you want a high grade Dress Suit in either black or the new effects, in pin checks, and small plaids, see what other stores are asking $20 and $25 for, and then come aboard the Pioneer and get one for **$12.00**

All wool $10.00 Covert Cloth Overcoats, with or without strap seams and patch pockets, **$5.50**

Elegant $12.00 and $15.00 Spring Top Coats and English Box Coats, **$7.50**

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I have also a line of White, Adlake and a variety of second-hand wheels of all make and prices.
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Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.
H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.
April 12. 12t

Did you know that . .
MACKEDON,
THE TAILOR,
Is doing a big business just on account of his good work and moderate prices. His
$25.00
English Clay Diagonal Suit
can't be duplicated in Boston.
SUITS FROM $18 UPWARDS.
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112 Hancock Street.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A revolt is feared among the natives in Jamaica and a mutiny is expected among the West Indies soldiers.

Mary E. Pierce of Manville, Mass., was fatally burned while trying to light a fire in her stove with kerosene.

A soldier named Wheeler, en route from Fort Riley, Kas., fell from a train at Knobstor, Mo., and was killed.

Alfred Willar of Naugatuck, Conn., aged about 25, was instantly killed by a train.

The peace negotiations between Nicaragua and Costa Rica have failed. War is probable. The two armies are facing each other near the frontier, scarcely half a mile apart.

The Springfield city council last evening passed an order which provides that all city employes who may enter the war service of the state or government shall receive full pay during absence.

The Emmet guards of Lynn, an Irish national military organization, have offered their services to the government for duty. The company consists of 65 men, uniformed, armed and well drilled.

General Robert A. Blood, surgeon general of the Massachusetts volunteer militia, has issued an order to brigade commanders to have the men in their respective commands officially examined at the earliest possible moment.

Captain Sigsbee was given an impromptu reception at one of the Philadelphia theatres where he occupied a box. When his presence was discovered the entire audience arose and cheered the Maine's commander for fully 15 minutes.

The 16th annual encampment of the New Hampshire division, Sons of Veterans, convened in Tilton for a two days' session. The annual parade of the division was made this forenoon, followed by the closing session of the encampment.

Governor Culberson of Texas has ordered the entire ranger force on the Mexican frontier to repel any invasion from that country that Spanish sympathizers may make. Orders were issued to recruit every company to double its present strength.

The collections of internal revenue during March amounted to $13,249,506, an increase as compared with March, 1897, of $1,192,727. For the last nine months the receipts aggregated $123,734,132, an increase of $12,759,379 over the same period last year.

The contract for supplying the post-office department with envelopes for four years has been given to the Purcell company of Holyoke, Mass. The company's bid was $467,206 per year. It is estimated that the government will pay $1,090,000 less than formerly.

Chief Engineer Baird, who is examining recruits at the Washington navy yard, reports that a very large portion of the applications for enlistment are of British birth—English, Scottish and Irish, which he regards as significant of the sympathy of that people with the United States in its attitude towards Cuba.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists.

"FOR THY STOMACH'S SAKE."

CLARK,
THE CATERER,
Is ready at any time from 5 A. M. till 12 P. M. to administer to the wants of the "Inner man," at his new restaurant,
94 Hancock Street.
Private Room for Ladies.

Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.
Quincy, March 30. 1m

LATEST.
3 o'clock.

SPAIN FOR WAR.

Our Minister Forced to Take Passports.

Before He Could Present President Ultimatum.

Washington, April 21—News from Madrid states that our Spanish Minister, Mr. Woodford was forced to take his passports this morning before he could present the ultimatum of President McKinley to the Spanish government.

Upon receipt of this intelligence President McKinley immediately summoned several senators and discussed the situation. The President urged that the Senate pass the Volunteer bill which went through the House yesterday authorizing a call of 80,000 men.

POSSIBLY TODAY.

The action of Spain was regarded as a declaration of war. Washington, April 21. The Senate committee held a special session and agreed to report favorably on the Volunteer bill which passed the House. It is expected that the Senate will pass the bill this afternoon, and the President may issue immediately a call for volunteers. The cabinet is now in session.

MADRID BELLICOSE.

Madrid, April 21—A bellicose feeling exists here and war is regarded as certain.

HAVANA EXCITED.

Havana, April 21 — Excitement is rampart, and preparations for war are going on.

HAS NOT SAILED.

London, April 21—The report that the Spanish flotilla had sailed from Cape Verde islands is denied.

At-Home Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siders Blanchard held their first at-home reception Wednesday at their residence on Edison street. The house was profusely decorated with palms and Easter lilies. The bride received in a pink chiffon over a pink silk and looked charming. They were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blanchard, parents of the groom. In the afternoon the bride was assisted by Miss Grace A. Blanchard and Miss Jessie M. Allen of Providence, who presided in the dining room and poured chocolate. It was a delightful gathering, friends being present from Weymouth, North and East Weymouth, Braintree, Boston, Taunton, Dorchester, New York, Philadelphia and Quincy. The ushers were Mr. Charles W. Blanchard, Mr. T. Ray Blanchard and Mr. E. V. Hardwick. Hicks of Boston catered during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard were the recipients of many beautiful presents.

The Woman Of the Home

Does the purchasing for the family. She reads the local paper religiously. Many in Quincy read only the Patriot, which has been a weekly visitor to heir house for upwards of fifty years.

EASTER OPENING
— OF —
Spring Hats and Bonnets,
April 6th and 7th.
C. L. BLISS,
186 Hancock Street, - Quincy.
All cordially invited. NO CARDS.
March 29. 3m lp

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Thomas E. Davidson of Co. K has joined the navy as a machinist.

W. F. Prescott of Haverhill is the new clerk of the Quincy Beef Co.

The Wollaston Unitarians had a very enjoyable supper Wednesday evening.

Contractor McKnight has nearly completed the Bigelow street section of the sewer.

John Farrell, one of the West Quincy letter carriers, is confined to his home with the grip.

On Saturday the John Hancocks defeated the Washingtons 31 to 16 in the School base ball league.

Judge Humphrey, Clerk Churchill and Court Officer Burns are all at Dedham today as witnesses.

The Quincy avenue line of the Quincy & Boston street railway is advancing toward Quincy rapidly

Charles H. Penniman is to move to Whitwell street next week into the new house recently purchased by him.

The Board of Health will give a hearing to Inspector of Plumbing Keniley next Tuesday evening at City hall.

Weymouth officers are after the fellows who are catching smelts in violation of the law, and two have thus far fallen into their net.

George H. Brown & Co. have sold to Mrs. Irene Ward for T. M. Chisholm, the estate at the corner of Whitwell street and Roselin avenue.

During the sickness of Mr. James S. Whiting Wollaston people are requested to send news direct to the Ledger office. Mr. Whiting is a beauty now, with quite a severe attack of the measles.

At last the new fire alarm box so much needed at Quincy Neck at the corner of Howard street and Quincy avenue is to be put up. There are about thirteen dwelling houses, also Rogers Bros. ice house to be protected by this box. Now will a new hydrant be placed at this corner?

The Boston Presbytery at its session in Boston Wednesday, elected Rev. R. W. Peach of this city one of the three alternate delegates to the General Assembly to be held in Wynova, Ind., May 20. James Joss of this city was also elected by the elders as one of the three alternates to the same assembly.

Mrs. William Gassett and Miss Gassett of Faxon road, Atlantic, gave a charming tea last Saturday in honor of their guest, Miss Bacon of Hartford, Conn. The decorations were in pink and the table was presided over by Mrs. Ralph Hobbs and Mrs. Walter Hill, assisted by Miss Alice Coe and Miss Lillian Waterhouse, while in the adjoining room a delicious fruit punch was served by Mrs. Frank Blanchard. A large number of the society buds of Quincy were present and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very much.

The many friends of Mr. Walter E. Hall in Atlantic, will be pained to learn of his very sudden death last Sunday morning. He had an attack of the much dreaded gripp and was thought to be on the mend, but an unlooked for change took place and he passed away very suddenly. He sang in the choir of the Memorial church for a long time and his rich bass voice will be remembered by all who worship there. He was a general favorite in musical circles, a member of the Metropolitan Wheelman club and a most genial man to meet. He leaves a host of friends to mourn his loss.

—Some over-cautious property holders are taking their valuables from safety deposit vaults in Boston and placing them with security companies in Worcester and other inland cities because of the war scare.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Martin W. Froland to Richard D. Chase, dated May 15, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 736, page 37, for breach of the condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold by public auction on the premises in that part of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, called Montclair, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on FRIDAY, the 13th day of May, A. D., 1898, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows, viz:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called Montclair, and comprising the lot numbered thirty-one (31) as shown on the plan dated March 16, 1892, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 664. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly on lot thirty (30), ninety (90) feet; easterly on land of owners unknown fifty (50) feet; southerly on lot thirty-two (32), ninety (90) feet; westerly on Montclair avenue, fifty (50) feet and containing 4,500 square feet of land. Being the same premises conveyed to me by Francis B. McNamara, deed dated March 27th, 1895, and to be recorded herewith. This conveyance is made subject to certain restrictions, as referred to in said deed."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid or outstanding taxes, assessments or tax sales, if any such there be.

Terms: Fifty Dollars to be paid at time and place of sale, other terms at time of sale.

GEORGE D. HAYWARD,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.
April 21, 1898. 3t—21-28-5

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marked **Cottolene,** contains the shortening that makes everything else in the market basket more fit for food. It is the sign of a healthy household, where lard has been thrown aside; wherein thrift and good living and freedom from dyspepsia result from the use

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WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Kokakola had large audiences both nights. The cast was very creditably taken and all deserve the credit which their efforts attained. The parts taken by the principals were especially fine. The production was under the direction of Mr. James Gilbert of Boston, assisted by the composer, Mr. A. M. Raymond, and the librettist, Messrs. W. C. Mason and W. F. Winson. Special scenery had been prepared for the staging of this piece by O. L. Story and others.

The Pilgrim Fathers held a specia meeting at G. A. R. hall, East Weymouth, Wednesday evening which was of especial importance. Visitors were present from lodges of other surrounding towns.

Unity Club Programme.

The last meeting of the Unity club for this season, with the exception of the banquet, will be held on Friday of this week at 8 P. M. Mrs. James E. Bagely director.

The programme includes: paper on "Position of women and home life in Germany" by Mr. Chas. Finch.

"Religion in Germany, past and present by "Rev. James E. Bagley.

The author, "Ebers and his novels." by Mrs. George G. Saville of Quincy.

Sketch of life of Franz," the composer of the evening, Miss Thayer.

Songs from Franz, by Mrs. Page, Miss Hayes, Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Bullock. Mrs. Chandler Smith, accompanist.

Loyal Ladies.

Daughters of John Adams Ladies Loyal Orange lodge held their annual meeting this week. The annual reports of the officers showed the lodge to have been doing a good work for the year.

After the business was completed, the members of Bay View, L. O. L., were admitted and Worthy Deputy Master A. D. Martin was conducted to a seat on the platform. Past Supreme Grand Mistress, Annie Ray of Boston, was present and installed the following officers:

W. M.,—Annie A. McKenzie.
D. M.,—Nellie Ramsey.
Chaplain,—Mary McLeod.
Secretary,—Annie McKenzie.
Financial Secretary,—Maggie Gillis.
Treasurer,—Belle Nicholson.
Conductor—Eunice Rowell.
2d Conductor,—Jessie McAloney.
Tyler,—Florrie Crabb.
Outside Tyler,—Mary Snow.
Trustees,—Lizzie Stewart, Florrie McLeod, Christina McPhee.
Advisory Board,—W. F. McCalder, M. A. Campbell, J. D. McKenzie.

The installation was conducted in a creditable manner by Sister Ray, assisted by Sadie Graham of Boston. Brief speeches were made by the installing officers and others.

There were present a large number of friends, among them were Miss Lizzie Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald, Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mrs. James Cummings, Mrs. D. Chalmers, Miss Mary McLeod, Miss Mary McPherson, Miss Katie McKenzie, Jennie McLeod, Mamie McDonald, Katie Gillis, Mary Giles, Jennie Levack, Mr. John Sutherland, Mr. John Lawry, Mr. E. Opie, Mr. D McKinnon, Mr. A. McLennen. At 9.30 all marched to the banquet hall where refreshments were served by a committee.

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POSITION WANTED—By a young man, as foreman with reliable carpenter and builder. Capable of designing floors, elevations, and details. Address H. E. B., Ledger office. apr21-6t

25 GIRLS WANTED—Immediately for housework in all branches, at City Employment office, 160 Hancock street, directly opposite Post Office, Quincy. C. M. LAPHAM. April 21. 3t

CLERK WANTED—Must be a good meat cutter and furnish references. Address "A. A.," Ledger office. apr18-6t

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply to
MRS. J. L. DRAKE,
No. 6 Saville street, Quincy.
April 18—tf

WANTED—A man or boy to take care of a lawn this summer. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. tf

WANTED—A retail agent to sell granite Address H. H., Ledger Office, Quincy. April 14. -6t—p-1w

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework in a family of two. Apply to F. H. CRANE, 42 Elm street.
Quincy April 15—6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y. March 5. 2m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Nice Sussex Trap in good condition; is stylish and pretty carriage for two or four, made by Tyler. Address MRS. G. E. PORTER, Weymouth, Mass. April 18,21 L. 2t-1w

TO LET.

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WE, the subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of Constructing and operating a Street, Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof. The name of the Corporation shall be BOSTON AND BROCKTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY. The proposed railway is to commence in the Town of Milton and County of Norfolk, on Adams street, at or near the Boston line at Milton Lower Mills, so called, and extend through said Milton, the City of Quincy and the Town of Randolph, all in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the terminus of the Brockton Street Railway Company, at West Corners, so called, in said Town of Randolph, its southerly terminus. Also to commence in said Town of Milton and said County of Norfolk, on Blue Hill avenue at or near the Boston line at Mattapan, so called, and extend through said Town of Milton to a point at or near the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company depot at East Milton, so called, its easterly terminus. Its length will be about 11 miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches as required by law. The Capital Stock of said Company shall be One Hundred and Ten Thousand dollars ($110,000).

The seven following named persons being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Milton, Quincy and Randolph, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.: Geo. J. Morse of Hyde Park, Mass.; Bradford Hamilton of Milton, Mass.; Alfred H. Crossman of Milton, Mass.; James H. Packard of Milton, Mass.; G. Arthur Hilton of Milton, Mass.; Fred W. Archer of Dorchester, Boston, Mass.; Jonathan B. L. Bartlett of Mattapan, Boston, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names. Witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1898:

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Bradford Hamilton,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred Fifty.
James A. Wiley,	Swamscott,	Swamscott,	One.
Alfred H. Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Lemuel Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	Five.
James H. Packard,	Milton,	Mattapan,	One.
Charles G. Chick,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
H. B. Humphrey,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
Philip A. Sullivan,	Boston,	45 Milk street,	One.
Jonathan B. L. Bartlett,	Mattapan, Boston,	85 Water St., Boston,	Fifty.
Janar B. Look,	Mattapan, Boston,	449 River street,	One.
G. Arthur Hilton,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Fred W. Archer,	Dorchester, Boston,	1181 Washington St., Dorchester.	One Hundred.
Thos. Johnson,	Dedham,	Dedham,	One Hundred.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	Thirty-four.
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ernment administered by officials of nigh standing, character and ability. He held therefore that if those statements were true two years ago their truth had been strongly accentuated since.

"I think it unfortunate," he added, "that we did not recognize the Cuban government, but it may not be as unfortunate as I imagine, for I think that quickly, speedily, possibly even now, on the very day when the ultimatum has been sent to Spain, pursuant to the resolution that passed here, this government has practically recognized the republic of Cuba. I think possibly it is true that we will all know by tomorrow that that government is today being officially dealt with by the official representatives of this government, as it should be."

Mr. Tillman asked Mr. Foraker if he had not positive information, to which the Ohio senator replied:

"I have positive information, but it is not official."

Mr. Thurston said that when the president signed the Cuban resolution sent to him by congress, the time for party discussion had ended. All but three senators had at one time or another voted for the resolution which was now a law, and he thought it the duty of senators to uphold the president and the country with equanimity. "The time will come on the hustings for discussion of the present phases of this question. Now until Cuba is made free; until her starving women and children are fed and clothed; until Spain has been driven from the western hemisphere forever, for God's sake let us cease this political bickering."

Mr. Allison then presented an amendment to the sundry civil bill appropriating and making immediately available $473,151 with which to pay to Great Britain the award for Bering sea claims by the joint convention of Feb. 29,1896. He had been urged, he said, to place the amendment on this bill by the foreign relations committee, instead of waiting for the general deficiency bill. The amendment was agreed to.

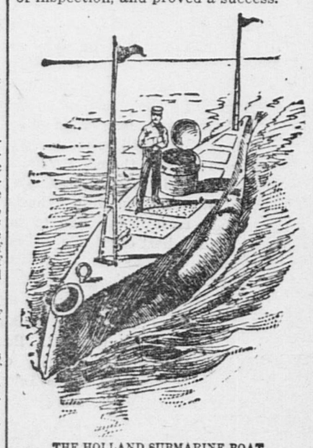
Popular Enthusiasm.

London, April 21.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "On few occasions has Madrid witnessed such scenes of popular enthusiasm as when the queen regent, accompanied by the king dressed in the uniform of the infantry cadets, with the insignia of the golden fleece, travelled in state, with all pomp that makes the Spanish court famous, from the palace to the senate hall. The distance is very short, not more than four minutes walk. When the royal carriage appeared at the gate of the palace the enthusiasm burst forth into long and interminable cheering, such as has not been heard in Spain since the day King Alphonso returned from Paris. The infantry, which lined the way to the senate, the cavalry and the mounted civil guards sent to preserve order had hard work to keep the crowd, frantic with enthusiasm, from approaching the royal carriage and escorting it. The queen regent appeared much moved, though she is usually of impassive demeanor. The king looked on the crowd with evident pleasure, and saluted every moment in military fashion. "Long live the queen," "Long live the king," and "Long live Spain" were the cries incessantly given.

The spirit of the crowds in the streets pervaded the halls of the senate, and when the doors were thrown wide open for the royal persons to enter, thousands of distinguished spectators who filled the galleries, deputies and senators rose to their feet and received the queen and king with thundering acclamations.

Test Was Successful.

New York, April 21.—The submarine boat, Holland, in the construction and perfection of which the inventor, John P. Holland, has spent the greater part of his life, was tested officially yesterday under the direction of a naval board of inspection, and proved a success.



THE HOLLAND SUBMARINE BOAT.

One of the lookouts spied the conning tower of the Holland about a mile and a half away at the end of 38 minutes, but this appearance of the craft was only momentary, for she disappeared again, and at the end of 58 minutes from the time she first went down she bobbed up about two miles away, and her whistle tooted joyfully. This was answered by the whistles of both tugs and the cheers of everyone aboard of them.

The aerial dummy projectile, weighing 80 pounds, and with a force of 600 pounds air pressure, was then sent a distance of 400 yards. The dummy torpedo weighing 820 pounds was quickly sent through the expulsion tube in the boat's stern about a distance of 30 yards and proved that her capabilities of destruction were all that could be wished. During the trial the boat went about 4 1-2 miles, but she is capable of a speed of six knots under water and seven on the surface. Her entire endurance qualifications are a distance of 800 miles on the surface of the water and 48 hours stay under water without her air pressure being renewed.

Spain Poorly Prepared.

London, April 21.—The Spanish preparations, so far as they can be judged at this distance, are by no means advanced to the condition which alone can give value to popular enthusiasm. The Spanish fleet is thousands of miles away from the scene of action, and can arrive in Cuban waters only after the first moves have been made by the United States. Unless Spain keeps command of the sea to such an extent as to be able to land provisions and munitions of war at Havana the game is lost so far as Cuba is concerned. As for the conduct of the war in general, the exact nature of which the Spaniards may vary to some extent by vigorous efforts, it does not seem that they enter upon it with such resources as patriots might desire.

Cubans Went Wild.

Key West, April 21.—The Cuban population went wild yesterday. A procession marched through the principal streets led by a band which played only American airs. The marchers carried torches and transparencies. Some of the latter read "Uncle Sam's boot kicked Weyler out," "Down with Spain" and "Long live the United States." There were other legends on the Spanish. The rear of the procession was brought up by the better class of Cuban residents in carriages. The parade serenaded Commandant Forsythe at his home fronting the harbor and then the Americans at the principal hotels. There were "Vivas" and cheers for Andrew Jackson, General Grant and President McKinley.

The Madrid Press.

Madrid, April 21.—The Herald says: "We can believe the vacillating McKinley, who has surrendered his presidential functions to noisy agitators, will hesitate to sign the fatal document which will plunge two countries into war; but Spain places her trust in her army and navy, and leaves the result with God." It praises Sagasta's speech as awakening the old national feeling that was apparently dead" and as "filled with noble sentiments." It constrasts the Spanish premier's conduct with "McKinley's playing to the gallery of speculators and jingoes."

The Epoch says: "President McKinley's conduct is blamable as a departure from the traditions of the United States, a practical abdication of his presidential functions and a violation of the American constitution. At last the veil is rent, disclosing that the American policy is not humanitarian, but selfish."

National Defense Board.

Washington, April 21.—Senator Proctor has prepared a bill creating a board of national defence, to be composed of the secretary of war and the secretary of the navy. The bill requires that as such a board they shall formulate plans of coast and harbor defense. Acting in this capacity, they are also to determine upon a uniform pattern and calibre of small arms for the use of the army and marine corps; to fix upon a uniform projectile and grooving for heavy guns of the same calibre "and in general to take such joint action as shall secure the greatest uniformity, efficiency and economy practicable in their respective departments." In case of differences the president is to decide between the secretaries.

Hopes Not Lost.

London, April 21.—The Rome correspondent of The Times says: "The vatican has not yet lost hope. There is a continual exchange of views between the papal secretary of state, Cardinal Rampolla, and the representatives of the powers. The pope, it is alleged, is making determined efforts to induce Spain to submit the question of Cuban independence to his arbitration. Archbishop Ireland, however, wires that there is little hope of peace."

Big Robbery Unearthed.

San Francisco, April 21.—Augustus C. Widber, treasurer of the city and county of San Francisco, is believed to have embezzled $160,000 of the municipal funds. The suspicion of other officials that something was amiss in the treasury department was aroused, and an investigation was begun which resulted in startling discoveries. The sealed bags of gold in the treasurer's vault had been surreptitiously opened. Care had been taken not to break the seals, but the strings had been deftly cut and gold extracted and silver inserted to leave the weight of the bags unchanged. The coin sacks were then fastened and the severed ends of the string concealed in the folds of the canvass bags.

A search was made for Treasurer Widberg, but he could not be found in the city. He was finally found at his ranch near Walnut Creek, 50 miles from San Francisco. Widberg, who is about 35 years old, succeeded his father as treasurer upon the latter's death soon after the last election.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 21.—Although the ultimatum itself is a reasonably short notice, as ultimatums usually are, The Post contends that it cannot be charged that the United States has proceeded in "this business with undue haste. For years we have tolerated Spanish misgovernment in Cuba, when we might well have put an end to it long ago on the ground of humanity and our own interests."

"If the historian of the future is to repeat the slanders upon their own country which have issued from a few of the newspapers and some of public speakers of these days," in the judgment of The Journal, "we can expect from our children only contempt and condemnation; but if they read history in the truth they will learn that their country and their forefathers when this war came upon them so loved peace that in a hundred years of world-wide strife they had fought but twice with civilized foreign foes."

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BEATEN IN BALTIMORE.

Former Champions Had an Easy Time With the Pennant Winners.

Baltimore, April 21.—The new champions tackled the ex-champions for the first time this season Wednesday afternoon, and the ex-champions, in the classical language of "Chimmy Fadden," "didn't do a ting" to the gentlemen from the hub. Truly the slaughter was terrible and when the sun finally hid its face behind the right field fence, one Boston pitcher had been routed completely, another was in full retreat upwards, and the score was 18 to 3.

Baltimore's superior pitching tells the whole story of the defeat. The Bostons fielded beautifully for the most part and hit the ball fairly hard, though unluckily, but they had no chance to win with the difference in strength on the two teams in the box. McJames was in great form, and, with Clark's fine heady work behind the bat, was a very tough nut for the champions to crack. On the other hand, both Sullivan and Willis, who succeeded him, were wild and ineffective. Sullivan had been known to shut out this same crowd of hard-slugging orioles in the old days, but he has not pitched in a league game since last August, and was not at his best. Willis pitched the last three innings and was as wild as a March hare, and when he did get the ball over the plate the Baltimores hammered it. The score:

Baltimores.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
McGraw, 3 b	3	3	1	1	2	0
Keeler, r. f	6	2	2	1	0	0
Jennings, s. s	3	3	2	1	3	0
Kelley, l. f	6	2	3	3	0	0
Stenzel, c. f	5	3	3	3	0	0
Demont, 2 b	5	1	1	0	2	0
McGann, 1 b	4	1	1	8	0	0
Clark, c	5	1	2	10	1	0
McJames, p	4	2	2	0	0	0
Totals	41	18	17	27	8	0
Bostons,	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f	4	0	1	0	0	1
Tenney, 1 b	4	0	0	11	0	0
Long, s. s	4	0	0	1	9	0
Duffy, l. f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Collins, 3 b	3	1	1	0	3	1
Stahl, r. f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Lowe, 2 b	4	0	2	6	3	0
Bergen, c	4	0	1	3	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	0	1	0	0	1
Willis, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
*Klobedanz	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	8	24	16	3

*Batted for Sullivan in sixth.

Baltimores	2	0	3	4	1	4	0	4	—18
Bostons	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0—3

Stolen bases—Hamilton, Jennings, Kelley. Two-base hits—Stenzel, Lowe, McJames, Bergen. Earned runs—Baltimores, 8; Bostons, 2. Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney (2). Sacrifice hit—Tenney. First base on balls—Off Sullivan, 4; off McJames, 2; off Willis, 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Sullivan, 1; by Willis, 2. Struck out—By McJames, 8; by Sullivan, 1; by Willis, 1. Wild pitches—By McJames, 1; by Willis, 1. Left on bases—Baltimores, 9; Bostons, 6. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Snyder and Curry. Attendance—3274.

In Washington—The Brooklyn-Washington game, while not marked by brilliant playing, was an interesting one owing to hard hitting. The visitors could not bunch their hits, and while Kennedy allowed the senators only nine, several were for more than one base. Score: Washingtons, 8; Brooklyns, 6.

Morse pitched a great game for the Harvards, striking out 10 men, but Maloney's home run in the eighth, sending two men in ahead of him, won the contest for Georgetowns, 3 to 1.

In St. Louis—"Pat" Tebeau and his Cleveland spiders made the browns bite the dust yesterday without much of a struggle. Young pitched a masterly game and kept the St. Louis' hits well scattered. The Clevelands are playing a fast game and hitting with vengeance. Score: 10 to 5.

In Louisville—The chilly weather seemed to give the Louisvilles a new lease on life, for they batted timely and their fielding was magnificent. Magee's wildness in the ninth, together with Hoy's error, gave the Chicagos three runs. Everett talked too long and loud over a decision of Umpire Cushman's in the seventh, and the colts' first baseman retired from the game in favor of Callahan with the umpire's consent. The score was 7 to 6.

In New Haven—The Yales won from the Williams team, 12 to 3, by superior batting and placing hits cleverly. The atmospheric conditions were perfect, but the visitors had to leave on an early train and the game was called at the end of the fifth inning.

In Providence—The Providence league team beat Brown, 9 to 7, in a close and interesting game. Brown outfielded the league team, but was outbatted.

In New Bedford—The Cuban Giants were victorious in yesterday's contest with the New Bedfords by a score of 11 to 9. The Cubans had a batting streak, and it was responsible for their victory. Williams of the Giants made a home run a two bagger and two singles. Grant of the same team also made a homer. Joe Harrington led the home team at the bat with four hits, one a double, out of four times at the bat.

In Philadelphia—The Philadelphias defeated the New Yorks by better work with the bat, 8 to 5, Meekin being touched up rather freely. With the exception of one inning, Dunkle managed to keep the New Yorks' hits well scattered. Cross and Gleason carried off the fielding honors.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 21.—The house reconsidered the passage of the liquor license bill for the city of Boston and amended it by providing for 800 licenses for the whole city, instead of one for each 1000 population.

As a result of the attorney general's opinion, the governor sent a special message to the legislature suggesting the advisability of so amending the statutes that bombardment risks may be written by Massachusetts fire insurance companies and by such foreign companies as have sufficient broad provisions in their charters.

The committee on election laws reported a bill to permit candidates for representatives in the legislature, except in Boston, in districts wholly in a town or city, and candidates for municipal offices, to be nominated by direct caucus vote where the district is composed in part of a ward or wards, or of a town or towns or several towns; the nomination may be made by direct caucus vote, provided that the several local party committees of the district vote so unanimously.

On motion of Mr. Cullinane of Lawrence, the bill for a uniform rate of wages and hours of labor for mechanics and laborers on public works was postponed to Tuesday.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, APRIL 22.
Sun rises—4:52; sets, 6:34.
Moon sets—8:48 p. m.
High water—12:30 a. m.; noon.

The conditions now are favorable for fair and probably generally clear weather the remainder of the week. It will be somewhat warmer, rising to between 50 and 60 degrees at the highest Friday and Saturday, with westerly winds of light velocities Friday, becoming more southerly Saturday.

Used Foul Tactics.

Manchester, N. H., April 21.—A 15-round sparring bout between Joe Mullins and Bob Allen of Boston, the chief event on the program at the gumnasium exhibition, was stopped in the second round by the police on account of the foul work of Mullins, who from the start made a disgraceful exhibition. The decision was given to Allen on account of the foul.

The two other events were interesting. Maurice Rosenberg of Boston and Charles Devenport of Chelsea contributed six rounds which resulted in a draw, and there were four spirited rounds between Walter Lang of Cambridge and "Kid" Leven of Boston, who split even on points.

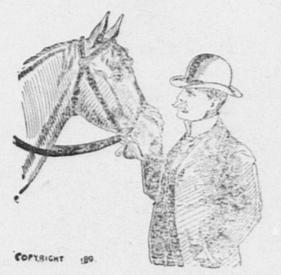


Oliver Wendell Holmes says that if a man truly loved a woman he would not marry her unless he was absolutely positive that he was the very best man in all the world that she could marry. According to this a man would have to be very conceited indeed or remain a bachelor.

This is going a little bit to extremes, but in sober fact, no man should marry a woman so long as he is the victim of ill-health. No man has a right to ask a woman not only to be his wife, but a life-long nurse. No man has a right to ask a woman to share the burden of his ill-health, and that is what he does when he asks her to be his wife. Ill-health in man is almost invariably the result of disorders of the digestive and nutritive organs. If a man's stomach is right and his liver right, his blood will be pure and rich, and his nerves strong and steady. When the blood is pure and rich a man cannot suffer from ill-health. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the great digestive tonic. It is not a mere appetizer, but a scientific aid to the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It makes the appetite keen and hearty, promotes the flow of digestive juices, makes the assimilation perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. It builds firm, healthy flesh tissues. It is the greatest known nerve tonic and restorative.

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Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

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Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

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Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc		6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba*	6 22 r
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r 7 26 ad		7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

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r 7 12 abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6	1
r 8 12 abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8	49 r
r 9 12 abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12	49 r
r 1 12 abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4	49 r
r 5 12 abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5	49 r
r 7 12 abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6	49 r
r 8 08 abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8	53 r
r 10 08 abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10	53 r

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

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TACIT BLOCKADE A PRELUDE.

Advance on Havana Ordered by the Commander-In-Chief.

Ships of the North Atlantic Squadron In Action.

Practical State of War Created by the Spanish Cabinet.

Our Minister In Madrid Gets His Exequatur, and His Dismissal Accepted by the Cabinet as a Direct Invitation For the Opening of Hostilities—All the Consuls In Spain Withdrawn—Some Fear That the Oregon Will Be Attacked—Warlike Situation In Madrid—Cuba's Captain General Issues a Rallying Cry For Defense.

Washington, April 22.—When these words are read the ships of the north Atlantic squadron will doubtless be lying off Havana, just out of danger of the guns of Morro castle. The fleet was ordered yesterday to leave Key West at once, and it was expected to weigh anchor at midnight. The order, which was sent immediately after a special cabinet meeting yesterday afternoon, is the swift response of the United States to the cavalier dismissal of the American minister at Madrid.

In severing all diplomatic relations with the United States and handing Minister Woodford his passports the Spanish government has created a state of war. This is the momentous fact of the day. The condition is recognized both at Madrid and at Washington, and it is understood that an official circular has already been sent by the state department to all United States ministers and representatives abroad, directing them to inform the governments to which they are accredited of the severance of diplomatic relations and the consequent existence of a state of war by the official act of Spain.



MINISTER WOODFORD.

The north Atlantic squadron will blockade Havana, and some of its ships will doubtless be ordered to blockade other Cuban ports in order to prevent supplies from reaching the Spanish army of occupation and so compel the speedy evacuation of the island. The blockade will be effective, but it will be no holiday task. It is no small matter for a fleet to lie 10 miles from shore in the rough waters which pour through the trough between Havana and Key West. The sea there is as rough and choppy as in the British channel, and great ships are sometimes tossed about almost as helplessly as if they were small boats.

The fleet may have to lie inactive there several days, for this is to be a peaceful blockade and there is no present intention of bombarding Havana. That may come later, but no shots will be fired until compelled by the inexorable progress of events. The first blazing guns will come rather when an attempt is made to land supplies for the starving inhabitants of the island under the protection of American men-of-war. The ships conveying supplies are expected to leave Tampa in two or three days. They will go first to Matanzas, which is the principal seat of suffering.

Before leaving Washington the Spanish minister said that there would be no resistance to the landing of supplies unless an attempt was made to accompany them with an armed force. It would be strange enough if Spain should attempt to resist a proceeding of this kind, for no sooner would the supplies be landed than the Spanish troops confiscate them. The work of relief, consequently, will proceed with military force, and American marines will see to it that the relief that they bear reaches its destination. Here is where the trouble will arise. A considerable force of Spanish troops has been concentrated and new guns have been mounted on the fortifications, so that the first shot of Spain will be directed at the vessel which first reaches Cuban waters on its errand of mercy.

During the cabinet session yesterday telegrams were read to the effect that the Spanish fleet was still at the Cape Verde islands. On the question of privateering the cabinet from the first has been a unit in opposition to it, unless that course should be forced upon us by the action of Spain. The president is strongly opposed to this so-called system of robbery on the high seas, and, unless he is driven to that extremity in retaliation, the legitimate commerce of the world, so far as this country is concerned, will be safe after actual hostilities begin as now.

The news of the actual beginning of war was received with gravity at the navy department, and there were many speculations as to the destination of the Spanish squadron. One suggestion was that it is heading to cut off the fine battleship Oregon, now on its way from the Pacific coast around to join Captain Sampson's command. There is also some fear that the Oregon may be taken at an unfair advantage without knowledge of the existence of war by the Spanish torpedo destroyer, Temmerire, which is now lying at Buenos Ayres. Possibly with a view to avoiding a conflict in the straits of Magellan, where she would be at a disadvantage, the Oregon has been ordered to go around Cape Horn.

Relative to the news that comes from Chicago that the three revenue cutters on the lakes cannot be availed of for naval purposes, it is said that the department had some time ago abandoned the idea of using these crafts, owing to the difficulties in getting them out to the Atlantic seaboard. It was, however, denied that an international obstacle had been encountered in the shape of a notice from the Canadian government that the passage of the ships would not be permitted.

The squadron under Captain Sampson's command makes a splendid array of fine vessels, comprising battleships such as the Iowa and Indiana; monitors like the Puritan, Terror and Amphitrite; armed cruisers like the New York, flagship; protected cruisers such as the Cincinnati, Marblehead and Montgomery; gunboats like the Vicksburg, Wilmington and Annapolis; regular torpedo boats, such as the Ericsson, Cushing, Winslow and the like; not to speak of the large number of fast yachts and other vessels that have been added to the fleet by purchase. This force is quite competent to blockade all the ports in Cuba, or at least all of the ports connecting by rail with Havana, and so likely to be used to supply that place with food and munitions of war. This statement is to be taken with the understanding that it does not contemplate the coming to Cuban waters of the Spanish fleet. In such case, however, the probable policy would be to abandon the blockade and endeavor to force the Spanish fleet to battle.

Immediately upon the passage of the army volunteer bill by the congress the president by proclamation will call for 100,000 men. Of this force it is intended to use 80,000 men in Cuban operations in conjunction with the regular army already assembled or assembling at points of concentration. The remaining 20,000 men will aid the artillery detachments in guarding the coasts and manning the heavy guns of our coast defense.

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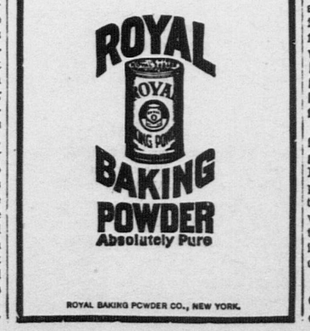
Havana, April 22.—In a manifesto that he issued last night, General Blanco said: "Without any reason or legality, without the least offence on our part and at a time when they have received from us only proofs of friendship, the United States are forcing us into war just at the moment when quietude began to settle over the country, when production was flourishing, commerce taking courage and peace approaching, with the co-operation of all classes and all parties under the new institutions granted by the mother country. Such a proceeding is without precedent in history. It evidently manifests the bogus politics of the republic, demonstrating the tricky plans and purposes that have always been nourished against Spain's sovereignty in Cuba, which the enemy has been conspiring for nearly a century to destroy.

"If the United States wants the island of Cuba let them come and take it. Perhaps the hour is not far distant in which these Carthaginians of America will find their Zama in this island of Cuba, which Spain discovered, peopled and civilized and which will never be anything but Spanish. It is our turn to have the honor of defending her, and we will know how to do it with a decision and effort many a time put forth. I count upon you for this with absolute certainty. I believe there is no sacrifice you are not prepared to make in defence of the national territory, whose integrity is sacred to all Spaniards of whatever origin.

"I am sure that everyone in whose veins runs Spanish blood will respond readily to the call which in these solemn moments I address to all, and that all will group themselves around me to contribute as much as they can to repel a foreign invasion, without allowing dangers, sufferings or privations to weaken the heart or courage. To arms, then, fellow countrymen, to arms. There will be a place for all in the fight. Let all co-operate and contribute with the same firmness and enthusiasm to fight the

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Baltimore, April 22.—Boston's champions turned the tables on the orioles Thursday, giving Hanlon's men their first defeat of the season by the comfortable margin of 10 to 5. The Baltimores felt confident of winning, for Klobedanz has never heretofore been much of a stumbling block for the birds, and they thought him far from being in the pink of condition yet this season. On the other hand, they counted on Hoffer to do great things against the beaneaters, but the "best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agley," and thus it happened to Hanlon's plans.

It was just an old-fashioned case of being out-pitched, out-batted and outplayed, although luck was with Boston also to some extent. The champions earned their victory fairly and squarely by good pitching, good, hard hitting and splendid fielding.

The orioles hit the ball pretty hard, but it would not go safe, and their fielding was for the most part excellent, but it availed not. Hoffer's work was "streaky" at times, pitching well, but at others the balls looked big enough to be "killed." The record against him was only an even dozen of singles, but most of them were very timely. Hoffer seemed least effective when men were on bases, and that was when Klobedanz did his best work.

"Kloby" gave seven bases on balls, but only one of those who waited and walked managed to score. He pitched an excellent game, having fine speed, and his curves working well. He was aided greatly by the splendid support he received. Tom O'Brien, the New Englander, played right field for Baltimore in place of Keeler, who hurt his side in Washington on Monday. O'Brien made a fine catch off Stahl in the fifth. The playing of Duffy, Long and Lowe was just as brilliant as possible, barring a fumble by Lowe. The score:

Baltimores.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
McGraw, 3 b	4	0	1	1	5	0
O'Brien, r. f	5	0	0	1	0	0
Jennings, s. s	4	0	1	4	4	1
Kelley, l. f	3	0	0	2	1	0
Stenzel, c. f	5	2	2	2	0	0
Demont, 2 b	2	2	1	1	3	1
McGann, 1 b	4	1	2	12	0	0
Clarke, c	4	0	0	4	1	2
Hoffer, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	5	7	27	15	4

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f	4	3	3	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b	4	2	1	10	0	0
Long, s. s	5	2	4	2	6	0
Duffy, l. f	5	0	0	6	0	0
Collins, 3 b	5	0	1	0	2	1
Stahl, r. f	3	1	1	3	0	0
Lowe, 2 b	4	0	0	4	5	1
Bergen, c	4	1	2	1	0	0
Klobedanz, p	4	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	38	10	12	27	14	2

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Stolen bases—Hamilton (2), Tenney (2), Long. Two-base hit—Collins. Three-base hits—Long (2). Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney; Demont, Jennings and McGann. First base on balls—off Hoffer, 3; off Klobedanz, 7. Struck out—By Klobedanz, 1; by Hoffer, 1. Left on bases—Baltimores, 10; Bostons, 4. Sacrifice hits—Lowe and Tenney. Earned runs—Baltimores, 3; Bostons, 4. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Snyder and Curry.

In Philadelphia—Seymour was as wild as a bear yesterday, and in consequence the Philadelphias again defeated the New Yorks, 13 to 4. In the eighth inning he completely lost control of the ball, and after the Phillies had added a half dozen runs to their score he was relieved by Gettig. On the other hand Duggleby pitched a fairly steady game. The fielding of both teams was a little ragged.

In Louisville—The Louisville players were off in both fielding and batting yesterday, and the Chicago colts had everything their own way, winning by 8 to 2.

In Washington—Eleven innings were required by the senators to win yesterday's game from the Brooklyns, 7 to 5. Although the visitors made more hits, the Washingtons won by bunching and because of errors by the Brooklyn men. The feature of the game was the catch of a long fly by Selbach. He fell in making connection with the ball, but it did not escape him.

In Manchester—Manchesters, 7; Lowells, 4.

In Providence—Brown utterly routed the Pennsylvania state college team, defeating it 23 to 1. Maxwell was knocked out of the box in the first five innings and Hayes was but little better.

In Fall River—The Cuban Giants were defeated in an interesting game, 6 to 2. The fielding of the visitors was not up to the standard, and the Fall Rivers took advantage of the fact to get a lead early in the game, which they held to the finish. Flanagan pitched five innings and Walker, the new man, was then put in. He had great speed and good curves, fooling the visitors completely. James Smith at short field played a great game for the Fall Rivers.

In Pawtucket—The Providences defeated the Pawtuckets yesterday in a game devoid of special features, 8 to 4. Knorr, Rhodes and McCafferty did the pitching for the home team. The former twirled in fine form for three innings, while Rhodes, who succeeded him, was touched up rather lively in the fourth inning after the Pawtuckets had a chance to retire the side.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	72	49	54
Monday	67	63	62
Tuesday	51	58	66
Wednesday	50	59	35
Thursday	60	48	53
Friday	66	42	68
Saturday	—	49	76

New Advertisements Today.

Free concert—Guy's Coliseum.
Public hearing—City Council.
Organs taken in exchange—Guy's Coliseum.
Young man wants a position.
Hardware—George Ames.
Squantum Park—Building lots.
Wanted—Work by the day.
Man wanted to mow lawn and care for place.

Good Afternoon.

"Labor troubles are out of the reckoning at present. Mills generally have large orders ahead and nothing clouds bright prospects except the hesitation in placing more orders in time of extreme (war) uncertainty."—Dun's Review, April 16.

It is not likely that there will be any false call of the militia in Quincy. Gen. Bancroft of the Fifth Regiment has called to account the officer who rang in the alarm at Cambridge Wednesday evening. So if you hear 4 three times on the fire alarm, it is likely to mean business.

We are still of the opinion that $13,000 is too much to expend upon the improvement of Hancock street in Ward Five when Hancock street in Ward One needs it so much more. Ward One has been sadly neglected in permanent improvements since Quincy became a city, and the city is judged by the appearance of its business section.

The companies of militia are experiencing no trouble in recruiting their membership to 100 men. Co. M of Somerville already has a waiting list of 40, Co. D of Charlestown recruited 20, Co. L of Malden enlisted 60, last night, Co. E of Medford 20, and so on. Will Quincy, Braintree and Weymouth people be less loyal in filling the ranks of Co. K?

The more the President's course in the Cuban-Spanish matter is studied and understood, the more cordially it is commended by all save those who desire an opportunity to criticise, without reference to the justness of their criticim. A single paragraph in the Washington Post, published at the seat of Government on April 18th, illustrates this fact. It is as follows: "It is now known, and, in fact, has been publicly stated on the floor of the Senate, that if war had been forced three or four weeks ago the Unitd States would not have been fully prepared. It is not now ready, but the vigorous measures which have been put into operation in the last few weeks have achieved most desirable results."

New Law.

A new act of the Legislature provides that any corporation owning or operating a street railway within the commonwealth may, in any city with the consent of the Mayor and board of aldermen, or in any town with the consent of the selectmen, convey in cars propelled by electricity or horse power over its tracks any snow, ice, stones, gravel, dirt or street sweepings which have been taken from any street or way over or through which its tracks are located, for the purpose of improving said street or way; and may also, in like manner and with like consent, convey to any point on its line any necessary material for use in the construction, grading, repairing or improving of such street or way.

Wilson—Whiting.

On Wednesday evening, April 20th at Crag Cliff, Weymouth Heights, at the residence of the rector of Trinity church, Mr. Charles Wilson of Quincy and Miss Sarah Erminnie Whiting of Braintree, were joined in marriage [illegible]ing to the laws of the Episcopal [illegible]. The ceremony was performed [illegible]illiam Hyde of Trinity [illegible]d Mrs. Wilson will re-

MEN'S HALF HOSE 25c. PER PAIR. BARNARD & CO.

CHANCE ARRESTED.

Quincy Man Connected With the Russell Murder.

John H. Chance alias John H. Schultz, whose parents are said to reside in Quincy was arraigned in municipal criminal court of Boston Thursday, charged with the murder of Drug Clerk Russell in store under the United States Hotel, Boston.

Chance lived in Quincy twenty years ago with his parents on Quincy avenue, but since then has lived in Boston. He has a married sister who resides on Charles street, Atlantic, where he has been occasionally for a few days at a time. It was at his sister's house that the Boston officers called Thursday afternoon, the object of their visit being to search the room occupied by him for clews. Just what they found is not known but when the officers returned to Boston they took away some of his effects. It is alleged that Chance claimed to be at his sister's house on the night of the murder on April 5.

The clew which led up to the arrest of Chance was an overcoat found in a basement on Hudson street, Boston. It was on this street that the murderer was last seen in his flight. It was supposed that he dodged into one of the back yards and escaped through the house on to Hudson street. The theory of the police is that the murderer divested himself of the coat and deposited it in the basement room in his flight through the house.

When the police received the coat they carefully examined it, and found a tailor's tag in it which bore the name of the maker. A call was made on the tailor, and he gave the name of the person for whom the coat was made. When that gentleman was seen, he said that he had given the coat to another man. The second owner of the coat said that he had given it to Chance.

Chance is 31 years of age, a painter by trade and has a wife and one chid. He was arrested at 23 Harrison avenue. He denies positively that he knows anything about the deed, and he did not weaken on being examined.

A Disgrace.

The efforts of Mayor Quincy of Boston and President Clark of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. to prevent the issuing of so many licenses near the new union station is endorsed by the larger part of the Quincy passengers who fully agree with Mr. Clark's protest to the Board of Police. The letter:

"May I call your official atention, in behalf of the New England, the Boston and Providence, the Old Colony and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Companies, and of the Boston Terminal Company, to the impropriety of granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors to saloon keepers near the new Union Terminal Station.

"The condition of things about the Old Colony Station, in Kneeland street, in this respect, is disgraceful, and each of these companies has a manifest interest that neither passengers nor employes be invited to frequent saloons, to their own detriment and to that of the community in general."

Concert at Atlantic.

The grand concert at the Memorial church at Atlantic, Wednesday evening, was greeted by a large audience, some being obliged to stand. A very enjoyable programme was presented, including vocal numbers by Mr. W. H. Griggs, baritone; Miss Adelaide J. Griggs, contralto; duets by Miss and Mr. Griggs, piano solos by Mr. John C. Manning, and readings by Miss Belle Temple. Mr. W. J. Sanborn and the following young ladies were ushers: Miss Alice G. Coe, Miss Annie P. Hall, Miss Florence Gray and Miss Lillian Waterhouse.

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All to be given by one of the COLUMBIA GRAPHONES.

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GUY'S COLISEUM.

Quincy, April 22. 2t

Carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

ACKNOWLEDGED.

Monday Club Receive Letter from President McKinley.

At the Monday Evening club held April 18, the following letter was read in response to a communication from the club to His Excellency William McKinley, President of United State.

Executive Mansion,
Washington, April 6, 1898.

My Dear Sir: I beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, the contents of which the President has carefully noted.

Commendation of the policy pursued by the administration in regard to the matter to which you refer, is very gratifying to the President, and he deeply appreciates your words of encouragement and good will.

Very truly yours,
John Addison Porter,
Secretary to the President.

Rev. J. H. Whitaker,
Atlantic, Mass.

An exceedingly fine literary and critical review of "Quo Vadis" was given in a paper by Miss Frances Lance of the Woodward Institute, followed by an interesting discussion.

Schubert was the composer for the evening. Mrs. Charles Safford read a pleasing paper on his life and Miss Shaw of Malden played first a "Minuetto," and afterward "Hark! Hark the Lark" upon the piano, receiving generous and well-merited applause.

Miss Ethel Pease of Malden rendered two movements from one of Schubert's sonatas, and Schubert's "Serenade, upon the violin, both performances showing skill and giving manifest pleasure to the audience.

Miss Alice Coe contributed two of Schubert's songs in her usual deep contralto.

Dr. Maria Drew and Mr. Buckam were the committee for the evening. There was a large attendance.

Dandelioning.

William O'Donnell of Brockton and Sadie Rooney of Hyde Park met somewhere Thursday and during the day looked several times upon the wine when it was red in the cup. Just when they arrived in Quincy is hard to tell but at 12.30 this morning Officer Holloran found them in a field off Hancock street near Norfolk Downs, having had his attention attracted by the racket they were making. He investigated, and when he inquired what they were doing, the reply was that they were digging dandelions. The officer could hardly see it in that light and taking them under his protection he gave them a lodging at the police station for the balance of the night. They were arraigned in court for drunkenness this morning.

—There are now standing in the Kneeland street yard of the Old Colony system a number of new open cars for use on the electrical equipped branches of the Consolidated road. They are to be used as trailers, and in their way are as interesting as the motor cars by which they are drawn. The length over the curved ends, or dashers, is 39 feet 4 inches.

SQUANTUM PARK.

This beautiful building land was opened for sale on April 19. Although the day was unfavorable, many builders came out and four lots were sold. Several houses are to be built at once. Roads now being built.

The Squantum Inn

is to be opened June 17 for fish dinners, and will be under first-class management.

Come and see the finest location in Quincy for seashore or all the year round cottages right on the New Boulevard.

A salesman will be on the ground to show lots on Sunday.

See plans at office.

NELSON V. TITUS,

851 Tremont Building, Boston.

April 22-2t 23-1w

SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Three Clubs Have Won All the Games Played.

A base ball league has been organized by all the grammar schools of the city. The games opened on Saturday according to the schedule below and the standing to date is as follows:

	Games Won.	Games Lost.	Per cent.
Adams,	2	0	100
John Hancock,	2	0	100
Gridley Bryant,	2	0	100
Coddington,	1	1	50
Quincy,	1	1	50
Willard,	1	1	50
Wollaston,	1	1	50
Lincoln,	0	2	00
Massachusetts Fields,	0	2	00
Washington,	0	2	00

The Willards won their game from the Coddington by the score of 14 to 10, and the Coddingtons defeated the Washingtons 22 to 9.

The complete schedule is as follows, games being played on Saturday and Wednesday. The first club of the couplet is the visiting club in each case:

April 16,—Adams and Wollaston, Coddington and Willard, John Hancock and Washington, Gridley Bryant and Lincoln, Massachusetts Fields and Quincy.

April 20,— Willard and Adams, Washington and Coddington, Lincoln and John Hancock, Quincy and Gridley Bryant, Wollaston and Massachussetts Fields.

April 23,—Adams and Washington, Lincoln and Coddington, John Hancock and Quincy, Gridley Bryant and Massachusetts Fields, Wollaston and Willard.

April 27,—Lincoln and Adams, Quincy and Coddington, John Hancock and Massachusetts Fields, Wollaston and Gridley Bryant, Washington and Willard.

May 4—Adams and Massachusetts Fields, Coddington and Gridley Bryant, Wollaston and John Hancock, Willard and Quincy, Washington and Lincoln.

April 30,—Adams and Quincy, Massachusetts Fields and Coddington, Gridley Bryant and John Hancock, Willard and Lincoln, Wollaston and Washington.

May 4,—Gridley Bryant and Adams, John Hancock and Coddington, Massachusetts Fields and Willard, Washington and Quincy, Wollaston and Lincoln.

May 11,—Adams and John Hancock, Coddington and Wollaston, Willard and Gridley Bryant, Washington and Massachusetts Fields, Quincy and Lincoln.

May 14,—Adams and Coddington, John Hancock and Willard, Gridley Bryant and Washington, Massachusetts Fields and Lincoln, Wollaston and Quincy.

MILTON.

Mrs. William Robertson is seriously ill with rheumatism.

The Boston, Milton and Brockton street railway have begun to set their poles and to get their stock on the ground ready to build their line.

A goode olde tymme sing will be held in Ellsworth hall, Friday evening, under the auspices of the Choral society of the Congregational church. Alle ye songs of "Auld Lang Syne" and others with strange new names will be sung.

Work has been commenced widening some of the streets voted upon at the annual town meeting.

In case of war East Milton will furnish her share of men as there are a number who desire to go forward and shoot Spaniards.

Real Estate Active.

Quincy is feeling unusual activity in real estate, the conveyances recorded for last week numbering 23; the city as usual leading the county:

Mary E. Poland to John P. Grahahan, $1.
Chas. F. Cummings to Cordelia J. Cummings, $1.
John A. Storer et al, trs., to Elizth. S. Todd, $1.
Thos. Swithin to Jane Roberts, $1.
Edwd. Hardwick et al, to Mary E. Alden, $1.
Chas. L. Prescott to Herbert M. Federhen, $1.
Annie M. Shaw to Annie F. Swift, $1.
Annie F. Swift to Alfred Shaw, $1.
Henry H. Savage, et al, trs., to Nellie Sweeney, $1.
Josiah P. Quincy to Geo. E. Haskins, $1.
Thos. M. Chisholm to Irene Ward, $1.
City of Quincy to Abbie M. C. Ricker, $15.
Abner L. Baker to Thornton B. Lewis, $1.
Addie F. Blanchard to Etta I. Lewis, $1.
Augusta S. Brown to John A. Smith, $1.
Margt. Sharkey to Phebe A. Wales, $1.
Peter R. Sutherland to Chas. A. Dutton, $1.
Chas. A. Dutton to Horatio N. Holbrook, $1.
Mary Galvin to Julius Johnson, $1.
Andrew J. Miller et al., trs., to Francis B. Patten, $1.
Francis B. Patten to Winthrop H. Chick, $1.
Oliver H. Flanders tr., to Marcellus Coggan, et al, $1.
Thos. Swithin to Wm. R. Thomas, $1.

TODAY'S COURT.

William O'Donnell was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Sadie Rooney was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case placed on file.

Felix Lorando was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

James Lorando was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued one week.

Civil Trial List.

The following case is marked for trial at the civil session of the District court next Tuesday: 3874 Heebley M'f'g. Co. Vs. Woodbury and trs.

DIED.

CONWAY—In Quincy, April 21, Mrs. Mary Conway, aged 70 years.
HADDEN—In Quincy, April 21, Mr. James C. Hadden, aged 45 years and 5 days.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Miss May Cunniff of Hancock street is very ill.

Charles L. Coe is in New York on a short trip.

W. R. Lofgren is erecting a house on Verchild street for John Jacobson.

Mrs. C. A. Peck and children of Taunton are visiting Mrs. W. S. Russell of Billings street.

Roads are now being built at Squantum Park and the new inn will be opened the Seventeenth of June.

The Walnut Associates of Neponset gave a very pleasant sunlight party in Music hall, Atlantic, Tuesday afternoon.

Tickets for the minstrel show of the employes of the Quincy & Boston street railway May 18, are selling rapidly.

There was a large attendance at the Art exhibit at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Thursday evening. The exhibit closes tonight.

A new street is being run through the E. B. Pratt estate from Hancock street to Newcomb street, and it will be laid out into house lots.

George Ames, the plumber, announces the opening of his large new hardware store in the Adams building. It is an up-to-date "ad."

Friends of Mrs. Loyd Jones extend their sympathy on the sudden death of her father, Samuel Macdonald, Esq., of Dundas, Prince Edwards Island.

The South Quincy Social club held an entertainment and dance at Hancock hall Thursday evening. The affair was largely attended and a good time was enjoyed.

How many from Quincy will enlist in Co. K tonight? But sixty men are wanted to place the company on a war footing and they should all be secured tonight.

The following gentlemen will represent the Quincy Y. M. C. A. in its chess tournament this evening with the Boston Y. M. C. A: William E. Alden, Robert Thompson, C. B. Tilton, Walter Sampson, and E. C. Sargent.

William H. Oxton of Chelsea, who testified as an agent of the Law and Order League in the liquor case of Herbert L. Washburn at the Quincy court last December, and was held fo perjury, was found not guilty in the Dedham court on Thursday, Washburn's case, which was appealed, will come up at the September term.

Last Sunday morning Rev. J. H. Whitaker preached one of his finest discourses at the Memorial church to young men from the text "Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed thereto according to thy word." In the evening Mr. Hewes of Boston had charge of the services and gave a practical address on the integrity of one's life and character.

At a colored wedding in Americus, Ga., the other day, everything had gone smoothly till the best man threw a No. 11 shoe weighing five pounds after the bridal carriage. It knocked the bride senseless, infuriated the groom, and caused the mule to run away. A warrant charging the best man with assault and battery has been sworn out by the groom.

For two hours some boys in New York kicked a small bundle about the size of a baseball around the streets and played catch with it. Finally the bundle was opened and $780 in notes found within.

Taken in Exchange.

A number of Good

PARLOR ORGANS.

We offer them at way down prices.

Also our stock of

Bicycles at Half Price.

GUY'S COLISEUM.

Quincy, April 22. 2t

NOTICE.

I BEG to announce that I have decided to discontinue the harness business at 9 Granite street and will sell my entire stock, tools and fixtures below cost for a few days only.

Next week I shall receive samples of "Daylight" Automatic Generators for Acitylene Gas which will require my entire attention and storerooms.

Thanking my customers for their past favors, I am very respectfully,
ERNEST WORSDELL.

Quincy, April 20. 3t

We Have all The New Things

as they appear on the market.

SHIRT WAISTS, 50c. and Upwards.

Eight different styles in collars.

TIES IN MULL AND SILK.

Babies' Bonnets from 25c. to $1.75.

GLOVES, VEILINGS, LACES, ETC.

Ladies' and Children's Straw Hats.

It will pay you to call at

C. S. HUBBARD'S,

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Eddy Refrigerators

— AND —

Meadow Brook Ice

KEEP MILK COOL AND SWEET.

FRANK F. CRANE, Agent,
4 Chestnut Street.

Quincy, March 23. 1m

CITY OF QUINCY.

In Council, April 18, 1898.

ORDERED: On the petition of James Thompson and others that Payne street from Franklin street to Phipps street be laid out and accepted as a public way of the City, that a public hearing be given by the City Council, to all parties interested, on MONDAY evening, May 2, 1898, in the council chamber, City Hall, at 8 o'clock, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger at least seven days before the the time of said hearing.

Adopted April 18, 1898.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR,
Clerk of Council.

April 22. 2t

CITY OF QUINCY.

In Council, April 18, 1898.

ORDERED: On the petition of A. W. Parker and others that Putnam street, beginning at Greenleaf street, and running northerly 812.95 feet to Butler road be accepted a way of the city and the grade thereof established, that a public hearing be given by the City Council, to all parties interested, on MONDAY evening, May 2, 1898, at 8.10 o'clock, in the Council chamber, City Hall, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger at least seven days before the time of said hearing.

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April 22. 2t

Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.

H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.

April 12. 12t

Moving to the Front.

While our Army and Navy are looking for an Opening into Cuba, there are not those indications of progress that are visible in our own city. Here it is evident that we are to have a

GRAND OPENING OF HARDWARE

The first Monday in May. A large New Store, a complete New Stock, something that Quincy will appreciate.

Builder's Hardware and Carpenter's Tools,

PAINTS and OILS, etc.

Service Right. Prices Right.

☞ First-class Plumbing will continue a specialty; and Gas Fitting, and Steam and Hot Water Heating will receive attention.

The public are invited to the opening on Monday, May 2.

GEO. AMES,

Adams Building. City Square.

April 22. 3m

You Remember Him

Don't you? The old time end man in the old time minstrels who made up with oval black face, big eyes, big mouth, red collar as high as the tariff on tobacco, black coat and striped pants, with a joke painted on a sole, who gave two taps on his bones as he sat down, rolled his eyes so the whites would show, opened his mouth till it looked as wide as the Atlantic ocean and then remarked: "Jest kum in on de railroad; jest kum in, get so tired travelin', so many trains, tires a man so to get off de track and let de trains go by. Yah! Yah! Yah!" Your father might have seen that same man and your grandfather before him, and it is safe to say they both heard the same old gag as you did. Where's the old time minstrel now? One old happy lal is on a farm down East; another is building a town out West. A few are with Primrose and West and the others are all selling Clothing in Quincy. You didn't know it? Go into any store in town and just mention that you can buy something at the new store for less than they want for it. You will hear the same old gag: "They don't keep anything decent." "They're a cheap store." "They haven't such goods as we." And when you come to think it over, it's funny. They're about the only store in town who has a buyer in constant touch with all the markets, who has a fresh, new stock; and as for being a CHEAP STORE, we're proud of the reputation we have gained in four weeks what some stores couldn't gain in a life time. We're proud to know we have fitted men to Suits who never bought a suit in Quincy before. We want to show you some Swell Suits at $6.50 to $12.00.

QUINCY CLOTHING COMPANY,

QUINCY'S CLOTHIERS. MUSIC HALL BLOCK, QUINCY.

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In Council, April 18, 1898.

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...t 201 Hancock street.
...ll 9 o'clock A. M.

...C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.
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... QUINCY.

War! War! War!

We have entered into the war against High Prices with an ambition and energy born with the spirit of justice and honest trading. Down with the monopolists and old fashioned big profit systems. Built on the bedrock foundation of good values, the grand old fort

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Stands proud and triumphant, firing Bargains in fine Spring Suits and Overcoats at prices that defy the world. We are relentless in this massacre of high prices. The flag of Defiance is unfurled, and our battle cry is: ONWARD ALWAYS—ONWARD.

We are ready for the great onslaught of eager buyers. Come early for the following Big Bargains, and be sure you are in the right store. Beware of imitators. Bring this paper with you. Special attention to our Quincy friends.

Imported crepe finished Clay Diagonal Suits (18 ounces), all styles, all sizes; $15.00 will not purchase as good a suit elsewhere. Come and select one for **$8.00**

100 patterns of all wool $10.00 Suits, Scotch effects, Serges, etc., made this season, **$5.50**

Just received from our own workshops, 1,000 Suits in medium weight Blue Serges, fine Worsted Checks and Plaids, a genuine $15 for **$8.00**

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AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

As stated in Thursday's Ledger the Board of Health will give a hearing next Tuesday on the charges preferred against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley. The charges which are twenty-five in number are made by Jules Johnson. Of this number the board has already passed on ten which leaves fifteen new cases to be heard. The specific charges are all in relation to the stacks which were passed when they were not of the proper height as required by law, and it is said that in these cases, that while the inspector did not carry out the full intent of the law, they were cases where the inspector used his best judgment to fit the particular case. In the hearing next Tuesday City Solicitor McAnarney will look after the interest of the Board of Health and Mr. Johnson and Inspector Keniley will also be represented by counsel.

City Clerk Cleaves has received an invitation to be the guest of the city of Worcester at the exercises in connection with the dedication of its new City Hall, Thursday, April 28.

The trustees of the Quincy and Hingham bridges met at City Hall Thursday evening. The meeting which was in relation to the alterations at the Quincy Point bridge was a brief one.

The Sewer Commissioners met Thursday evening but did little more than to approve bills.

Hearings on the City Council are advertised today.

Entertainment at Downs.

The Ladies' Aid of Park and Downs Congregational church gave a very enjoyable entertainment Thursday evening to an audience which nearly filled the church. That it was thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed by all present was manifest by the liberal applause which followed each selection. The programme was as follows:

Piano duet, The Misses Lena and Gertie Cleaves.

Vocal solo, Miss Crisman of Dr. Willard's school, Wollaston Park.

Piano duet, Misses Weeks and Harris of Dr. Willard's school, Wollaston Park.

Vocal solo, Dr. M. L. Marr, Dorchester.

Reading, Miss Carrie Jennings.

Vocal solo, Mr. Pierce, Principal Massachusetts Fields school.

Piano duet, Misses Weeks and Harris.

Vocal solo, Miss Goyetto, Boston.

Reading, Miss Jennings.

Piano solo, Miss Lena Clawes.

Piano solo, Mr. G. G. Howard, Boston.

The concluding number was the singing of the grand old patriotic hymn, "America" by the audience led by Mr. G. G. Howard. Immediately followed the serving of refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake which was very evidently enjoyed by all. That the entertainment was a success was very gratifying to the committee: Mrs. Agnes Knowlton and Mrs. Ida J. Marr, also to the Ladies' Aid who are laboring to assist the church.

—Nobody will be likely to deny that General Lee is one of the most popular in the United States today. If he can hold his present popularity until 1900, he will be the next Democratic candidate for president.—Somerville Journal.

LATEST.

3 o'clock.

ONE SHOT FIRED,

Cruiser Nashville Makes a Capture.

Key West Fleet Sailed at at 5.45 A. M.

Key West, April 22—The fleet sailed at 5.45 A. M. to blockade the principal ports of Cuba.

The cruiser Nashville captured a Spanish sloop of 1000 tons this morning. It was loaded with lumber from Texas. The cruiser fired one 6-pounder and the sloop immediately surrendered.

WOODFORD STONED.

Hendaye, France, April 22 — Gen. Woodford crossed the Spanish frontier at 8 A. M. He had a varied experience. At one station en route his car was stoned. At another an attempt was made to arrest Moreno of the legation who accompanied him. Only the declaration of Woodford that he was a British subject prevented it.

CONGRESS AGREES.

Washington, April 22—The conferees of the House and Senate agreed on the army bill and it has passed Congress. It authorizes a call of 100,000 men, and will probably be issued today.

FLYING SQUADRON.

Hampton Roads, April 22 — The flying squadron has not yet sailed.

Horrors of War.

The London Daily Mail in a review of the horrors of war says,—In the last really great war — that between France and Germany—France lost as many as 136,000 men, of whom some 80,000 died of wounds received in battle, 36,000 by sickness, accident, suicide, etc., and 20,000 in German prisons. A French statistician estimates that his countrymen who were wounded, but who survived, numbered 138,000, those injured on the march or by accident 11,421, those who recovered from illness 328,000, making a total of 477,421 direct sufferers. The German killed numbered 40,877; 17,255 died on the field and 21,023 in the ambulances; making 79,155 in all. The wounded who survived numbered 18,543 men. From first to last the German field artillery fired 340,000 shots and the infantry 20,000,000. The booty of war consisted of 5,526 fortress guns, 1,915 field guns and rapid-firing cannon, 107 eagles and flags, and 855,000 rifles, exclusive of what was captured at leisure on abandoned fields.

Our Quota.

The New England States will be required to furnish the following men under the bill which passed the House: Massachusetts 3,000, Maine 2,200, New Hampshire 500, Vermont 400, Rhode Island 450, Connecticut 1280.

Whether these volunteers consist of national guardsmen or of simple enlisted men they will be required to take this oath: "I do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States army, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all enemies whomsoever, and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me according to the articles of war."

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WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

A very large congregation gathered in Trinity church, Weymouth, last Sunday evening to hear Rev. William Hyde's reply to Col. Ingersoll. The reply has been highly praised by those present and Mr. Hyde has been asked to continue the subject. His discourse next Sunday evening will therefore be "A reply to Col. Ingersoll's lecture, why am I an agnostic," and he will consider the points in that lecture, which for lack of time, he was compelled to omit last Sunday. The hours of service are 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Mr. Hyde's subject Sunday morning will be "The Good Shepherd."

Frank Bryant is suffering with ivy poison.

Arthur W. Raymond, East Weymouth's talented and accomplished musician and composer, is the recipient of many congratulations upon the success of Kokakola. Without a doubt it was the finest production ever presented in Weymouth and Weymouth may well be proud of Mr. Raymond.

The grand fair of the Union Veteran Firemens' association is drawing immence crowds. The management are determined to please the audience, and have provided various kinds of entertainments.

Miss Vira Bates is spending her vacation with friends in Providence, Rhode Island.

Herring have made their appearance at the East Weymouth run.

Miss Viola Bicknell of Hingham has returned home after a visit to friends in this town.

The work of removing the ledge on the site of the new Union church is being rapidly pushed. Contractor Beals has blasted several times this week.

Percy F. Bailey, the well known baritone soloist, will give a grand concert at the First Baptist church, on the evening of May third. The talent will be of the best quality.

Charles Willoly has returned from a visit to friends in East Boston.

Rev. Frank B. Cressey, pastor of the Weymouth Baptist church, will preach a patriotic sermon Sunday evening at 7 o'clock; subject: "Sagasta and McKinley, or the principles of government." Mrs. Eva L. Baker will sing "The Star Spangled Banner," and the male quartette, contisting of Messrs A. H. and E. L. Murphy, F. D. Sulis and C. A. Kohler will present two or three selections besides one or more anthems as usual by the choir. The house will be decorated for the occasion.

The Japanese masuri at the vestry of the Universalist church at South Weymouth Thursday evening was unique and charming. All the booths were beautifully decorated and there was a large exhibit of Japanese work. Living pictures of the Japanese were presented with good success.

Human hairs are not, as might be supposed, perfectly cylindrical, but are usually more or less flattened in one direction. The most cylindrical hair is most inclined to grow straight, while hair that is much flattened has a tendency to curl; and the flatter the hair the greater is this tendency. This is the main cause of curly hair; but the readiness with which the hair absorbs moisture from the air also effects its curliness.

Japanese postmen, whose routes carry them into the country, use the cycles. Their wheels are made by local manufacturers, who have appropriated improvements from both British and Japanese patents.

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DEATH OF A SENATOR.

Member of Mississippi's Congressional Delegation Victim of Pneumonia.

Washington, April 22.—The expected end came to the illness of Senator Walthall at 5:30 Thursday afternoon in the presence of his wife, sister and others. In January he contracted a cold. In February he suffered from an attack of bilious fever, and from this he never fully recovered. His last address in the senate was made, April 7, when he delivered a eulogy of his colleague, Senator George, in spite of the protests of his physician. The following Saturday he was confined to his bed with a severe attack of typhoid pneumonia.



E. C. WALTHALL.

Edward C. Walthall was born in Richmond, Va., in 1831. He served in the confederate army during the civil war, rising to the rank of major-general. His profession was the law. With the exception of 14 months, from January, 1894, to March, 1895, Mr. Walthall sat continuously in the senate since the 12th of March, 1885. He commanded the respect of every man in that body. He was refined, gentle and courteous in manner, and yet firm, manly and honest

BOSTON SHELLS.

No Fear of the Loss of Uncle Sam's Snug Pile of Money.

Boston, April 22.—Uncle Sam has nearly $20,000,000 of his funds in Boston and this money is in charge of Assistant Treasurer Joseph H. O'Neil. The assistant treasurer has no fears of a Spanish invasion of Boston, and the coolness displayed by the United States officials generally in this city is something remarkable. As one remarked yesterday: "The Spanish fleet will never get inside of Massachusetts bay."

James Smith, whose right name the police believe to be William W. Harris, is said to have confessed to a number of robberies that have of late been troubling the residents of the back bay district. A search of a room which it is claimed the man occupied, brought to light eight pawn tickets for a collection of jewelry and clothing. According to the police, the prisoner has confessed to several robberies.

Spanish spies have begun their work in and around Boston. The government officials in Washington have been notified of the appearance of three mysterious-looking men who appeared to be anxious to ascertain definite information regarding the forts and fortifications of Boston harbor and Massachusetts bay. This work on behalf of Spain was going on while the United States was playing with the arts of diplomacy, at which Spain is an adept.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

New Bedford coal dealers announce an advance in the price of coal $1 per ton all around.

John E. Lamb, who shot and killed Abraham Jackson at Unity, Pa., last September, was hanged Thursday.

The Austrian government prohibits the importation of saccharine, with a view to the protection of the sugar manufacturers.

John Wanamaker of Philadelphia has tendered his services to the Governor of Pennsylvania to raise a regiment of volunteers in the event of hostilities with Spain.

Charles Hobbs of West Ossipee, N. H., 35 years old and married, was instantly killed by a section of a bridge falling on him while he was assisting in loading it on a truck.

More than 100 Wesleyan students, carrying Cuban and American flags, paraded in Middletown, Conn., and created much enthusiasm. General Weyler was hanged in effigy and then burned in a bonfire.

There is a bitter feeling in Spain against Great Britain, especially on the contraband-of-war and privateer questions. It is the belief that that nation is playing, in an underhand manner, the game of the United States.

It is probable that sufficient revenue can be raised without resorting to a tax on tea and coffee, petroleum or a stamp tax on railroad tickets. It is likely that a tax will be placed upon mineral waters, ginger ale, etc., and upon various other articles like chewing gum.

Augustus J. Holtt, the nominee of President McKinley for United States pension agent in Boston, is a well known citizen of Lynn. He is an active politician and was appointed postmaster by President Harrison, a position he retained until his term expired.

Rumors of an Indian uprising near Fort Sill, I. T., by Geronimo and his Apache band caused the return of one troop of cavalry which had reached Rush Springs on its way to New Orleans. It is said that the Indians have fallen out among themselves, and trouble is feared.

A Madrid paper suggests the expulsion of all foreigners, especially the newspaper correspondents, "whose presence is dangerous." It says the censorship is inadequate, as the correspondents have "other means of keeping up their calumnies against Spain, especially American correspondents."

Dartmouth students held an excited war demonstration last night, marching through Hanover, N. H., with a banner inscribed "Weyler sunk the Maine." In the center of the town Weyler was hung in effigy and then burned. The students marched to several faculty residences and were greeted with war speeches.

An unusually large fleet of Newfoundland vessels will engage in the codfishery on the Grand banks this summer. The belief is general among the owners of the vessels that the war between Spain and the United States will result in driving American fishing vessels off the banks, from fear of capture by Spaniards.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
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Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

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WANTED—A man or strong boy, half a day a week through the summer to mow a lawn and care for place. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. 1p—tf

WANTED—Position in grocery or clothing store in Quincy, or any situation where an educated, active, honest and skilful young man will be appreciated. Best of references. Address B, Ledger, Quincy, Mass.

WANTED—Work by the day, washing, ironing, cleaning, etc. Apply at Ledger office. April 23—1t

POSITION WANTED—By a young man, as foreman with reliable carpenter and builder. Capable of designing floors, elevations, and details. Address H. E. B., Ledger office. apr21-6t

25 GIRLS WANTED—Immediately for housework in all branches, at City Employment office, 160 Hancock street, directly opposite Post Office, Quincy. C. M. LAPHAM. April 21. 3t

CLERK WANTED—Must be a good meat cutter and furnish references. Address "A. A.," Ledger office. apr18-6t

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply to
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TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. March 29. eod-tf

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TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

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Washington St. Attractive NEW HOUSE, 7 rooms, sewing room, bath, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

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Quincy, April 8-tf. 9p-tf

PROTECT YOUR TREES.

There is nothing better than Morrill Tree Ink to catch the Canker Worm Moth, as it crawls up the trunk of the tree.

NOW IS THE TIME.

The month of March is the best time to catch the grubs and the cost is very small. Full directions on each can. Price:

2-Pound	Can,		.30
3	"	"	.45
5	"	"	.60
10	"	"	1.10

FOR SALE AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE

Quincy, March 9 pl tf

The Woman Of the Home

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Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.

Quincy, March 30. 1m

DENTAL NOTICE.

ALL those wishing to have their Teeth Extracted at their home can do so by notifying

Dr. C. B. Underwood,
9 Spear Street, Quincy.

He will give Ether in case of extraction at your house if desired. Money paid for extraction is deducted from price of the artificial teeth

Oct. 30. tf

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Next entrance to Postoffice.

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Providence River, 35 cts. quart.

Boston Fresh Opened, 45 cts. quart.

Fancy Cape's, opened here, 50 cts quart.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

FISH.

Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

Temple Street.

Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

TACIT BLOCKADE A PRELUDE.

Continued from page 1.

eternal enemy or the Spanish name, emulating the exploits of our ancestors, who always exalted high their country's fame and honor."

Later thousands of people gathered, and a committee called on Blanco, tendering, in the name of all, their estates, property and lives in aid of the government and pledging their readiness to fight the invader. From the balcony of the palace the general thanked the people, assuring them that he would lead them to victory. "Otherwise I shall not live," he said. "Do you swear to follow me to the fight?" The crowd answered "Yes, Yes, we do."

General Blanco said: "The enemy's fleet is almost at Morro castle, almost at the doors of Havana. They have money; but we have blood to shed, and we are ready to shed it. We will throw them into the sea."

"Down With the Yankees!"

Madrid, April 22.—Enthusiastic processions moved through the principal streets last night. The mob gathered in front of the building of the Equitable Life Insurance company, and insisted upon the removal of the American eagle, which was thrown down and smashed to bits. The fragments were then carried through the streets by a cheering, yelling mob to the Military club, where the members appeared upon the balcony and enthusiastically cheered the demonstrators, shouting "Live Spain" and "Down with the Yankees." The police mixed with the crowd and allowed the demonstrations to go on without restraint.

The civil governor of Madrid, instead of prohibiting, allowed complete liberty of action, mingling among the demonstrators. He was loudly cheered, especially when the American escutcheon was thrown from the balcony of the Equitable building and fell at his very feet. Aguilera, as if trampling upon the escutcheon, addressed the populace amid enthusiastic applause. He said: "The Spanish lion is roused from his slumber. He will shake his mane and disperse the rest of the brute creation."

Was Sherman Opposed?

Washington, April 22.—Secretary of State Sherman, at the broaching of the proposition to intervene, seemed to recover some of his old vigor of mind, and is quted as persisting that our only business in Cuba was the protection of American rights there, and that it was not necessary to intervene with arms in order to accomplish this. From the day his opinion was overruled, it is said, he has never taken any active part in the counsels of the cabinet on the Cuban crisis, though standing by the president outwardly.

Mr. Woodford's Departure.

Madrid, April 22.—General Woodford has left Madrid. An immense crowd gathered at the station, composed of all classes. A strong force of police and civic guards maintained order, while amid the crowd moved a large number of private detectives. A detachment of the civil guards accompanied General Woodford to the frontier. The retiring minister maintained his usual calmness, but looked worn and fatigued. When the crowd was thickest about him, General Woodford forced his way through and, approaching Colonel Moret, the chief of police, shook hands with him cordially, thanking him for his kindness and zeal in guarding the United States legation and his (General Woodford's) residence for so many months.

Must Stay and Fight.

Havana, April 22.—The colonial cabinet has decided to prosecute all professors of the university, institutes and professional schools who have abandoned or shall abandon their places or have left or shall leave the island without permits.

Perfect adhesion to the government attitude is shown by the people of all classes here, and all express their willingness to fight to the last against the enemies of Spanish sovereignty.

Army Bill Amended.

Washington, April 22.—Representative Hull, chairman of the house committee on military affairs, reported back to the house the army reorganization bill with a number of amendments. It gives 84 instead of 100 privates to each infantry company, and makes this important proviso, authorizing the call for troops: "Provided, that in the event of a call by the president for either volunteers or the militia of the country, the president is authorized to accept the quotas of troops of the various states and territories, including the District of Columbia, as organized under the laws of the states and territories, including the District of Columbia."

There is also a provision that nothing in the act is to be construed to authorize a permanent increase of the commissioned or enlisted force of the regulars beyond that now provided by present law, except as to the increase of 25 majors.

The committee says that as now presented the bill authorizes the 25 regiments of infantry to be recruited up to a total of 31,800 enlisted men, the recruitment of the 10 cavalry regiments to 12,000 enlisted men, the seven regiments of artillery to a total of 16,457 men and the engineer battalion of five companies to 752 enlisted men, making the total strength 61,010 enlisted men.

To Be Court Martialled.

Key West, April 22.—The town is agog over the collision between the municipality and the military, when Sergeant Williams (colored) was taken from the county jail by fellow soldiers at the rifle point. Lieutenant Colonel Daggett, in command of the infantry, held an investigation, as a result of which Williams and Private Coles of the same company, who is said to have been the leader of the attacking party, have been arrested. The troopers were ordered not to wear their side arms, and as Williams had violated the civil as well as the military law, the local authorities were justified in arresting him. Williams, Coles and their companions, when the latter are discovered, will be turned over to the civil powers and punished to the full extent of the law, after which a court-martial will follow. Williams has been held for trial in May.

Will Try a Concert Plan.

New York, April 22.—A special to The Commercial Advertiser from London says: "Trustworthy information is that the continental powers will preserve strict neutrality between the United States and Spain until there has been enough bloodshed to appease Spanish honor. Then they will try a concert plan, already vaguely considered, to get Spain out of its difficulties as lightly as possible."

Cleveland to Princetonians.

Princeton, N. J., April 22.—The greatest student demonstration since the civil war took place on Princeton campus, and finally drew up in front of ex-President Cleveland's home and with ringing cheers induced him to come out. The enthusiasm was unbounded and Mr. Cleveland made a speech every sentence of which was loudly cheered.

He said in part: "I suppose that this demonstration is an evidence of your patriotism in this critical hour of our nation's history. I am glad to see it. Stand by your country when she is right, and I am not so sure that we should not stand by her when she is wrong. Let us hope that in this crisis which is upon us our arms may sustain their prowess, and that it may be demonstrated in after years that we were right. Stern duties face the American people today, and let us hope that these duties may be performed in the same high way that our duties were performed in the preliminary stages of this trouble; and in the days to come let us prepare ourselves for the proper performance on all occasions of these duties. So far as in us lies, let us be conservative and righteous to the end."

Danger From Bombardment.

Boston, April 22.—So much anxiety has been manifested by many of the citizens of the seaport cities and towns of the bay state as to the danger from bombardment as well as a general interest in the part that Massachusetts will play in case of war with Spain, that Governor Wolcott has issued a statement as to the present arrangement for the defense of the commonwealth against a foreign foe.

There is in this city a large number of 10 and 15 inch guns which can be mounted within a short time, while there is on hand more than a sufficient amount of ammunition. Mines have been judiciously placed at various points along the coast. Early in March the secretary of the navy notified the state that the department would make ample provision to protect the coast. The governor has not as yet learned just what this provision will be except regarding the monitors which are now on the way to Boston. These vessels will constitute the first line of defense, while the fortifications will form the second line. A proposition has already been submitted to place state troops at various exposed points, where the large guns can be mounted by the militia. There is no reason to fear that every exposed point or strategic point will not be amply fortified by the national government.

A call was made yesterday for naval men to man the auxiliary vessels. The matter of ordering all the Massachusetts troops into camp on the coast has been carefully considered by the board of conference, and in case this is done the organization and drill of volunteers will be carried on at the state camp at Framingham. The board recommends to the governor that all officers of volunteers should preferably be men who have served in the army, navy or militia, and that they should be required to pass examinations for their various grades before being commissioned.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 22.—"We are to fight Spain over the Cuban question and the Maine tragedy. Let us then," advocates The Post, "do it with the matchless vigor, the indomitable energy, the electric rapidity that are demanded by modern warfare and that are the notable characteristics of the American people."

"It is Spain which begins the conflict, although the first guns may thunder from the turrets of an American battleship." The Journal observes. "That summary dismissal of Minister Woodford from Madrid * * * was virtually a declaration of war."

The Advertiser gives "thanks to the promptness of congress in voting the $50,000,000 for national defense, and to the splendid energy and efficiency of the war arm of the administration. All the Atlantic coast harbors which it would be worth Spain's while to attack are in a condition of impregnable defense against any bombardment which it is in the power of our foe to make."

British Prosperity.

London, April 22.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, presented the budget statement in the house of commons yesterday. He said that while the country is prosperous, the apex of prosperity had not yet been reached. The surplus amounts to £3,678,000, of which sum $2,550,00 had been appropriated for public buildings. He also said the national debt had been reduced by £6,605,000, and pointed out that the total expenditure exceeded the record, being £115,089,000, or £395,000 above the estimate; "yet," he added, "the treasury is not depleted and could still meet an unforeseen call."

Concluding, the chancellor said: "Such an event, so important to us, as a probable war between members of the great family of civilized nations must cause anxiety to us, however remote it might seem from anything connected with our own immediate interest. If war comes we must all pray that it will be brief. I have carefully considered the matter, but I can see no reason to consider that we need anticipate anything which will injudiciously affect materially our revenue or our expenditures."

INTERESTED PEOPLE.

Advertising a patent medicine in the peculiar way in which the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam for Coughs and Colds does it, is indeed wonderful. He authorizes all druggists to give to those who call for it, a sample bottle *Free*, that they may try it before purchasing. The large bottles are 25 and 50c. We certainly would advise a trial. It may save you from consumption.

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New Member of the Cabinet.

Washington, April 22.—The nomination of Charles Smith to be postmaster general was confirmed by the senate without objection. The doors had no sooner closed on the executive session than Senator Gear of the postoffice committee moved the confirmation of the nomination. Senator Day suggested that the nomination had not gone to committee, and Senator Chandler moved to refer to the committee on postoffices. There was no objection to this course, and the nomination was immediately reported back and acted on forthwith, no opposition being made. This expedition was repdered possible by the fact that the committee had previously been polled, all the members voting for confirmation.

The announcement that the postmaster general on account of ill-health had resigned yesterday, and that Editor Smith of the Philadelphia Press had been nominated to succeed him, came with startling suddenness to his friends in the house.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 22.—In the house yesterday Mr. Driscoll of Chicopee moved a recommendation of the rejection of the bill to make eight hours a day's labor for city and town employes. The house refused, 40 to 74. A roll-call was demanded. Reconsideration was refused, 88 to 107.

A shouting, laughing mob of legislators in a wild rush for the doors and struggling fiercely to get out before the mandate of the speaker, Mr. Atwill of Lynn, to close the doors could be obeyed by the messengers, was the spectacle the house presented to the galleries yesterday. The cause of the disturbance was Mr. Hayes of Lowell, who talked against time on the suspension of the rule to admit reconsideration on the question of the Eastern Cold Storage company. He thoroughly wearied the members, who finally bolted, but the doors were closed and the debate went on, despite many points of order.

Vermont Democracy.

White River Junction, Vt., April 22.—The Democratic state committee has decided to hold the state convention at Burlington, the date to be set by the chairman.

The Democratic club held a reception to George Fred Williams and Christopher T. Callahan of Massachusetts yesterday afternoon, followed by a public meeting. Chairman Childs introduced Mr. Williams as a minister of the new democracy, and the visitor spoke to some length advocating adherence to the Chicago platform. Mr. Callahan spoke in the same strain, every allusion to Mr. Bryan being cheered. By a rising vote the club reaffirmed its allegiance to the principles of the Chicago platform.

Insane and Irresponsible.

Montpelier, Vt., April 22.—In the Brewster case yesterday W. A. Lord read a hypothetical question of 4000 words to Dr. F. W. Page which embodies the witness's finding of insanity in the respondent's family. Dr. Page testified that Miss Brewster was insane and irresponsible when the deed was committed.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, APRIL 23.
Sun rises—4:51; sets, 6:35.
Moon sets—9:47 p. m.
High water—1 p. m.

It promises to be generally cloudy tomorrow and light showers may occur; but this unsettled weather may pass off during the night and be followed by fair Sunday. It is likely to be warmer during the next few days, with southerly winds Saturday, becoming westerly Sunday.

A TRAVELING MAN

Gives Some Valuable Hints Regarding the Care of the Health While Traveling.

Mr. R. W. Wincherdon, a comercial traveler from Birmingham, whose business keeps him almost constantly on the road, relates in the Sunday News the dangers to health resulting from constant change of residence and the way he overcame the usual injurious effects.

He says: One thing people traveling cannot very well avoid is the constant change in water and food: the stomach never has an opportunity to become accustomed to anything and in a few years or much sooner the average traveling man becomes a hopeless dyspeptic.

For several years I suffered more or less from indigestion, sour stomachs, headaches, distaste for food, often no appetite, gas in the stomach and the usual unpleasant effects of imperfect digestion.

Nearly every traveling man has his favorite remedy for different troubles and I tried all of hem with indifferent results. Finally on the train between Pittsburg an Philadelphia one day, I overheard a conversation between two ladies, one of whom had suffered severely from indigestion and stated she had been completely cured by a remedy which she called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; I remembered the conersation because it directly interested me and at the next town I inquired at the first drug store and bought a package for fifty cents, and from that day to this I have never been without them. They are pleasant tasting tablets not a secret patent medicine but composed of vegetable essences pure pepsin, fruit salts and Golden Seal; being in tablet form they never lose their good qualities like a liquid medicine would, but are always fresh and ready for use.

I carry a box in my pocket continually, and whenever I see any symptoms of indigestion I take one, also one after each meal, and for a year and a half I have not lost a day by reason of poor health and can eat anything and relish what I eat: my digestion is absolutely perfect as far as I can judge from my feelings and although there may be other stomach medicines just as good as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, I do not know what they are. Certainly for people who travel they are far ahead of any liquid medicine, as they are so convenient, they can be carried in the pocket and used whenever needed.

I believe they are sold by all druggists at 50 cents, and believe anyone who will try them will agree with me that for indigestion and stomach trouble Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are unequalled. 3t-18-20-22

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 09	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt. A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of LORETTA V. THOMAS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Theodore B. Thomas of Quincy, or to some other suitable person

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of May, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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April 15. 3t-15-22-29

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QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

VOL. 10. No. 95. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 1898. PRICE 2 CENTS.

You Remember Him

Don't you? The old time end man in the old time minstrels who made up with oval black face, big eyes, big mouth, red collar as high as the tariff on tobacco, black coat and striped pants, with a joke painted on a sole, who gave two taps on his bones as he sat down, rolled his eyes so the whites would show, opened his mouth till it looked as wide as the Atlantic ocean and then remarked: "Jest kum in on de railroad; jest kum in, get so tired travelin', so many trains, tires a man so to get off de track and let de trains go by. Yah! Yah! Yah!" Your father might have seen that same man and your grandfather before him, and it is safe to say they both heard the same old gag as you did. Where's the old time minstrel now? One old happy lal is on a farm down East; another is building a town out West. A few are with Primrose and West and the others are all selling Clothing in Quincy. You didn't know it? Go into any store in town and just mention that you can buy something at the new store for less than they want for it. You will hear the same old gag: "They don't keep anything decent." "They're a cheap store." "They haven't such goods as we." And when you come to think it over, it's funny. They're about the only store in town who has a buyer in constant touch with all the markets, who has a fresh, new stock; and as for being a CHEAP STORE, we're proud of the reputation we have gained in four weeks what some stores couldn't gain in a life time. We're proud to know we have fitted men to Suits who never bought a suit in Quincy before. We want to show you some Swell Suits at $6.50 to $12.00.

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HERMAN H. PRATT,

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Moving to the Front.

While our Army and Navy are looking for an Opening into Cuba, there are not those indications of progress that are visible in our own city. Here it is evident that we are to have a

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THE SOCIAL REALM.

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The bird that soars on proudest wings
Comes down to earth for board and lodging.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Blanchard held their first wedding at home on Wednesday evening.

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Mr. Charles Aldrich of Wollaston was in Mansfield the first of the week.

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Miss Marion I. Bailey of Wollaston has resigned her position in the Bridgewater schools and is to teach in a higher grade school in this city.

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Miss Eaton attended a delightful reception and dance given at the Bridgewater town hall on Patriots' night, by several popular young men of the town.

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For a few seasons the foulard silks have not been in great demand but this season they are to be very popular and they are found in patterns large, medium and small, as well as in every conceivabe color.

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Red, white and blue are popular colors just now and many handsome sofa pillows are being made up of bunting and silk in these colors.

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The Fortnightly Whist club meets on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Emily C. Wild of Granite street.

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The whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. Hamblett on Hollis avenue Braintree last night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson V. Titus have returned to their home at Squantum, closing their town house on Beacon street for the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman McIntire formerly of Wollaston, where they have many friends, are to move from Randolph in a few weeks and occupy the handsome house being built for them on Presidents' hill.

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Only one flag! for years we defended,
Only one flag! through war's sacrifice ended,
Only one flag! proudest, grandest in story,
Only one flag! our beloved Old Glory!
—Comrade Redington.

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Next Thursday will be Quincy day for the delegates attending the national convention of the Daughters of the Revolution in Boston. The John Adams birthplace will be visited and members of Adams Chapter will receive the guests and serve tea. The Abigail Adams cairn and tomb of John Adams' in First church will be visited.

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Mrs. Geoge A. Tisdale and Miss Etta M. Prescott are expected home from Florida in a few weeks. They have been at Jacksonville since January.

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Mr. Charles Wilson, a well-known resident of Granite street in this city and Miss Minnie Whiting, sister of Mrs. Frank Brewer, were united in marriage on Wednesday evening, at Weymouth, the former home of the bride.

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The Fragment society of the First Unitarian church is preparing for their annual May festival to be held in chapel about the middle of May.

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The violin solos by Mr. Walter E. Loud of Quincy will be one of the attractive features at Choral Society concert, given at Braintree next Wednesday evening. Mr. Loud is much sought after since his return from Europe and no wonder, for his playing is something well worth hearing.

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Gertrude Tucker Jones and Ella Gertrude Sayward of Wollaston give a dancing party this afternoon at Colonial hall to about fifty of their young friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Badger and Mrs. N. F. T. Hayden of Braintree returned yesterday from California.

A safe composed largely of cement having wire netting imbeded in it, was tested recently in Germany in order to ascertain whether it is feasible to build safety vaults of such material. The safe was placed on blazing logs, which had been soaked in kerosene, and kept exposed for half an hour to a temperature of 1800 degrees Fahrenheit. When the safe was opened the contents were entirely uninjured, and a maximum thermometer was found to have made a record of only 85 degrees inside the recepticale.

THE UNITY CLUB.

German Homes, German Religion and German Authors.

President Sprague presided last evening at the closing meeting of the season of the Unity club at Wollaston, and there was a large attendance to enjoy the instructive and entertaining programme. The report of Miss Sherman, the secretary, was read and accepted.

The programme of the evening was in charge of Mrs. Bagley, and opened with a paper by Mr. Charles Finch, Jr., on the position of women, and home life of Germany. Mr. Finch pictured the country of 2000 years ago, and contrasted it with the artistic development which had made Germany a leading nation of Europe. He noted the difference between that country and the United States. The kitchen which is a prominennt part of a German home received considerable attention from Mr. Finch. He also spoke of the drawing room customs and the popularity of the public gardens and theatre. Discipline was everywhere much in evidence; in the household as well as among military people.

Rev. Mr. Bagley followed with a paper on "Religion in Germany," prefacing it with the saying that one-half the people believe without thinking, and one-half think without believing. In reply to a criticism he thought the German husband as good as any other. The husband and wife generally go together except to church where the wife usually has to go alone. He noted the fact that there was no unanimity among German theological students, except that they were unpractical. Protestant pastors were generally poor. Statisties were given as to the number of each religion, and the fact noted that in some parts the Catholics largely predominated, while in other sections the people were mostly protestants. About one-third of the whole people were Catholics. The states support a church; sometimes two or three denominations. The church there was a political organization. Germans are born orators, and pastors are skilful, never reading their sermons. We owe Germany an everlasting gratitude as it has given us a Luther.

Mrs. George G. Saville of Quincy had the third paper, an exhaustive one of "Ebers and His Novels." She quoted largely from his autobiography and everyone felt that they had a better understanding of the author for the intelligent review of his life and writings.

Rev. Mr. Bagley announced the treat that was in store for the members of the club at the annual banquet. It will this year be served by a caterer. There will be post prandial exercises with Frederic Allison Tupper as toastmaster, and Dr. Willard, Dr. Gallagher, Mrs. Bagley and others as speakers.

As usual the intermission was an opportunity for sociability.

When the intermission was at a close, Mr. Lull moved that the club in part payment for the use of the vestry purchase for the church one dozen chairs. Voted.

The composer for the evening was Franz, and Miss Clara Thayer read a very entertaining paper on his life and works. He was born in 1815 and was not of a musical family his road to success was an uphill one but he had left 300 songs, all perfected, with acknowledged superior artistic spirit, and unquestionably the work of a genius. His accompaniments were particularly strong.

A group of song by Franz were beautifully sung by Miss Lucy Hayes, who fully entered into the spirt. They included Standchen, Geitternacht and Fruhling und Liebe. Mrs. Frank A. Page followed with two songs "Marie," and "O Heart within My Breast," in her usual pleasing style.

Mrs. Rogers sang very acceptably two songs, "Ah Thank Me Not," by Franz and "It Was Not So to Be," by Nessler. Mr. Bullock captivated the audience with "Gold Rolls Here Beneath," by Rubinsten, and a "Serenade" by Neidlinger, and the club lingered for more, but the programme had already exceeded the time limit.

Not long ago, while searching fo old Indian relics at Webber pond, Me., Guy Vickery had the good fortune to unearth a large carved stone, which was probably an Indian god. The image is about 30 inches tall, and will weigh fully 35 pounds. It is made out of a flintlike stone, and the outlines of he chisel, or whatever instrument was used in the carving, are plainly discernable. Several of the features are very clear, to make out. A Boston man who has spent years in making a collection of Indian relics pronounces it a good specimen of the work of the ancient tribes of Indians.

LATEST.

3 o'clock.

THE CALL ISSUED.

For 125,000 Volunteers for 2 Years.

Congress to be Asked to Declare War.

Washington, April 23 — President McKinley has finally issued the call for 125,000 vounteers for two years' service, unless sooner discharged. The President will ask Congress on Monday to declare war.

The House was in session today considering the Army appropriation bill, while the Senate was considering the Navy appropriation bill. The Senate has adjourned

A RICH PRIZE.

Key West, April 22—The reported capture of the Alfonso XII, the Spanish mail steamer, by the cruiser New York is credited here. The sail was discovered by the Mayflower and upon signal the New York made a grand rush almost within reach of the guns from the forts.

The Alfonso is regarded as a great prize. She was the largest vessel in the fleet of the Compagnie Espanol Transaantique. Is new, fast and speedy and is worth, as she stands, at least $1,000,000. She carried 1000 Spanish soldiers and a large amount of war supplies. She is a steel vessel, and is capable of making about seventeen knots per hour.

ANOTHER PRIZE.

Key West, April 23 — The Spanish steamer Pedro has also been taken by our warships.

ONE FOR SPANISH.

London, April 23—The American ship Shenadoah, owned by the Sewalls of Bath, Maine, is reported to have been captured by the Spanish. The Shenandoah is a four-mastered ship, and one of the largest afloat.

PARIS CAPTURED.

London, April 23—It is reported on very good authority that the U. S. Str. Paris has been captured off the coast of Ireland by the Spanish. The report has been denied, but is credited.

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Secretary Long's Plan For Defending the Coast Embodied In a Bill Submitted to the Congress—That Body Asked to Make a Declaration of War as a Matter of Precaution — Foreign Powers and the Question of Neutrality—Resignation of Secretary Sherman a Probability.

Key West, April 23.—The fleet is now before Havana and blockading the whole northern coast of Cuba. None of the vessels went within cannon shot of the Spanish guns; the orders of the president to blockade and not to fire unless attacked are being strictly adhered to.

The warships are practically doing patrol duty along the Cuban coast. Every vessel is constantly under steam. There is not the slightest danger during the daytime.

The officers feel that the only source of danger may be a sneaking up of torpedo boats in the darkness. This is not likely, however, as the vessels are widely spread out and will move up and down the coast, working their searchlights all night.

FLAW DISCOVERED.

Why the President Has Not Issued a Call For Volunteers.

Washington, April 23.—There is more delay before the president can issue his proclamation calling for volunteers to serve with the colors in Cuba. Immediately after the passage of the Hull bill by congress it was expected that the president would sign the proclamation calling for 100,000 men. The proclamation had been prepared in the war department and was ready for signature.

The first proclamation drafted provided for 80,000 men. It was represented to the president that this number was not adequate, and the president consented to raise the limit to 100,000. A new proclamation was prepared. It was taken to the white house yesterday.

When the Hull bill was brought to the white house it was given careful attention by the president and his advisers. A flaw was discovered in the statute. The bill gives authority to the president to raise a volunteer army "within such limits as may be fixed by law." It is asserted that there is no law now existing which provides a limit for a volunteer army, consequently the new law is radically defective and absolutely without value. If this view is sound all that the new law does is simply to duplicate existing legislation and give the president authority to call into the service of the United States the militia of the several states. It does not convey any new grant of authority. This is the view held by the president, and before proceeding further he submitted the question to Attorney General Griggs for his opinion.

If congress has to take further action it is believed the maximum strength of the volunteer army will be fixed, so as to avoid all discussion in the future. The maximum will probably be 500,000. There is no expectation that this number will be needed, but sufficient latitude will be given the president to enable him to raise armies without having to appeal to congress every time a new levy is needed.

When this question is settled, when it is known how many troops the president may employ and the way in which they are to be raised, the army will be created. It will take some weeks to put this army in condition, to properly equip and provide it with all the necessary supplies and stores which an army going into an enemy's country must have.

At the earliest it will be nearly the commencement of June before the army of occupation is ready to meet the Spaniards and drive them out of Cuba; but it is not certain that the army will be ready to begin operations in a month.

At the present time it looks as if there was something of a clash between the two military branches of the government. While congress is enacting the necessary legislation and the army is getting ready to be created and organized, the navy will maintain the blockade of Havana and the other Cuban ports.

It is impossible as yet to formulate a clear and definite plan for a naval campaign because the movements of the Spanish fleets are not yet known and there is nothing for our fleet to do except blockade Cuba until it is known whether the Spaniards propose to carry on an offensive campaign by sea. The curious spectacle is now presented of the fleets of two hostile nations keeping as far from each other as they can.

The Spanish fleet is still anchored off Cape Verde islands, and its officers say it will not sail until the ironclads arrive from Cadiz. The fleet assembled consists of the Vizcaya and Oquendo, three torpedo boats, three destroyers and a supply ship. The indications are that the Spaniards will not attempt to separate their naval force, but will form a large armada in hopes of fighting one big battle for the supremacy of the sea.

The leading incidents of yesterday were the issuing of a blockade proclamation and the capture of a merchantman. It was in the gray dawn of the morning when the gunboat Nashville sighted the Spanish steamship Buena Ventura, lumber laden, bound from Pascagoula, Miss., to Rotterdam. The prize was taken to Key West in charge of a prize crew from the Nashville. No effort was made to come close to the Spaniard, it being supposed that she would naturally stop at the signal with a whole war fleet in plain view; but the Spaniard showed no signs of stopping, so a second shot was fired across her bows and she hove to with a suddenness that jarred her machinery. She is an English built ship, 28 years old. She was owned by Larrago & Co. of Liverpool and Bilboa, is of 1155 tons burden net, is 278 feet long, 34 feet 4 inches beam and draws 23 feet 9 inches of water. As a prize the craft is quite valuable from a financial standpoint, as her cargo was 875,000 feet of lumber, worth $10,900. The proceeds of the sale of the ship and cargo will be divided, according to the usages of war, between the government, the crew of the ship which captured her, and something to the fleet commander, the fleet captain and to the naval vessels within hailing distance at the time of capture.

Following up the formalities beginning with the blockade proclamation, the state department addressed an identical note to all of the representatives of the foreign nations accredited to Washington, notifying them of the policy to be pursued by this government in the matter of privateering and neutrality. This was followed by the sending of cable messages to all American embassies and legations abroad containing the same information in a little more succinct form for presentation to the governments to which they are accredited. The statement was precisely similar in terms to that telegraphed last Wednesday, and its formal adoption by the government as the line of policy to be pursued was not prevented by the criticism passed upon it in the senate by Mr. Money of Mississippi. The officials are not disturbed at the semi-official notice from Madrid that Spain will refuse to be bound by the same principles and forbid privateering, for they are satisfied that the commercial powers will not tolerate the practice of privateering under the Spanish flag.

The blockade extends from Bahia Honda, 55 miles west of Havana, to Cardenas, 75 miles east of it—shutting in not only Havana itself, but Matanzas, the second city and port of Cuba, Cardenas, which has been a conspicuous sugar shipping port, and the important haven of Cabanas, just beyond the Pinar del Rio trocha, and a point of strategic value for land attack upon the capital. Bahia Honda, Matanzas and Cardenas all have railway connections with the interior. Only one point on the southern coast of Cuba is yet included in the blockade—and that is Cienfuegos, in the province of Santa Clara, the outlet of a rich sugar growing region where American citizens have extensive interests. Cienfuegos has a capacious harbor, railway connections with the long trunk line running from east to west of Cuba, and a population of 66,000. It is the third Cuban seaport in importance.

The foreign representatives are beginning to feel much uneasiness over the situation of foreign subjects residing in Havana and other points covered by the blockade. So long as the blockade is peaceful the foreigners are not likely to suffer, but in case of a bombardment they might be put in jeopardy along with the native population, unless ample time were given them to withdraw. There is no doubt that this government would give ample time for foreigners to withdraw, and in case of noncombatants it is usual to give at least 24 hours' notice of a bombardment; but there might be serious difficulty in the way of such a notice, in case the Spanish forts open fire on American ships.

The secretary of the navy has officially decided temporarily to appoint Captain Sampson a rear admiral. The nomination, for it is believed it will be necessary to make a nomination even for temporary appointment, will be submitted to the senate very soon. By this action the department will "jump" Captain Sampson, who stands third in the list of captains, not only over the two captains preceding him, but over the 10 commodores of the next grade above and below that of rear admiral. It is explained, however, that the appointment being only temporary, the superior officers will lose nothing by this, for when he relinquishes the command of the squadron Rear Admiral Sampson will again become Captain Sampson and retain his number in the register.

The secretary of the navy has sent to the house committee on naval affairs an urgent request for immediate action on a joint resolution he submits, creating an auxiliary naval force for coast defence. The first section of the resolution reads as follows: "That a United States auxiliary naval force for coast defences is hereby authorized to be established, to be enrolled in such numbers as the president may deem necessary and to serve for a period of one year, unless sooner disbanded by the direction of the president."

The officers and men composing the auxiliary force are to receive the same pay and emoluments as those holding similar rank or rate in the regular navy, and all matters relating to organization, discipline and the government of the force may, with the consent of the governor of any state, in a similar manner enlist in the force from the naval militia of that state and report the names of officers for appointment therefrom. Secretary Long says the purpose is to make up the auxiliary force from sea-faring men who have served on tugs and small vessels in local waters, and whose services would be of more value in their own localities than on the high seas. He adds that there are many men who would not enlist regularly in the navy for three years who can be counted on to join by short enlistments in the "mosquito fleet."

The revenue bill, as now prepared, it is estimated, will raise between $95,000,000 and $100,000,000 annually. The principal decision made yesterday was the definite determination not to place a tax upon railroad and other transportation tickets or petroleum. It was decided, however, to place a tax of 1 cent upon chewing gum and 2 and 4 cents upon mineral waters, ginger ale and foreign and native wines, 2 cents on pints and 4 cents on quarts. These additions are made to the stamp tax act of 1866, which is re-enacted with modifications. A tonnage tax, which is expected to raise $2,500,000, was also incorporated in the bill. The addition of $1 per barrel upon beer is expected to raise $35,000,000. The question of allowing a rebate on beer stamps is still open. The doubling of the tobacco tax and the provision for a retail license of $4.80 are expected to raise $30,000,000, and the provisions of the stamp tax over $30,000,000.

Inquiry at the navy department as to the story that our government had arranged for the seizure of the Hawaiian islands and the establishment of a coaling station in Hawaii failed to secure any positive statement on the subject. There is good authority for believing that the story is exaggerated, and that all that has been done is to provide for the establishment of a coaling depot and its adequate protection.

Was the Topeka Lost?

Falmouth, April 23.—Captain Porrson of the Swedish bark Albatross, from Mobile for Dundee, which was towed in here Thursday damaged from collision at midnight of the 19th, about 60 miles southwest of the Scilly islands, with an unknown vessel, says that he believes that the vessel colliding with him was a steamer, and that she had foundered, for after she had flashed an electric light nothing more was seen of her. In shipping circles, the steamer is supposed to be the United States cruiser Topeka, formerly the Diogenes, which left Falmouth on the evening of April 19.

The Topeka was purchased April 2 from the Thames iron works, London, by Lieutenant Colwell, United States naval attache. She was built for Peru in 1883, but never became the property of that country. For more than 10 years she lay in the Thames river yards. When the Japan-China trouble began she was sold to Japan. The opening of hostilities, however, prevented her from leaving English waters. It was never intended that she should be other than a river boat. She carried two "long toms" and a stern chaser, of excellent calibre, and four Maxim guns. Her registered displacement was 1800 tons and her speed 16 knots per hour.

Sherman to Resign.

Washington, April 23.—There is every reason to believe that Secretary of State Sherman will resign from the cabinet within the next few days. It is felt by the friends of the secretary that the present crisis is too serious a task upon his failing strength, and for this reason he will retire to private life. His successor will be Assistant Secretary Day in all probability, but it can be stated that Judge Day has no desire to remain in public life.



JOHN SHERMAN.

It is the president's natural desire to promote Judge Day to the position which Mr. Sherman will vacate, but if he persists in his desire to leave official life there will be a reorganization of the department to the extent of a new secretary and a new assistant secretary.

Declaration of War.

Washington, April 23.—The Washington Post says that the president will send a message to congress suggesting that a declaration of war be passed. The message was in course of preparation at the state department yesterday afternoon. This action was hastened by the seizure of the Spanish merchantman off the Florida coast and the desire to prevent possible complications. The right of seizure, however, is not questioned by the administration, since Spain herself accepted our ultimatum as a declaration of war.

Awaiting Hostile Acts.

Paris, April 23.—The report of Professor Renault, which was submitted to a meeting of the hight officials of the various ministries convened by the minister of foreign affairs to consider the question of a declaration of neutrality and its consequences, is as follows: "It is important to state that as yet the powers have no declaration of neutrality to make, a state of war between the United States and Spain not being as yet officially announced. Spain, by forestalling the delivery of the ultimatum of the United States in handing the ambassador his passports, has in fact merely broken off diplomatic relations, which is not the same thing as a declaration of war. We must admit, therefore, the first act of hostilities on the part of one of the two powers before a state of war can be considered really existent."

May Seize the Paris.

London, April 23.—The Spanish embassy notified Madrid yesterday of the departure of the Paris. It is probable that fast cruisers from Cadiz will try to intercept her.

Surprise was expressed that the Paris should have sailed unescorted, especially as there were rumors in the Mersey that Spanish war vessels were waiting to intercept her off the south coast of Ireland; yet the passengers were assured of their perfect safety.

Manila to Be Attacked.

London, April 23.—The American suqadron at Hong Kong, according to a special dispatch from Shanghai, has sailed for Manila, which it will attack. The dispatch says: "Three steamers recently purchased by the United States government will follow the fleet with coal. The approaches to Manila are mined. It is reported here that the priests and the commercial classes in the Philippines are in favor of a peaceful surrender rather than to suffer a bombardment, but that the military are determined to resist."

Reply to the Queen.

Madrid, April 23.—The National in a "speech of the Spanish nation to the queen regent in reply to the speech from the throne," says: "On reading the words of your majesty we cannot hide from our queen the fact that they fill us with profound sadness. Your majesty says nothing of the employment that has been given our 200,000 sons hurried away from productive work in order to fight for the fatherland, and the king, his majesty, makes no mention of the 2,000,000 pesetas earned by the sweat of our brow which we contributed to preserve intact our honor. You say nought about the manner in which gold and blood have changed places, nor how the gold and blood are to be regained."

"Athwart this speech, madam, we see a mother bending down over a cradle, but we seek in vain for a queen bending over a tomb which appears to open to receive an ill-starved nation. Still with that nobility of soul that has enabled us to bestow a name and character upon Spain, we receive your request and we have no objection to protect the throne of your son, the king, in remembrance of that other king, your consort."

Want a War Vessel.

Gloucester, Mass., April 23.—Mayor Frank E. Davis of this city received the following telegram from Washington, signed by Congressman W. H. Moody, last night: "Will Gloucester furnish at once a crew of 70 for the yacht Corsair, just purchased for $200,000, if named Gloucester?"

Mayor Davis immediately answered in the negative by wire, and later sent a letter to Congressman Moody, informing him that the people of this city wanted a war vessel that would have a prominent place in the navy, and not one which might be sold at the close of hostilities. The mayor added that Gloucester's record warranted the naming of a vessel in her honor equal in size and power of those named for other cities the size of Gloucester.

Engines Deliberately Disabled.

Galveston, Tex., April 23.—It is reported by Captain Barnes, of a British steamer, which arrived here yesterday from Las Palmas, Canary islands, that the delay of the Spanish torpedo fleet at that place, which was attributed to the rough sea, was in fact due to the deliberate disabling of the engines by the engineers, who did not want to cross the sea. Repairs, it was said, were made by local machinists, as the enginers could not be trusted.

Wild Editor In Paris.

Paris, April 23.—The Parole had a violent article yesterday, attacking Great Britain's attitude towards Spain and characterizing Great Britain as the "hypocritical accomplice of the United States." It said: "Their alliance is ignomy, but perhaps it is just as well that they should work together, for there will be a day when they will be called to account by international justice, and that day the British leech will be forced to disgorge and Europe will no longer tolerate the disgrace of allowing the law to be laid down by such assassins and malefactors as John Bull and Brother Jonathan. That day Europe will have reason for congratulation that they will be unable to invoke any excuse for mercy. They have been brothers in infamy, and history will sooner or later chastise them together."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 23.—Senator Cook of Worcester challenged the bill to allow the court to exclude persons during the trial of cases involving indecent testimony. He denounced it as fit to have originated in the Spanish inquisition in its "star chamber" character, a direct blow at the freedom of the press. There were five votes for and 20 against the measure.

Amid the clamor of war and weighty council meetings the governor yesterday found time to issue the annual proclamation for arbor day, April 30.

In the house yesterday Mr. Davis of Amesbury presented a bill, under a suspension of the rules, to provide for the payment of a state bounty to persons enlisting for service in the Cuban war, and to entitle such persons and their families to receive state or military aid. The amount of the bounty is fixed at $100 for each person enlisting.

In the senate the proposition to establish a state board of insanity was considered. Now the state board of lunacy and charity has the charge of the insane. It is proposed to separate the two departments of the board, because it is thought that better results will be secured by a division of the labor. At the conclusion of the debate the bill with perfecting amendments was ordered to a third reading almost unanimously.

The joint judiciary committee reported reference to the next general court on the petition for an amendment to the employers' liability act so that suits to recover damages for injuries to or death of an employe may be brought within one year after the granting of administration.

Federal Senate and House.

Washington, April 23.—During the brief open session of the senate yesterday the formal announcement of the death of Senator Walthall of Mississippi was made and arrangements were perfected, so far as the senate is concerned, for the funeral ceremonies. A secret session of two hours was held, during which the conference report on the volunteer bill was agreed to, but no business was done in open session.

The house displayed its enthusiasm for the war upon which the country has entered by rushing through without debate the conference report on the bill authorizing the president to call out the volunteers and agreeing by unanimous consent to meet at 10 o'clock today to take up the consideration of the army reorganization bill. The passage of the latter bill is considered imperatively necessary by the war department. The Patterson-Carmack contested election case was disposed of, the sitting member, Mr. Carmack, being given the seat by a vote of 136 to 113. Several Republicans voted with the Democrats, and many declined to vote. The Democrats were very bitter in their denunciations of Patterson, who belonged to the gold wing of the party. Both the contestant and contestee addressed the house in their own behalf. Mr. Allen of Mississippi said he had never before heard a more glowing eulogy of patriotism and statesmanship than Mr. Patterson had delivered upon himself.

Left Hooks on the Jaw.

Louisville, April 23.—"Dick" Case of Seattle lowered the colors of Tommy Cavanaugh of Buffalo last night in the third round. Case opened hostilities by forcing the fighting, and the first two rounds were devoted mainly to a chasing contest without really hard blows being landed. In the third round, however, the principals came together at the call of time and for a moment the fighting was fast and furious. Case finally landed a terrific left hook on the Buffalonian's jaw, bringing him to his knees. He took the full limit to rise. Case brought him to the floor at once with a similar blow and again he took the limit. On arising he made a game effort to withstand the rush of his opponent, but to no avail. With a left swing on the jaw Case put his man to sleep and was awarded the decision.



A woman does not have to be placed under an X-ray to show to all beholders that she is suffering from ill-health. Ill-health marks a woman much more quickly than it does a man. It destroys the sparkle in her eye, the bloom of health on her cheek, her vivacity of manner, her sprightliness of carriage and makes her nervous, petulant and despondent.

Generally ill-health in a woman is due to disorders or derangements of the delicate and important feminine organs which are the cradle of the race. No woman who suffers in this way can retain her good looks or her attractiveness. The daily burden of torturing, dragging pains that she carries, will soon make her a physical wreck, and eventually either kill her or drive her to insanity. Any woman may restore and retain her health and strength in a womanly way by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures absolutely and completely the weakness and diseases peculiar to her sex. It does away with the necessity for the obnoxious "examinations" and "local treatments" insisted upon by nearly all physicians, and enables her to treat herself in the privacy of her home. It is the invention of Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Any woman may consult him by letter free of charge. All correspondence sacredly confidential.

"I was sickly for sixteen years with prolapsus, weakness, disagreeable drain, pain in the small of my back and costiveness," writes Mrs. Mary Ashlin, of Barronett, Barron Co., Wis. "When I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I could not sit up. After taking it for one week I got up and did my housework. I have taken four bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription,' one bottle of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and three bottles of the 'Pleasant Pellets.' These medicines have cured me. I feel as well as I ever did. Seven of the best doctors in the land treated my case, but gave me no relief."



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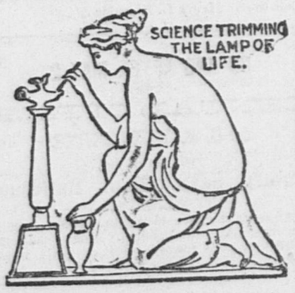
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GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES.

Asia comes from the Sanskrit ushas, signifying "land of the dawn."

Africa traces its origin to the Phœnician afer, a black man, and the Sanskrit ac, the earth, a country.

England was originally Engaland, the land of the Engles or Angles, who came over from Sieswick, a province of Jutland.

Europe owes its name to the Greek eurus, broad and op. to see, or ops, the face, in allusion to "the broad face of the earth."

The name America honors the memory of Amerigo Vespucci, the Florentine navigator who landed on the new continent south of the equator the year after Columbus discovered the northern mainland in 1498.

Persia is indebted for its title to the Greeks, who gave the name of Persis to the region (of which the capital was Persiopolis) originally overrun by a wild branch of the Ayrian race called the Parsa, meaning, in the native tongue, "the Tigers."

Britain was known to the Phœnicians as Barat Anac, or "the land of tin," as far back as the year 1037 B. C. Some 500 years afterward the island was alluded to by the Romans under the name of Britannia, which subsequently became shortened into Britain.

The term China is a western corruption of Esina, so called in honor of Tsin, the founder of the great dynasty which began in the third century B. C. It was Tsin who built the great wall of China, or Tsin, to keep out the barbarians. The Chinese empire bears the description of the Celestial empire because its early rulers were all celestial deities.—"Names and Their Meaning."

THE KINETOSCOPE.

Baseball players are under a harrowing suspicion that their belligerent rights are being tampered with.—Washington Star.

When the ocean is not big enough to accommodate our new navy any longer without crowding, we will buy another ocean, that's all.—Detroit Journal.

By another year the enthusiastic anti-monopolists of Dawson probably will be whooping it up for municipal ownership of dogs.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Some Kansas City veterinarians held a banquet and dined on horse meat. But this is not unusual. Racing men often dine on horse stakes.—Philadelphia North American.

A Louisville paper says there is plenty of the spirit of 1776 in that state. One hundred and twenty two years old! Jemima! What a head it must have on it!—Denver Post.

Another uprising of the Kurds in Asia has just been reported, from which it would seem that everything is playing into the hands of the powder makers this year.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A devilfish recently killed at Portland, Or., was found to have a vermiform appendix, and the doctors are all blaming themselves because he died without their assistance.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

There is some reason to doubt the report that in New York women give their seats on the street car to their older sisters. If the story were true, we would have heard that all the New York women are standing up.—Louisville Post.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

In setting out trees or plants be sure that the soil comes in close contact with the roots.

When manure is applied, mix it thoroughly with the soil. It is not advisable to have the roots come into direct contact with the manure.

All tree planting should be done as early as possible, so that the trees can get well started to grow before dry weather sets in.

The raspberry thrives best in deep, warm soil. Never plant in a low, wet place. A northern slope is best.

A sucker is an offshoot from the root which on being detached forms a new plant. Red raspberries and blackberries are propagated in this way.

A graft of scion is a section of last year's branch inserted wedge fashion in the end of a root or other branch and thus made to grow.

Bone dust and wood ashes will usually supply all that will be lacking for strawberries in any soil.

Onions, lettuce, radishes, peas and beets can be sown now at the first opportunity. But be sure that the soil is in a good tilth.—Exchange.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Do not keep too many hens in a flock.

Growing chickens usually fatten slowly.

Plant plum or pear trees in the poultry runs.

Too much and too rich food often causes apoplexy.

All young fowls should be kept as dry as possible.

Yellow droppings mean indigestion more than cholera.

Pekin ducks are the best to keep where there are no ponds.

Baked corn bread soaked in milk until soft makes one of the very best feeds for young poultry.

The hens usually cease to lay when they are improperly fed or when they are in a diseased condition.

A chicken that is continually chilled rarely amounts to much, because its vitality is used up to resist and overcome disease.

One of the quickest ways of breaking up a setting hen is to put her in a box or cage with nothing but a board to sit on.—St. Louis Republic.

CHICAGO HATPINS.

It appears that hades hath no fury like a Chicago woman with a handy hatpin.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

In the hands of the infuriated Chicago woman the hatpin is much more dangerous than the sword.—Washington Post.

Another woman has done up a man with a hatpin in Chicago. Don't overlook the Daughters of the Revolution and the hatpins in estimating our resources in a war with Spain.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE RUSSIAN BEAR.

China is the apple of Russia's eye, and there ain't goin ter be no Korea.—New York Press.

It is noticeable that most of the discussions of Russia's actions take place afterward.—Detroit News.

Russia will invest only about $70,000,000 in war vessels. Russia will not do anything extravagant and thus deprive herself of cigarette money.—Washington Post.

A GIRL EVANGELIST.

Miss Scott, Who Is Preaching In Philadelphia With Remarkable Success.

Miss Catherine Scott, the only girl evangelist in this country, has been attracting considerable attention in Philadelphia of late, where she has been holding revival meetings in the Presbyterian churches.

Miss Scott is only 21 years of age and enjoys the distinction of being the first



MISS CATHERINE SCOTT.

woman who has ever been permitted to preach in the Presbyterian churches of the Quaker City.

She is a remarkably magnetic talker, and holds her audience with ease, while the religious influence she apparently exerts over the crowd is remarkable, as is evidenced by the large numbers of converts at all her meetings.

When Miss Scott was asked the other day to furnish particulars regarding her career and to tell why she became an evangelist, she said:

"I was born in the suburbs of Glasgow, Scotland, in 1876. My grandfather on my father's side was a farmer in the north of Scotland, and he was recognized throughout the country as being one of the most godly men of his time. My mother comes from one of the oldest country families in Wightonshire, Scotland, and from her I have the blood of the old Scottish Covenanters in my veins. I was converted at a very early age and after finishing my education I, with my parents, came to America four years ago. Being brought up in the Presbyterian church from childhood, we united with the Bethesda Presbyterian church of Philadelphia.

"A number of the ladies of the church, seeing my strong desire to become an evangelist, became very much interested in me, and they sent me to Colonel H. H. Hadley, in New York city. I remained in his great mission in East Forty-second street for some time, and after spending an enjoyable time with him in his great work I came back to Philadelphia, God helping me to come out as an evangelist in the Presbyterian church.

"As the church never had been open to woman before I knew the battle would be a hard one. I went and saw a number of ministers, and they did not seem very willing to let me in, but I held on, and one bright day Dr. Wilbur Chapman of Bethany mission (Mr. John Wanamaker's) sent for me to come and address an enormous meeting.

"I went, and the Sunday school building was packed. That was my beginning. The first man in Philadelphia to open his pulpit to me was Dr. Andrew Jackson Sullivan of Trinity Presbyterian church, and I held a week's meetings with him last January, and on my last Sunday the church was packed to overflowing, and many souls were brought from darkness into light from his church. I have since been in other Presbyterian churches in Philadelphia and have always been favorably received."

Cost of English Wife Beating.

Lichfield city police court. Before Messrs. A. C. Lomax and T. Walmesley. Arthur Mynard, charged with assaulting his wife. He knocked her down and kicked her, rendering her insensible. Fined £1 and costs.

Kirkcaldy police court. Before Bailie Guthrie. David Crombie, charged with assaulting his wife by seizing her by the throat, compressing it with his hands and throwing her on the floor. He had been twice previously convicted. Fined £1 and costs.

West Hartlepool police court. Before the mayor and other magistrates. Henry Sherwood, charged with assaulting his wife. The woman said defendant caught hold of her by the hair, struck her on the face, and when she ultimately got away from him her head was "just like a pulp." Fined 20s. and 7s. 6d. costs.—London Truth.

The Popular Summer Bodice.

The separate bodice, to the delight of all women, not only maintains its sway, but has grown more elegant and consequently more feminine looking. While the skirt worn with it should not match it, care is taken not to make the contrast too great. The wash materials, especially pique, silk, linen lawn and dotted muslin, continue in vogue, but these are apt either to be made very simply or else they are decorated with narrow frills of lace. For the more elaborate bodice for summer wear, which appears in every woman's wardrobe, the changeable taffetas and the figured silks are given the preference. Plain satin, liberty silk and satin, foulard and fine, soft wools are also used.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Without Woman's Influence.

Dr. Hepworth finds that the degraded and declining condition of Turkey is in great part due to the fact that its civilization, such as it is, is wholly without the influence of woman. He says in the New York Herald of the sultan's country: "Woman is not a factor and is not considered. The Turkish world is a man's world, and a man's world isn't good for much."

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M. except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue.

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 and 47 minutes past the hour.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

In Council, April 18, 1898.

ORDERED: On the petition of James Thompson and others that Payne street from Franklin street to Phipps street be laid out and accepted as a public way of the City, that a public hearing be given by the City Council, to all parties interested, on MONDAY evening, May 2, 1898, in the council chamber, City Hall, at 8 o'clock, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger at least seven days before the the time of said hearing.

Adopted April 18, 1898.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

In Council, April 18, 1898.

ORDERED: On the petition of A. W. Parker and others that Putnam street, beginning at Greenleaf street, and running northerly 812.95 feet to Butler road be accepted a way of the city and the grade thereof established, that a public hearing be given by the City Council, to all parties interested, on MONDAY evening, May 2, 1898, at 8.10 o'clock, in the Council chamber, City Hall, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger at least seven days before the time of said hearing.

Adopted April 18, 1898.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR. Clerk of Council.

April 22. 2t

Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.

H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D., Inspector of Milk.

April 12. 12t

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	72	49	54
Monday	67	63	62
Tuesday	51	58	66
Wednesday	50	59	35
Thursday	60	48	53
Friday	66	42	68
Saturday	62	49	76

New Advertisements Today.

Herman H. Pratt—Iver Johnson bicycles.
C. B. Underwood—Dentist.

ABOUT 25 RESPOND.

Anxious to Go to Front With Capt. Kincaide.

There was an unusual scene of activity at the armory of Co. K Friday evening caused by the call of Capt. Kincaide for sixty volunteers to place the company on a war footing of one hundred men.

During the first part of the evening the recruiting was in charge of Major Morrison and Lieut. Whitney. Later in the evening Capt Kincaide arrived and took a hand. At first the applications came slow and during the first hour but few were received. Then there was a little rush and before the close of the evening twenty-five had been enrolled.

This is considered by Capt. Kincaide as good. He further says that there is a great deal of interest being manifested, especially in Quincy, and many he has talked with will enlist. Previous engagements however prevented them being present Friday evening.

The recruiting will be continued tonight and every night until the required number is secured.

In order to enlist the applicant answers certain questions as to his age, birthplace, etc., and then later he must pass a physical examination.

In times of peace the physical examination is not enforced but on occasions like the present, when the company may be sent to the front, a sound body and a strong constitution is necessary, and none will be accepted but those who successfully pass this examination.

While the enlisting was in progress many of the members of the company were present talking over the prospects of war and there is no donbt from the feelings expressed by those of the company present last night, that when the call comes there will be no shirking but the company will go to a man.

The enlistment blank reads as follows:

(*Place and date*), ... 189

To the Officers and Members of Company . . . . Regiment . . . . Massachusetts Volunteer Militia:

I HEREBY DECLARE, That it is my desire to become a member of your Company, and to that end have authorized . . . . . to propose my name as a candidate for membership; I am a citizen of the United States, and a native of . . . . . ; I am . . . years of age; my height is . . . feet . . . . and my occupation is . . . . . If admitted to membership I will perform all the duties required by the Laws and Regulations for the government of the Militia of the Commonwealth of Massachnsetts, and the By-Laws of your Regiment and Company. I will obey the orders of my superior officers, and endeavor to become a good and efficient soldier. I have . . . been previously in the military service, as follows: . . . . . .

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That the above is a full and complete statement o f any and all service rendered by me, and I have only served as stated.

Name, ...

Residence, ...

Place of Business, ...

Signed in the presence of . . . . . .

—Mrs. Alfred Belcher of South Weymouth who is 75 years of age, started alone a few days ago on a long trip across the continent to her sister's home in California.

—The child who called a butterfly a "flutterby" was certainly inspired. The new name says the Somerville Journal, ought to replace the one in all the dictionaries.

☞ Popular Ranges at Popular Prices. The Glenwood, $18.00 to $33.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Another week of April.

Probably a cloudy Sunday.

George Glover of Wollaston is the father of a little girl which came to his house this week.

The street railway will not commence building its double track from City Hall to Adams street until the sewer construction is completed.

Members of the Grand Army of Stoughton were in Quincy Sunday to see the new soldiers' monument which was being made by one of our firms for the town of Stoughton.

Washington street is very well lighted, but there is one long space which should have a light of some kind. It is very dark between north and Chubbuck streets also down grade and narrow.

Last year people who had lawn sprinklers did not have much use for them, and the way old April is starting in this year, it looks as though the hose would not be of much use for 1898.

The hurdy gurdy party announced for May 7 will be held in Music hall instead of Faxon hall. This together with Marie Grosse as tambourinist will make a popular sunlight party for the young people.

Several Quincy business men received confidential green goods circulars in their morning mail. The circular said that their name had been recommended by the author's son who was travelling.

Today being St. George's day, the Rev. Mr. Breed will speak on "The Legend of St. George" in Christ church Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. St. George is the patron Saint of England.

Mount Wollaston Lodge of Odd Fellows will observe the 79th anniversary of Odd Fellowship on Wednesday evening next. This is one of the occassions when the wives and lady friends are invited.

A letter received from William Dunn, a Quincy boy who is on the battleship Cincinnati, says all of the men on board the ship are more than anxious to get at the Spanish fleet to avenge the Maine, and when they get at it this will spur them on to victory.

The chess tournament to have taken place at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening between Quincy and Boston players, did not come off, the Boston players not appearing. An effort will be made to hold the meet next Friday evening.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Wollaston Congregational church has issued a neat schedule of topics and leaders from May 1 to Nov. 1. There is also a list of officers and of the committees, which include; look-out, prayer meeting, missionary, social, flower and music.

At Wollaston the sidewalks are the common highways for the bicyclists, pedestrians have no rights thereon, according to usage, and are ruthlessly crowded into the gutters. Even where the streets are in excellent condition the sidewalks are invariably used. The police have been repeatedly appealed to, to protect the people, but have taken no decisive action.

—Paper floors are enjoying a steadily increasing popularity, which is readily explained by the many advantages they possess over wooden flooring. An important advantage consists in the absence of joints, whereby accumulations of dust, vermin and fungi dangerous to health are done away with. The new paper floors are bad conductors of heat and sound, and in spite of their hardness, have a linoleumlike, soft feel to the foot. The costs are considerably lower than those of floors made of hard wood. The paper mass receives a small addition of cement as binder, and is shipped in bags, in powder form. The mass is stirred into a stiff paste, spread out on the floor, pressed down by means of rollers, and painted with oakwood, nutwood or mahogany color, after drying. — German exchange.

—The Randolph Register regrets very much to announce that Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. McIntire are soon to take possession of a new residence in Quincy, which has been built for them on President's Hill, one of the finest locations in that city. It is a house of thirteen rooms, and overlooks Massachusetts and Quincy bays, and the surrounding country. A better choice could not have been made. Mr. McIntire located there because he was satisfied that this property would bring a good price, should he wish to sell, as such comfortable houses and sightly locations are always in demand. Their home will be ready for them before long, and they have already made preparations for removal.

There Are Such Women.

The dainty little French performer on a vaudeville stage was drawing a charcoal sketch of a ship at sea, with the towers and battlements of an oriental town in the background. It was a night scene, and the moon was full and visible. Everybody saw the picture except a woman well in the front of the theater. She saw it with her eye, but her imperfectly constituted brain didn't see that the lines on the board represented anything.

"Do you see the ship now?" asked her impatient husband.

"It must be night," she said.

"Of course it's night. Don't you see the moon?"

"What is that white stuff in the rear?" she asked, referring to the oriental city.

"Dear me," said her husband, "you are like the fool that can't see the man in the moon, only worse."

"Any way, he's a handsome man," pursued the female. "Do you suppose he's 45 or 33?"

"Don't you see the ship and the city now?" persisted the husband.

"I see something that looks like cheese," she admitted, but at the look of despair on her partner's face she added:

"Oh, yes, now I do see it all. How stupid I was. How pretty and clever it is, to be sure. He's a handsome fellow, and well dressed. Shall we go home, dear, or see what the next act is?"

Without answering her husband arose and helped her on with her coat, and they left the theater, together in body, but widely, widely, separated in spirit. —New York Commercial Advertiser.

He Was at Home.

When Mr. Felix Mahoney was a special pension examiner, he had a bit of an experience which deserves a place in the singular coincidence list. It happened up in Connecticut. Mr. Mahoney and a temporary hireling of his were driving along a country road in a sleigh, when in a snow filled cut the conveyance broke down. In the field beside the road Mr. Mahoney caught sight of a man's head. He lifted up his voice and called to the man. The head rose slowly, higher and higher, till its owner's entire figure was revealed, as he climbed out of a grave he had been digging.

"Where does Jim Smith live?" roared Mr. Mahoney.

"Hey?" said the gravedigger, for of course he was deaf. You never heard of a gravedigger in a story who wasn't.

"Where does Jim Smith live?" roared the pension examiner again, fortissimo.

The gravedigger pointed to the nearest house.

"Well," said he, "that's his house over there."

"Is he at home?" bellowed Mr. Mahoney.

"Oh, yes," said the gravedigger. "He's at home. I'm just digging his grave."—Washington Star.

Coal In the Transvaal.

In one colliery not half a dozen miles from the gold mines I have seen a seam of coal 70 feet in thickness. This coal, though of a low quality, suffices for the purposes of the gold mines, and there is a sufficient quantity of it to outlast far the lives of all the gold miners. Besides these coal deposits near the goldfields and those others by the Vaal river, which furnish coal for the railway system far down into Cape Colony, there are literally hundreds, perhaps even a thousand, square miles of coal in the Middleberg and Ermelo districts lying between Pretoria and Delagoa Bay. In the midst of these coal beds is the outcrop of iron ore, and running through them is the lately constructed railway to Delagoa Bay. With these vast coalfields close to a first rate port on the Indian ocean the prospects of the coal mining industry seem brilliant.—"South Africa Today," Younghusband.

The Bicycle Fiend.

"One most obtrusive unpleasantness in the conversation of the bicycle fiend," observed a nonbicyclist, "is his habit of personally appropriating every part and particle of his machine. It is apparently not enough that he should possess the bicycle in its entirety, but also in detail. 'My wheel,' when uttered two or three times to every sentence, is bad enough, but when it comes to 'my saddle,' 'my tires,' 'my valves,' 'my handle bar' and so forth, the effect is both irritating and irrational. I once heard a man discourse for hours upon 'my inner tube.' Being then not so erudite upon the thing as I am now, I had the greatest difficulty in determining what he meant. From the viewpoint of him who does not ride, the possessive case is nowhere so overworked as in the conversation of the bicycle fiend."—New York Sun.

President Kruger on Office Seeking.

A good story of President Kruger is told in an article on "Mining and Politics In the Transvaal," in The National Review. Some of the president's young relations applied to him for office. He considered awhile and said, "I can do nothing, for the high offices of the state are in firm hands and for little clerkships you are too stupid."

Editing by the Golden Rule.

A country editor puts the old question in new shape and says to his subscribers: "Brother, don't stop your paper just because you don't agree with the editor. The last cabbage you sent us didn't agree with us either, but we didn't drop you from our subscription list on that account."—Gordon (Neb.) Journal.

Thirty-four years ago a picturesque scene was enacted in the Danish capital. A deputation of Greeks stood before the old king of Denmark and asked that they might offer the crown of their country to his great nephew, Prince George. For an answer the old man turned to the youth, bade him take a seat at his side and saluted him as his brother sovereign.

BRAINTREE.

W. L. Sturtevant has moved to Roxbury.

Rev. O. Ordway will preach tomorrow in Hudson N. H.

Mr. Henry Gardner has been down in Maine on a business trip.

Mr. F. O. Wellington returned from Washington Monday morning.

The local yachtsmen are very busy getting their boats ready for a season of sport.

Rev. S. E. Ellis, a former pastor of the South M. E. church, was in town the first of the week, calling on old friends.

At the class meeting, Tuesday evening, Rev. W. H. Allen and Mrs. Allen were presented with a handsome cake basket and silver ladle. The reverend gentleman responded very feelingly after which a farewell reception was held.

The Literary club met at the residence of Mr. A. S. Morrison Monday evening. The quotations were from Wendell Phillips. Biography of Wendell Phillips by Mr. A. S. Morrison; conscience as an inspiration, Mrs. A. B. Keith; with selections read by Conrad W. Crooker. The second hour was in charge of the class in art. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. E. Morrison, May 2.

The monthly consecration meeting will be held Sunday evening, April 24, at 6 o'clock. There will be a collection for the Congregational church building society. At this prayer meeting the 61st Psalm will be repeated in concert. It would be well for every member to commit this Psalm to memory. At the last meeting very few appeared able to repeat it.

The Taunton roller polo team will cross sticks with the East Weymouths at the East Weymouth rink this evening, (Saturday), The Braintree rooters will go down and root for the herring city boys.

The East Weymouth team will be given a benefit on Saturday evening next. A picked team from players of the national league will play against them and a good game may be expected. Come boys give them a good send off.

The adjourned parish meeting of the Universalist parish will take place this evening.

The Y. P. C. U. held a dime party last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Arnold.

Mr. Joseph A. Ewart and about a dozen school boys took a trip to Nantasket on Tuesday and also visited the life saving station.

Col. Soueter will inspect Company K in the Armory on Tuesday evening. The inspection will be public and all who desire to do so are invited to be present.

Dennis Buckley one of our electricians who is a member of the naval brigade has been summoned into the service and has gone on the steamship "Priarie."

A large delegation of our school children in charge of Mr. J. A. Ewart will visit Concord and Lexington today; and view the place where Massachusetts had her "first fit."

Mr. R. W. Cone reviewed the work in voice culture by the teachers of the town, last Monday afternoon, and those who were fortunate enough to attend the course express themselves as highly gratified with the benefits derived from practising the system. They have the satisfaction of feeling that a beginning has been made and it is probable that next year the work will be taken up again.

At the rehearsal on Wednesday evening it was voted to suspend the rehearsals during the months of May, June, July, August, September, and that the next regular rehearsal be held on the first Wednesday in October.

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—If a cat catches chickens, tie one of her victims about her neck. Fasten it securely, for she will make incredible efforts to get rid of it. Be firm, and the cat is cured, and will never again desire to touch a chicken or bird,—Farm Journal.

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ON AND AFTER MAY 2,

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Next week I shall receive samples of "Daylight" Automatic Generators for Acitylene Gas which will require my entire attention and storerooms.

Thanking my customers for their past favors, I am very respectfully,

ERNEST WORSDELL.

Quincy, April 20. 3t

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We keep a full assortment of Furniture, Stoves, Pipe and Elbows.

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Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

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No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

If you have any trouble with your eyes, go to

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It is expected that a duty will be put on Tea and Coffee in case of war. We quote for a short time only:

Good Oolong and English Breakfast Tea, 25c. lb., 5 lbs. $1.00.
COFFEE (quoted by some dealers as Java and Mocha) a rich, full flavored Coffee, ground while you wait, 18c. lb., 6 lbs. $1.00.
A 5-gallon galvanized iron faucet can filled, $1.15.
10-gallon Keg Best Porto Rico Molasses (no charge for keg), $4.50.
10-gallon keg Good Molasses, $2.75.
10 gallons Best Cider Vinegar, including keg, $2.00.
25 lbs. Laundry Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Corn Starch, $1.00.
20 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, $1.00.
12 Cans Tomatoes, $1.00.
20 quarts Best Pea Beans, $1.00.
100 lbs. Sugar, $5.25.

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Red Ash Nut Coal.

It is a very deep Red Ash, and free burning, which together with the fact that it is freshly mined, makes it the ideal coal for summer use.

Yours for trial,

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Wheels for '98

ORDER NOW.
Only agent in Quincy for
LOVELL, ECLIPSE, and CRAWFORD.

I have also a line of White, Adlake and a variety of second-hand wheels of all make and prices.
Quick repairing a specialty. Sundries constantly on hand.

J. H. GILLIS, MUSIC HALL BUILDING, QUINCY.
March 1. 3m

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Two new clerks in the Cape Cod fish market.

Mrs. M. A. Bonney will give tests at Faxon hall Sunday at 7.30 P. M.

The grounds around the First church look cleaner since the raking over.

Gov. Wolcott has issued the Arbor day proclamation for next Saturday.

Herbert F. Tucker of the Neck is a member of Co. K and will put on his knapsack if Uncle Sam wants him.

The non-commisssioned officers of Co. K have been ordered to report at the armory at 8 o'clock this evening.

Charles Jones of South street will make improvements about his place this spring. A new wall is to be laid in front of his residence.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co. are to close up their store at East Milton and give all their attention to the Quincy store.

The Frye school which defeated Adams academy the first of the week, lost to theHopkinsons yesterday 23 to 7.

Mrs. Johnathan Baxter of Washington street, Quincy Point, has let her residence and is to go to Ashmont to reside.

The City Council Committee on Ordinances met Friday evening and acted upon a number of petitions for minor licenses.

The Clover club held a social dancing party at St. Mary's hall last night. The affair was largely attended and a good time was enjoyed.

The new recruits of Co. K will commence to drill tonight and no time will be lost to place them in readiness to take the field.

The hearing before the Board of Health next Tuesday evening will be a private one, as all but those directly interested will be excluded.

The Belcher estate on Farrington street, Wollaston, owned by the Attleboro Savings Bank, has been sold by C. H. Johnson to Augusta A. Brown of Atlantic.

People who use the cars on the Braintree and East Milton lines do not have the long waits at the junction of Franklin and Water streets since the block signal system was put in.

Among the spectators at the fire this morning was a Spanish boy. He was quickly surrounded by a lot of American boys and it looked for a few minutes as though there might be a chapter of the war enacted.

TODAY'S COURT.

John H. Hayes and Joseph O. Gaillardit were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Weymouth.

John J. Baney was arraigned for violating the rules of the Metropolitan Park Commissioners by defacing and removing a stone wall. He was found not guilty and discharged.

David Sheahan was arraigned for assault at Quincy and was discharged upon payment of costs.

The continued case of Maurice Sheahan, for drunkenness, was called and was again continued for two weeks.

The continued case of Francis Mcguire for violating the smelt law at Weymouth was called and he was fined $50. Appealed.

The continued case of Patrick Maloney for bastardy was called and was again continued for one week.

YOU WRONG YOURSELF

If you think you are making the most of your opportunities and do not advertise liberally in the Quincy Daily Ledger, which reaches most of the families of Quincy, Wollaston, Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Quincy Point, Quincy Neck, South and West Quincy. It also circulates in Weymouth, Braintree and Milton.

JOHN WANAMAKER,

The millionaire of Philadelphia, who made his fortune by store advertising, says: "I never in my life used such a thing as a poster, or hand bill, or dodger. My plan for 20 years has been to buy so much space in a newspaper and fill it up as I want it."

Severe on Women Lawyers.

Emma Walker Herr gives the following apologue in The Philistine: "Once at the gate of a great city, to which only good people were admitted, sat the gatekeeper, a wise old man, whom for convenience we will call St. Peter. Along came a lawyer, who said, 'St. Peter, may I come in?'

"'No,' said the good old man, 'no lawyers can ever enter here.'

"He of the green bag turned sorrowfully away and sat down by the wayside to await further developments. Just down the road, tripping along, with a little red umbrella over her head, came a female disciple of Blackstone, wearing a smile intended to vanquish all argument and act as a password to the beautiful city. Of course St. Peter let her in. The poor man on the outside straightway headed for the gate again and demanded of St. Peter that he should show cause. 'You just let that woman in—and she's a lawyer from Ann Arbor.'

"'Oh,' said St. Peter, with a tired smile, 'the woman is not a lawyer. She only thinks herself one.' And he rapped the lawyer over the head with a big key and bade him begone."

A Busy Woman.

Mrs. Arthur C. Peck of Denver is the executive of four incorporated institutions—the Haymarket Haven, on Broadway, a home for young girls, where they are taught useful arts and are fitted to become domestics; the Belle Lenox nursery, a spacious building with large yard, a refuge for little ones; the Working Girls' home, where working girls find a home when newly arrived in the city or when thrown out of employment, and the Colorado Conference Deaconess home, just incorporated. The Rocky Mountain Advocate says, "Absolutely free from ostentation, officiousness or self seeking, reticent and timid, Mrs. Peck bears all these enterprises in detail and conducts them without friction." The right of suffrage evidently does not absorb all her energies or necessitate the abandonment of charitable work, as we are told would be the case. Mr. Peck is much interested in his wife's work and contributes liberally to all her benevolent institutions.

The Postmaster at Dyea.

Clara H. Richards, the postmaster at Dyea, Alaska, refuses to deliver the mails for more than two persons to any one individual waiting in line at the official window. There is a line several hundred feet long in front of the office all day, and to stop the whole line to wait for any one person to call for a list of names amounting sometimes to 600 and even 1,000 from the outlying camps would be a hardship to the general public. She also limits the sale of stamps to 25 or 50 cents' worth to one person, as it is impossible to keep a supply on hand, and private speculators getting possession of them charge as high as 25 cents each. Miss Richards adds that the assistance given her thus far in conducting the affairs of the office has been entirely voluntary and that as a result of the enlarged business her bond has been increased from $500 to $7,000 without increase of pay.—Boston Woman's Journal.

The First Woman Aeronaut.

The first American woman aeronaut, Mrs. Lucretia B. Hubbell of Norwich, Conn., is still living, and has a thrilling story to tell of her adventure at Easton, Pa., 43 years ago, witnessed by several thousand people. Mrs. Hubbell was then unmarried and a lecturer on phrenology. She decided on an aerial flight "for pleasure and expansion of the lungs," to say nothing of a good advertisement. The balloon was a fine and large one of silk and shot up so rapidly into the cold air that the aeronaut's hands were benumbed. While she was opening the bags of ballast with her teeth the balloon burst. By a strange chance the fragments formed a perfect parachute and drifted 11 miles farther, landing with a hard bump in a New Jersey clover field. The daring young woman escaped without a scratch and had an immense audience at her lecture that night.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Women In the Churches.

Lady Tennyson, Mrs. Wilberforce and more than a thousand other influential churchwomen in England petitioned convocation that women should be eligible to serve on the new parish church councils, as they already are to serve on the secular parish councils. The lower house of convocation recommended that the petition be granted, but the bishops have decided that no women shall sit in the church councils, except those women who are churchwardens. These will be members ex-officio.

Mme. Martin on Woman's Rights.

Mme. Maria Martin, editor of the Journal des Femmes, Paris, says: "The liberty that man claims for himself is not the right of one sex. The sun shines for all. Woman, as well as man, has the right to follow her vocation, to cure the sick, to make the studies necessary for her to plead the cause of the innocent when her talents inspire her with the character for such a course. Shakespeares' picture of Portia was not simply imaginative; it was prophetic."

A Question of Name.

A woman notary public was recently married at Denver, and the question arose as to what name she should sign in her official capacity. The matter was referred to the attorney general of Colorado, who decided that she should continue to sign her maiden name, inasmuch as he could find no authority of law for her dropping it.

The Status of Cut Glass.

There is a decided tendency to replace the white cut glass long used on fashionable tables with the French gold and white. This does not mean that cut glass is banished or even put in the background very seriously, but rather that in the desire for a change something else has come to the fore.

A CLOSET FIRE.

Dense Smoke and Little Blaze—Damage Small.

The alarm from box 43 at 10.20 this morning sent the fire department to a house at the corner of Copeland and Common streets owned by Mrs. Michael Batts, who occupies the street floor. William F. Donaher occupies the upper part. The fire originated in a closet in the front room of Donaher's tenement. In the closet was a quantity of clothing and the fire was probably caused in some manner by matches in the pockets becoming ignited.

The burning clothing made a dense smoke which completely filled the house and made it difficult for the firemen to work. They however confined the fire to this closet, although there was a smoke and water damage to the lower part of the house.

Early arrivals hastily removed the furniture from the lower part of the house to the street.

Five dollars will cover what carpentering work there is to be done and $50 will cover the balance.

WEYMOUTH

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Prof. Giroux of the French-American College of Springfield will speak at the morning service of the Union Congregational Society tomorrow.

Joel F. Sheppard has teams at work removing the stone from the site of the new Union church. Mr. Sheppard will use this stone in filling in his new wharf.

George Hayden is having an addition built to his house on Walnut avenue. Hayward Brothers are doing the work.

Miss Cushing, the sister of Mrs. Baker, who lives on Washington street, is suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis.

Percy F. Baker, baritone singer is to give a concert at the Baptist church on Tuesday evening, May 3d. He will be assisted by Eva L. Baker, Charles T. Grilley, Wulf Fries, and Louis E. Tilden.

The Literary Circle met at Mr. E. W. Hunt's last Tuesday evening. The papers by Miss Fairbanks and Mr. Chamberlain were interesting and timely. The committee on program have chosen excellent topics throughout the season.

Prof. L. F. Giroux, of the French American College, Springfield, will speak in Pythian hall on Sunday morning at 10.30, and at the Congregational church in East Weymouth, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Rhoda Hill is still sick with pneumonia at her friend's home in Boston.

The new electric road from East Braintree to Quincy must be laid on hidden rocks in several places. There seems to be some delay on account of much blasting.

Clara B. Count, instructor of mathematics at the North High, has been spending her vacation at her home in Allenville, New York.

Henry Wilde has moved into the house on Elliot street lately vacated by Frank Kennerson.

Capt. Henry L. Kincaide of Company K, 5th Massachusetts regiment, has caused circulars calling for fifty volunteers to be posted in conspicuous places about town.

Irving Nightingale is learning the duties of a conductor on the Braintree and Weymouth street Railway.

Several vessels are discharging their cargo at the respective wharves in town. W. F. Sanborn & Co. have a vessel of foreign lumber which is being surveyed by a custom house official.

A great deal of excitement prevails in that part of the town near the Boston Ice Company's land. Last evening Charles Loud found the body of a baby about one day old wrapped in brown paper lying in the woods adjoining the ice company's property. Mr. Loud promptly notified Officer Allen who took charge of the babe. Medical Examiner Fraser was summoned, but his verdict nas not yet been announced.

By special request, the amateur photographic exhibition will continue one week longer.

Miss Austin, a student of Tufts college, will preach at the Universalist church, tomorrow.

—The Boston Elevated Railway Co. has made public its plan for elevated tracks from Dudley street, Roxbury, to Sullivan square, Charlestown, via. the South Union station and Atlantic avenue, and using the subway for cross town traffic. If work begins soon the road will be complete in about two years. It cannot be done too soon. —Somerville Citizen.

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Never to fear the utter dark,
Never to strain the eyes and hark
For any foot but the foot of Time;
Never to find hill worth the climb
Or joy that may be worth the tear,
My dear!

You are shut in from snow and sleet,
I am out in the wind;
My feet are strenge to the trodden street.
Love cannot hold or bind
My empty hands that let you go—
My hands that catch the silken snow
And let it slip from me in rain.
I love you, yet our souls are twain,
For I am hope and you are fear,
My dear!
—Pall Mall Gazette.

A CLOWN'S HATE.

That evening there was a great concourse of people on the Place de la Liberte. The Rosati circus was giving its last performance, and the public of Toulon was flocking to this farewell representation. At the doors beneath the flickering gleam of the rows of gaslights there was a ceaseless crush and movement—an endless line was slowly winding its way in, halting at every step and hammering the sounding planks with a confused clatter. All around on the notice boards stuck in the ground the colors of the flaming posters were displayed and, bathed in the garish light, dazzled the eye. In the crowd of spectators and idlers every one was reading aloud the placard which stood conspicuous in front:

"Positively the last time this evening. Last performances of Prince Icarus, the flying man, of Mlle. Rita and of Æsop, the grasshopper clown."

Within the circus the seats were already overflowing, and the same names repeated from mouth to mouth blended into a general murmur deadened by the canvas roof over the ring. Some of the circus men were raking the sawdust on the track, and above the door to the stables the musicians were languidly tuning their instruments or at times addressing friends who passed beneath the gallery. "That you? Marius, how goes it?" etc. In the upper rows the audience was alive with impatience for the expected spectacle and irritated by the passing of the young fashionable "first nighters"—envied frequenters behind the scenes—who pressed in a crowd to the narrow entrance leading to the greenroom.

Officers in civilian dress and students, ship brokers and idle dandies, all wished for the last time to get near the fair Mlle. Rita, the celebrated equestrienne, who for a month had been the subject of conversation in every messroom and every club. They stepped along, the elbowed and he elbowers, between the walls that were covered with sets of varnished harness and begged pardon every time they jostled a groom. They stopped at the stalls of Blue Devil and Djinn, the two trick Arabians, and under pretext of giving some sugar to the horses fluttered about the extemporized dressing room where Rita, tranquil and smiling, was donning her attire. Then came in succession the commonplace compliments, to which the star of the circus, unheeding, scarcely deigned to give an answer, without seeming to note the ardent gaze of her admirers.

She was a handsome girl, a careless gypsy, with the sun in her eyes and her blood, accustomed to the atmosphere of admiration, and she finished her toilet without hurrying. At times, however, impatiently, and with a pretty, rebellious movement, she gave her shoulders a shake and made the pearls of her necklace rattle. It was when the little clown Æsop, her husband, who, all befloured and painted, was walking before the room, his huge topknots swaying at every step, drew near, and with his sharp falsetto voice launched some taunt at the artist's courtiers. They laughed, they even applauded, but more often they lowered their eyes before the cutting, cold gaze of the dwarf, whose wan and grotesque face, in spite of the smile of his blood red and too large lips, seemed at some moments to be fraught with evil.

This evening the manikin was in a worse humor than usual. His jeers were more biting and more bitter and beneath the coat of flour covering his seamed features he appeared not pale, but livid. His eyes had a sharp and menacing flash in them and never left Rita, who, gayly posed before her mirror, was having her bodice laced by the handsome gymnast Icarus.

In the circus the orchestra was finishing a waltz by Metra. The curious were gradually quitting the stable and returning to their places. The sharp cuts of the ringmaster's whip were cracking in the arena. The show had begun. Icarus placed a last rose in the hair of the equestrienne and ran to chalk her shoes. He stumbled against his dwarfish comrade.

The clown seemed very busy in examining the gas meter and pushed him away with an oath. Then without more ado the acrobat sent him reeling and, leaping on a ladder, cried, with a laugh, "Out of the way, you pitiful pygmy!"

Æsop uttered a roar of rage and anger; then, suddenly calming himself, returned to the meter and, after having followed with an eye of hatred the ascent of Icarus, began fumbling with the mechanism of the stopcocks.

A great clapping of hands, a frantic ovation. Two hundred pretty women dropped their fans and leveled their opera glasses and, a trifle pale, smiled with a delicious dread. Icarus was up there—high up at the top of the circus—hanging to the last trapeze and turning over and over in it, slowly and without an effort.

At times he paused, and his face was seen radiant in the foolish pride of triumph. Below in the ring the clowns were stretching a circular net, and in all the circus reigned deep silence, broken only by a feminine whisper: "How graceful! What a handsome fellow!"

The gymnast then, finding his public sufficiently warmed up, raised himself at one pull, stiffening himself on his wrists.

The trapeze, violently thrown back, described a great arc, and, letting go the bar, the man shot forward like an arrow into space.

There was a feeling of apprehension in the crowd and an "Oh!" of affright uttered by a thousand breasts. The acrobat reached the second trapeze and calmly let himself swing in its decreasing oscillations.

Slowly he thus darted 11 times, calm and smiling as he made the tour of the circus and rejoicing at feeling beneath him the immense panting of the throng.

At the eleventh trapeze he paused to prolong this emotion—his glory—and his eyes sought out Rita. The equestrienne saw him, and with the handle of her whip threw him a kiss.

The elated Icarus, hanging by one hand, saluted her. Then he brought his trapeze to rest. He was about to complete his task.

"Enough!" said some voices.

"No! Bravo! Encore!" cried the ladies, eager to feel once more the perverse joy of an enticing pain.

For the twelfth time the handsome gymnast, stiffening his muscular arms, essayed his terrible flight.

But an appalling cry of terror, a frantic shout, arose.

In an instant, suddenly, like a candle put out by the flap of a bat's wing, the thousand glistening lights of the circus were extinguished all together at the precise and fatal moment when the man was darting into space.

At the same instant there rose from the ring a laugh, terrible, vibrating with hate.

Then in the black and hideous obscurity, in the pitchy darkness that filled the circus, lately so blazing, poignant shrieks rolled from row to row. Women fainted, and the spectators, with their hearts crushed in hopeless terror, shudderingly sat as if petrified in their places and peered into the night that filled the dome. The net was empty, the acrobat must be looked for in the gloom. In the search lanterns were brought and carried toward the top of the circus. Five minutes—five centuries—elapsed. Some one cried, "Bengal lights."

Then while here and there people were trying to relight the burners a blaze of violet and red, of green and azure, flashed out, and with a powerful illumination lit up at one flash every corner of the circus with its fantastic and trembling gleams.

And suddenly, as in the flames of a transformation scene, was seen, rigid, clamped to the trapeze, Prince Icarus, hanging motionless.

An unheard of horror paralyzed him in a supernatural frenzy. His hair stood erect. His distorted mouth grinned an idiot grin terrible to see, and in his face, whiter than that of a corpse, his haggard eyes, protruding from their sockets, rolled convulsively.

Soon his comrades were near him. With the handle of his knife Æsop struck the gymnast's hands and with great difficulty detached from the bar the clinched hands of the miserable man.

The gas was relighted, and the crowd, silently and without a breath, watched as it was slowly lowered down the descent of the living corpse.

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There is today near Marseilles, in the asylum of St. Pierre, a poor madman who stalks straight forward, his arms held in front and contracted in an imaginary grip. It is a frightful sight. It is Prince Icarus.

I do not know what jail holds Æsop. As to the fairy Rita, she is now a princess somewhere in Germany.—Adapted From the French For Argonaut.

Saved by a Dog.

The following story can be vouchsafed for, and in recognition of the timely action of the dog the Alliance Assurance company, with which the premises were insured, has awarded a silver medal to Zulu, fully realizing his sagacity in preventing what would otherwise have been a disastrous fire, with considerable danger to the occupiers of the house. Zulu, who sleeps in the basement of a large house in a fashionable quarter of one of our largest cities, was early one Sunday morning lately roused by an outbreak of fire, which had apparently been smoldering for some time between the floor of the dining room and ceiling of the room below. He, after repeatedly scratching at the bedroom door of one of the servants, succeeded in waking her. Thinking the dog must be unwell, she let him into her room and got into bed again, but was not allowed to sleep, as Zulu, sitting close by her bedside, kept "talking" to her (as she describes it) so vigorously that she suspected something must be wrong.

On getting up the dog appeared so delighted that she followed him out of the room, and on looking into one of the rooms discovered the ceiling burning. Upon rousing the owner of the house, who immediately had the fire alarm rung (which was fortunately close at hand), Zulu, seeming to know he had done his duty, rushed up stairs to his mistress and left the house with the children, evidently satisfied that he had fulfilled his part. On the fire brigade's arrival it was found that the fire had taken serious hold, and only required more air (which would have been given in another ten minutes by the collapse of the hearthstone, etc.) to burst into full flame in several places.—London Spectator.

Settled For Him.

"Jasper, if you had the same experience that you have now and had your life to live over again, would you marry the same woman?"

"Boss, ercordance ter de speunce dat I done got at de presen' time, hit wouldn't be a mahtar fo' me ter judicate on eider de one way or de udder. Ef Jermimy wanted me, dat'd settle it."—Boston Courier.

TENNIS RULES.

American and English Revised Additions to the Rules Governing Foot Faults.

The time is rapidly approaching for the appearance of the revised tennis rules, although tennis is one of the sports that are fortunate in requiring very little legislation. With the development of skill amendments have been made necessary from time to time, but they were not of a radical kind. Some time ago a committee, composed of Messrs. Stevens, R. D. Wrenn and Fischer, was appointed to consider the rules governing foot faults. At the last meeting of the executive committee the committee submitted the following report:

"Present American Rule.—The server shall serve with one foot on the ground immediately behind the base line. The other foot may be anywhere except touching the base line on the ground within the court. It is proposed that the rule shall stand as at present, with one of the following additions: (1) The server shall not take a running (or walking) start. (2) He must place both feet firmly on the ground immediately before serving. (3) No step shall be taken before the service is delivered. Present English Rule.—(1) The server shall stand with one foot beyond—that is, farther from the net than the base line and with the other foot upon the base line. (2) It is not a fault if the server's foot which is beyond the base line does not touch the ground at the moment at which the service is delivered. Revised English Rule.—(1) The server shall stand with both feet beyond—that is, farther from the net than the base line. (2) It is not a fault if one of the server's feet does not touch the ground at the moment at which the service is delivered."—New York Sun.

OLYMPIC GAMES IN VIENNA.

An Athletic Feature of Emperor Francis Joseph's Jubilee.

A letter from Vienna announces that a feature of the jubilee of Emperor Francis Joseph this summer will be the Olympic games in Vienna, beginning at the end of July. They will be in charge of the Vienna Athletic club and will closely follow the Greek in arrangement and composition. The principal change will be made in the number of contests—that is, the Vienna games will be limited to wrestling, running, quoit throwing and lifting. None will be allowed to enter for the world's championship in the latter contest except he be able to raise dumbbells weighing 100 kilograms.

The struggle for the world's championship in holding up dumbbells will be arranged as follows: Lifting the greatest weight from the ground with either hand and standing at attention, lifting the heaviest dumbbells above the head with either hand, the same when standing at ease, holding a 50 kilogram dumbbell with either hand for the longest time, lifting the two greatest weights at once, and finally holding for the longest time with both hands a dumbbell weighing 100 kilograms. The victor is to receive a prize worth 500 florins and the title of world's champion in weight holding and the large world's championship medal. There will be four minor cash prizes. The struggle for the European championship in wrestling will be in the Greco-Roman style, with a championship belt, 1,400 florins and a title as the prizes.—Exchange.

BITS OF BASEBALL.

Jack Stivetts began his baseball career as a catcher.

Anson has given up the idea of purchasing the Chicago club.

"Get on your wheel!" is the latest coaching cry for a stolen base.

Frank Killen believes the pitchers should generally give their own signals.

The Chicago club is credited with having cleared $50,000 the past three seasons.

Ritchey is considered to be the best man the Louisvilles have had at short stop for years.

Dick Padden's special hobby is shoes, and he has been known to buy six different pairs in the six months.

While Nichols, Boston's star pitcher, has not signed a contract he is with the team. It is said that Soden and Conant will sign him on a $2,400 contract and give $600 extra to him for chewing gum.

The Bostons laid in a stock of Willie Mains' bats before leaving for the south. The stock of the bats was all right, only Willie turned them out as if for his own use. The tall fellow uses a very heavy bat.

Cleveland's Baseball Training Schedule.

Cleveland's training schedule reads this way: Get up at half past 7 every morning and eat a light breakfast, report at the baseball park at 9 a. m. and put in two solid hours at batting and fielding the ball. At 11 a. m. the boys will sprint around the bicycle track 10 or 15 times, ending this sort of work by a lively run to the hotel. A plunge in the bath and a brisk rub down will come before lunch. At 2 p. m. the players will again report at the grounds, where they will be divided into two nines and a full game played every day when the club is not scheduled to meet the Pirates. More sprinting will come after the game, and when the hotel has been reached the regular daily bath will be taken. Dinner will be eaten about half past 6 p. m., and the evenings will be devoted to rest and recreation.—New York Telegram.

Prize For an Athletic Field Design.

A prize of $50 has been offered by the Chicago Athletic association for the best design of an athletic field, 300 by 500 feet, including a football field, board cycle track, cinder path, grand stands and other fixtures necessary for a first class field. The seating capacity of the grand stands is to be 5,000, and the club wants to have the cinder path outside the football field and the cycle track as the extreme outer circle.

MORE TANDEMS THIS YEAR.

Desirable Features of the Bicycle Built For Two.

Indications point to an increased demand for tandems this year. The retail bicycle dealer and the manufacturer might do worse than pay particular attention to this line of trade. The prices of these double seated machines are, of course, lower than ever before. The true inwardness of tandem building affords room for considerable study. All bicycle manufacturers can build tandems, but the proportion than can turn out a good article is small. Probably the most common fault with tandems is that they are not strong enough, particularly the frame. There are certain points of construction that should be, but are not, observed. To obtain the necessary strength it is essential to use very heavy tubing for certain portions of the frame. If this is done, neither the weight of the riders nor the tremendous strain of both applying power to the pedals will have any appreciable effect in throwing the frame out of line.

Undoubtedly a great deal of pleasure is derived from tandem riding, but it must be pursued in moderation, or with an experienced partner. It is admitted that two persons on a tandem can accomplish better results than they could on singles, but only by a greater expenditure of effort. This is true particularly where there are many hills encountered. Even the most smoothly running tandems require a deal of work to force them up hills, partially because it is absolutely necessary to go faster than on single machines. The same argument holds good as to the distance covered. Riders will experience more fatigue at the end of a day's journey, but, of course, the distance traveled will be greater.

In spite of this, the tandem has many good features to recommend it. A trip undertaken by strong and weak riders together, each trying to regulate his pace by that of the other until there is little pleasure for either, would be quite different were the pair mounted on a tandem. For short rides over good roads the bicycle "built for two" is considered by many to be far in advance of the single wheel.—New York Mail and Express.

RACERS AND RACING.

It is said that Morin, the famous French sprinter, was offered 15,000 francs to ride in America this season, but he patriotically replied that this was his last season of riding before his service in the army, and he would not leave France for 50,000 francs.

The meeting between Frank Starbuck and Edouard Taylore, the Frenchman, is an unusually interesting event to the American cycle race lovers. These two men are to meet at Philadelphia May 28 in a 20 mile paced match race. The last time the two met was in the same city on an indoor track, and it was there that Taylore met with so fearful an accident that he has not been able to do much riding since.

Tom Cooper, who is to ride for the National Cycle Track association this season, wants to meet Jaap Eden in a series of one mile heat match races. Cooper thinks that he can show the Dutchman the way over the tape and suggests that each rider be entitled to two tandems or triplets. Eden is willing to try conclusions with the Detroit boy and the result may be a pretty contest between the two.

A race between Fred Titus and Eddie McDuffie is on the tapis. McDuffie is a wonderful 10 to 15 mile rider, and it is thought that Titus is pretty nearly as good. If they meet soon, it will be a battle of giants if Titus has eliminated the "yellow streak" which was so manifest last year. The manager of Titus for this season claims that this has been done, so the result will be looked forward to with great interest.

Every machine that Jimmy Michael rides is specially designed and constructed from plans arranged by Dave Shafer. Shafer knows the cycle racing business as well as anybody connected with it and never loses sight of any small particular that would hurt or better Michael's chances. He takes the utmost care in designing Michael's mount, it being necessary to consider every little detail, even going so far as to notice how the midget keeps his saddle and how his position compares with that of the pedals. He wouldn't let Michael ride the regular made wheel of any firm, saying "high grade or low grade makers cannot make a wheel to suit me." Whatever firm engages Michael has to build a wheel for him according to Shafer's ideas.

Expensive Ignorance.

An illustration of how expensive is ignorance is given by a cycle dealer, who says that he has frequently had men and women bring their wheels to him with the complaint that the machines were running hard and they could not tell what was the matter. "After taking the wheel into the back room," he said, "I have found that nothing in the world was the matter except that the bearings were clogged with dirt that had become so gummy that they would hardly move. I simply squirted in a few drops of kerosene to cut the dirt, put in some fresh oil, spun the wheels around a little, took it out and charged the dunces 50 cents. In such cases they go away delighted and give credit to me for being very clever. Well, I am."

Bicycle Colony.

There is a novel movement on foot in Philadelphia to establish a cyclists' colony just outside the city limits. It is said that the executors of an estate have offered to lease free of charge a large number of acres to the wheelmen providing they agree to keep it in good condition and build upon it. The plan of those behind the movement is to have the more prominent clubs, such as comprise the Associated Cycling Clubs of Philadelphia, to build country clubhouses on the land in question.

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BOSTONS SEESAWING.

Their Ups and Downs In the Baltimore Series.

Not a Run Nor a Hit In Friday's Contest.

Phenomenal Work of a Pitching Find In California.

Baltimore, April 23.—Not a run. Not a hit, and the Boston champions were the batters. Such was the wonderful record made yesterday by Baltimore's new pitcher, Jimmy Hughes, whom Jennings picked up in Sacramento, Cal., last winter. Hughes' record in many respects has never been equalled in the annals of the National league. Certainly no pitcher ever made such a record in two consecutive games as the quiet Californian has made in his first two games in the big league. He shut out the Washingtons on their own grounds. Pitcher Hawke shut out Washington in 1893 without a hit, but Washington was weak, and that was at the old pitching distance. Cy Young was said to have shut out the Cincinnatis last September without a hit, but the Cincinnati scorers denied it, and declared that there were three hits made. Breitenstein, so the dispatches say, shut out Pittsburgs yesterday minus a hit, but Pittsburg is not Boston.

Taking into consideration the club he was pitching against, his newness in fast company, and especially the game he pitched in Washington, Hughes' feat ought reasonably to be considered the most wonderful in the history of baseball. Certainly his work in the two games is unparalleled and breaks all records.

Lewis, the young theological student, who was sent for in haste the other night, arrived about noon yesterday, and pitched for the Bostons. He was hit freely at intervals all through the game, and would have suffered still more but for the unusually brilliant fielding of the men behind him.

It was, in fact, a great game in every respect, and worthy in every way of the two greatest ball teams that baseball has ever known. Baltimore's fielding as a whole was not equal to Boston's, but the orioles put up a fine fielding game, nevertheless, and the way they hit the ball was a treat to the assembled rooters. Kelley and Stenzel led the hitting with three hits each, Kelley for a total of seven bases, and Stenzel for six.

Long was hit in the back of the head by a thrown ball in the fourth, and afterward hurt his ankle sliding to second. He retired in the sixth, and "Billy" Keister, the Baltimore boy, took his place, and was cheered when he went on the field. He had little to do, but that little was well done. The score:

Baltimores.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
McGraw, 3 b	3	1	1	1	4	0
O'Brien, r. f	4	1	0	2	0	0
Jennings, s. s	4	3	2	1	2	1
Kelley, l. f	5	3	3	4	0	0
Stenzel, c. f	5	0	3	3	0	1
Demont, 2 b	4	0	1	2	1	0
McGann, 1 b	2	0	1	9	0	0
Clarke, c	4	0	2	4	1	0
Hughes, p	4	0	0	1	1	1
Totals	35	8	13	27	9	3

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Tenney, 1 b	4	0	0	6	1	0
Long, s. s	3	0	0	3	4	0
Kiester, s. s	1	0	0	0	1	0
Duffy, l. f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Collins, 3 b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Stahl, r. f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Lowe, 2 b	2	0	0	6	2	0
Bergen, c	2	0	0	3	1	0
Lewis, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	0	24	11	0

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Stolen base—Stenzel. Two-base hit—Stenzel. Three-base hits—Kelley (2), Stenzel, Jennings. Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney; Jennings and McGann. First base on balls—Off Lewis, 5; off Hughes, 3. Hit by pitched ball—McGann. Struck out—By Hughes, 3; by Lewis, 3. Left on bases—Baltimores, 9; Bostons, 4. Earned runs—Baltimores, 5. Time 1:45. Umpires—Lynch and Connolly.

In Cincinnati—Breitenstein pitched one of the most remarkable games on record against the Pittsburg "pirates" yesterday afternoon. Not a semblance of a hit was made off his delivery, and only 27 men faced him in the nine innings. Not a man got as far as second base. His support was brilliant, Holliday's three putouts being made on three very difficult flies. Hastings was wild and ineffective. Score: 10 to 0.

In St. Louis—The Clevelands put in young Powell and he held the browns safe from the start. The grounds were in very bad condition, being ankle deep with mud. Despite this the game was replete with brilliant plays on both sides. The Clevelands outbatted the locals, and won, 7 to 0.

In Philadelphia—The Phillies defeated the New Yorks yesterday for the third time in the present series, 13 to 7. Piatt and Rusie were both very wild, but the latter was hit the harder. The Phillies took the lead in the second inning by good hitting and were never headed.

In Washington—The "trolley dodgers" of Brookyln turned the tables yesterday. Through the assistance of Yeager's good work and stupid playing by the senators they carried off victory. Dineen lasted three innings and then Amole and Donovan were sucessively tried. Score, 12 to 7.

In Louisville—Dowling pitched a fine game yesterday and deserved to win, but the Lousivilles threw away several chances for victory by stupid base running. Two errors at critical stages gave the Chicago colts their only runs, the score being 2 to 1.

In Springfield—Springfields, 7; Pawtuckets, 1.

In Brockton—Cuban Giants, 5; Brocktons, 4.

Mail Bag Stolen.

St. Louis, April 23.—A mail bag consigned to J. M. Hammil, attorney for the Louisville and Nashville road in Belleville, Ills., was stolen from an express wagon in Belleville. It is said to have contained letters, official documents and a registered letter in which were several drafts for almost $30,000, for the purpose of paying the taxes of the road.

TRADE CONDITIONS.

Prospect of War Has Not Affected Them Materially.

New York, April 23.—General trade and speculation are described by Bradstreet's as exhibiting most of the characteristics which have become popularly associated with the near approach of hostilities. While there is reported a further quieting of distributive trade in some lines at the east and south, traceable almost directly to warlike conditions, there is a lack of regularity even in the reports from those centers, which serve to show that now that the uncertainty so long prevailing has been dispelled trade conditions are being shaped to the new order of things. There is consequently greatly increased activity in many special lines at the seaboard, accompanied by excited markets and heavy price advances. While trade in the interior sympathizes to a certain extent with this price movement, there is still a perceptibly good trade reported entirely outside of this, which serves to prove that the prospect of war has not had nearly as much effect inland as it has had on the coast.

The advances in coffee, sugar and rice are directly traceable to war influences, marking as they do either a desire on the part of the domestic buyers to protect themselves against any possible interruption of supplies, or the anticipated levying of taxation to meet the increased outlays of the government. Careful search among the quotations for staple products fails to reveal an important decline in prices outside of a fractional marking down of steel billets at some markets. Among the products which have remained practically unchanged may be mentioned barrel beef, molasses, most grades of pigiron, in which business has been very large, and print cloths.

Previous conditions seem largely to rule at the various cities. Few unfavorable features seem as yet to have manifested themselves in the western and northwestern markets, although slightly more conservative buying at some cities is reported. How much of this is due to the quieting down of the very active spring trade experienced, and how much owing to the approach of hostilities it is impossible to determine. General reports that the impending conflict has caused few cancellations of orders come from the central, western and the upper and Mississippi valley. Discouragement of new enterprises, consequent on former money or indisposition of bankers to loan freely pending a definite outcome of the conflict, is reported to some extent, however. Unless hostilities are of long continuance little effect upon general distributive trade is looked for.

Bank clearings this week are slightly larger than those of last week, due entirely to a gain in New York city clearings. The total for the week aggregates $1,113,000, 2.1 percent larger than the preceding, 19 percent larger than the corresponding week last year, and 30 percent larger than 1894. There were 224 business failures in the United States this week, against 215 last week, 216 in this week a year ago, 240 in 1896 and 221 in 1895.

Had Terrible Injuries.

Cambridge, April 23.—Mary Sullivan met with terrible injuries from burning at her home last evening from the effects of which she died later. The cause of the accident is a mystery, there being no one in the house at the time it happened. The first known of it was when neighbors heard Mrs. Sullivan's screams and saw her rush from the house with her clothing ablaze, and then run back again.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Spanish government has instructed Governor General Blanco to declare the armistice in Cuba ended.

In San Francisco last night Jim Jeffries defeated Peter Everett, better known as "Mexican Pete," in three rounds.

The beginning of the spring thaw in Alaska at a period so early will make the loss of much property and possibly many lives almost certain.

The Brazilian Jacobins favor the United States in the war with Spain. Their newspaper says: "We are with the United States, which is giving Europe a daring example of making sacrifices for a people's liberty."

There is scarcely a public man or important newspaper in England that does not warmly support the United States. At the same time in private conversation there is much criticism of the United States and endorsement of Spain is heard.

The following fourth-class postmasters were appointed Friday: In Canton Point, Me., F. L. Dailey; Quinapoxet, Mass., J. F. Wood; South Harwich, Mass., H. L. Crowell; South Yarmouth, Mass., J. W. Crowell; Millvillage, N. H., J. C. Winter.

Representative McClellan of New York has tendered to the secretary of war the services of the First regiment of Irish volunteers of New York. The regiment consists of 12 companies. James Moran, the colonel, says the regiment is ready for immediate service.

The French government, which is least anxious to cripple Spain by stopping her privateering, is none the less ready to see it stopped because of the near advent of the international exposition, when the ships of the world will be centering at French ports.

Among the applicants for enlistment in Cincinnati was Frank Weyler, who claims to be a half brother of Valariano Weyler, ex-captain general of Cuba. Weyler passed the examination by a good percentage and expressed a great desire to get a shot at his half brother.

A dispatch was received in London from Cadiz, Spain, inquiring whether there is "any confirmation of the story that the United States cruiser San Francisco has been blown up by her boiler bursting." The San Francisco is at the Brooklyn navy yard, undergoing repairs.

United States Ambassador Hay of London is so overwhelmed with applications for enlistment in the American forces that he has sent a notice to the press pointing out the impossibility of enrolling volunteers on this side of the water in view of the British enlistment act.

The departure of a detail from the Fall River division of the naval brigade for the League island navy yard was marked by a tremendous demonstration. As the detail was the first of the local militia to leave for active duty, the men were escorted to the steamboat by a great crowd, including two bands, while the line of march was resplendent with flags and redfire.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 24. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Habits.—Prov. vi, 6-11; xii, 14-25; Luke iv, 13.

A habit is a constant method of action that is natural or that has been acquired by a frequent repetition of the same act. The influence of habit upon human life is inestimable. After we pass beyond a certain stage in life our almost every action — yea, even our very thoughts—is the result of habit. Habit largely determines our actions in this life and has much to do with our destinies in eternity. How careful, therefore, we should be in the formation of our habits! Gradually, unconsciously, thoughts, words, actions, by frequent repetition fasten themselves upon us and hold us enslaved perhaps forever. How important, therefore, that our thoughts should be pure thoughts, our words words of truth and soberness and our actions noble, righteous and just!

The topical references suggest a study of several kinds of habits.

1. Habits of industry (Prov. vi, 6-11). Here the habit of slothfulness is denounced, and the wise man holds the industrious ant up to the sluggard as an example that should inspire him to habits of industry. The ant, though not driven by overseer or ruler, provides in summer provision for the winter, and thus shows her wisdom. It has been recently claimed that ants do not have this habit of industry, but this has been disproved by the discovery of a certain kind of ant in Palestine that does lay up its meat in summer. This same species of ant has also been found in Texas. What the ant does by instinct we should do by habit. We should make it the rule of life to be industrious. Idleness is a curse. Industry is a blessing. It is unfortunate for a boy particularly to be born rich. Idleness usually results and consequent habits that lead to ruination and destruction. Whether rich or poor we should form habits of industry. God has work for all to do.

2. Habits of morality in word and in act (Prov. xii, 14-25). In this passage many moral characteristics are contrasted and the consequent results as well. Wickedness and righteousness, foolishness and wisdom, truthfulness and lying, diligence and slothfulness, are set the one against the other and disastrous results of that which is evil against the beneficent results of that which is good, the results showing that we should cultivate the good and avoid the evil.

3. Habits of church attendance (Luke iv, 16). This reference is a page out of the life of Christ. When He visited Nazareth, His home, we are told that on the Sabbath day, "as His custom was," He went to the synagogue. If it was Christ's habit to attend church, how much more it should be ours, that we may worship God, pay our vows to the Most High, learn of Jesus and His word and receive inspirations to perform the duties of life.

Bible Readings.—Ps. i, 1-6; lv, 17; cxix, 105-112; Prov. iii, 1-12; x, 4; xiii, 4; xx, 1-4; xxiv, 30-34; Isa. i, 16, 17; Dan. vi, 1-10; John xviii, 39; Acts iii, 1; xiii, 14; I Cor. xi, 16.

The Eclipse of Piety.

The fact is that we are an ethical rather than a religious age. We may hope that the eclipse of piety is but temporary, and that it will shine out again upon a world that will be glad to see it returning. Meantime the love of truth, which is the redeeming feature of today; the hatred of shams, which is felt by earnest and careless alike, and which is as near to religion as many seem able to come, will purify our conceptions of God and piety and enable us to start again in a worship that is in spirit and in truth. Already we can see, among liberal Christians especially—strange to say, among those who are called "radical"—a tendency to establish some daily devotional exercise which shall take the place of that which is so rapidly fading away. The need of such refreshment is evidently too great to suffer the loss of it to be permanent.—Christian Register.

Don't Worry.

What does your anxiety do? It does not empty tomorrow, brother, of its sorrow; but, ah, it empties today of its strength! It does not make you escape the evil; it makes you unfit to cope with it when it comes. It does not bless tomorrow, and it robs today, for every day has its own burden. God gives us power to bear all the sorrows of His making, but He does not give the power to bear the sorrows of our own making, which the anticipation of sorrow most assuredly is.—Ian Maclaren.

Christian Culture.

And so we come to the answer to the question of whether it is worth while to strive after culture, and we conscientiously answer yes, believing that instead of leading us away from the straight and narrow path the very essence of its highest things will draw us nearer and more firmly into the singleness of purpose and ideal of life portrayed in the New Testament.—American Friend.

Helping Others.

If any little word of ours
Can make one life the brighter,
If any little song of ours
May make one heart the lighter,
God help us speak that little word,
And take our bit of singing
And drop it in some lonely vale
To set the echoes ringing.

If any little love of ours
Can make one life the sweeter,
If any little care of ours
Can make one step the fleeter,
If any little help may ease
The burden of another,
God give us love and care and strength
To help along each other!

If any watchful thought of ours
Can make some work the stronger,
If any cheery smile of ours
Can make its brightness longer,
Then let us speak that thought today
With tender eyes a-glowing,
So God may grant some weary one
Shall reap from our glad sowing!

—Anonymous.

"Light Housekeeping."

"Rooms to rent for light housekeeping" is a sign that is steadily creeping into the windows of down at the heel mansions and into others which, though bearing a prosperous air, house occupants who "have experienced reverses."

Just where the line is drawn between the light and heavy variety of this domestic science it is difficult to determine, but it is conclusive proof that if you buy your pastry in bags at the bakery; if, lacking a back door of your own at which to receive the morning milkman, you are obliged to lay in wait for that personage at corners, then you are a "light housekeeper"—though perhaps your burdens are heavy.

We are prone to look upon these humble housekeepers as beings without home or country, because their foothold upon the terra firma of society is so light, but often there is much snugness within the few rooms and much culture, too, though it is hard to conceive of a culture that is nourished on bag lunches.

If you will get up early enough some morning, you may see the husband of one of these light housekeepers, with his paper and pitcher, just returning from a chilly encounter with the milkman, and as he passes into his rooms you may catch a ray from the smile which awaits him, and which, unlike the house, belongs entirely to him.—Chicago Post.

Marriages In Southern India.

The inhabitants of southern India have peculiar marriage customs, according to Dr. Boeck, the German explorer. There are always two marriage ceremonies, he says, one taking place when the betrothed ones are mere infants and the other when the bridegroom takes his wife to his own home. At the infant marriage rites two brothers of the boy place him on an elephant and take him around to give him a glimpse of the city where he and his bride are to live, and at the same time the girl's mother is doing her share by singing to the little one a marriage song.

At the final marriage the mother-in-law leads the young husband by the nose into a room, where his friends and relatives are awaiting him, and, amid the loud noise of tamtams, the shrill whistle of pipes and the roaring of trumpets, the bride enters, unveiled. She gives the men present an opportunity to gaze at her, because in future no man but her husband may look at her face. Should this rule be broken at any time, her husband must commit suicide, and she must be burned on a funeral pyre before the sin is blotted out.

The bride is placed in a basket during the Brahman marriage ceremony, and when it is over she emerges veiled and closely guarded by her husband and his friends.—New York Tribune.

Unfortunate Beginning.

Sir William Rowan Hamilton, professor of astronomy in the Dublin university, used to speak with the strongest reverence of Bishop Brinkley, his predecessor. He had for him a filial affection and used to recall with a humorous melancholy the time of their first meeting, when, said he, "I am afraid I offended him."

I was a youth of 18 and sat next him at some public luncheon. We did not speak, and I felt that good manners required me to break the silence. My eye happened to rest on a large map of Van Diemen's Land hanging on the wall. I turned to him.

"My lord," said I, "were you ever in Botany Bay?" The bishop turned to me with a look of severe displeasure.

"Eat your soup, sir," said he, "eat your soup." And then it occurred to me that he thought I was asking whether he had ever been "transported," for at that time Botany Bay was where desperate criminals were sent for a punishment.—Youth's Companion.

His Only Love.

A Horton spinster has quite a romance connected with her life. In her younger days she had a sweetheart and he asked her to be his wife, but as she was too young to marry she refused him. They separated and the years fled by, bringing with them much sorrow for the giddy miss. Ten years afterward, on the very day of the month on which she refused him, came a letter from the sweetheart of her childhood asking again for her hand. She did not love him, but decided to never marry any one unless it be this man. She refused again, and every year since then she gets a letter on their anniversary with the same old question written therein. The letters are not full of love. Oh, no, simply a question, that is all—a dozen words or more written in a businesslike way, with his name signed below. Perhaps they will get married some day, but very likely not.—Horton Headlight.

Not Many Bluestockings.

The latest census of Egypt shows that the country is about the only one in the world where the men are in a majority over the women. The male sex in the khedive's dominions exceeds the female by 160,000, and it is curious to note that this numerical predominance of the male is very evenly spread over both upper and lower Egypt. It is only in the sparsely peopled and newly recovered province of Dongola that the women are more numerous than the men. Another interesting fact is that the proportion of Egyptian women knowing how to read and write is just a little over one half per cent.—New Orleans Picayune.

Out of Sight of Land.

Hazel—Weren't you awfully afraid the first time you crossed the ocean?

Nutte—Well—er—for a time I did feel a sort of groundless apprehension.—New York Journal.

Oldest Bank Note.

The oldest European bank note is Swedish, dated 1661; but the British museum, in London, has a Chinese note three centuries older.

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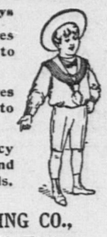
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UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "A narrative of the state of Religion in the Presbytery of Boston." Bible School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The baptism of Jesus Christ." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by Rev. C. L. Paddock of Abington. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "The True Life" Bible class and teachers' meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Preaching 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Young ladies prayer meeting at 6.30 P. M Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. J. Sundgren from Waltham will preach both morning and evening. The Scandinavians are invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street.—Bible lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The Spirit in man."

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"The only hope of relief and repose from a condition which can no longer be endured, is the enforced pacification of Cuba. In the name of humanity, in the name of civilization, in behalf of injured American interests which give us the right and duty to speak and act, the war in Cuba must stop." From President McKinley's message, April 11, 1898.

A Letter From Shanghai.

BY MRS. ALDEN A. THORNDIKE.

Shanghai, March 20.

A proper description of China should begin with ones' impression of the beautiful harbor of Hong Kong. Precedent clearly shows this but truth and order would both be sacrificed were I to follow where others lead. Truth compels me to admit that the harbor simply did not at first exist for me while order demands that I begin with the Monsoon which meeting us five hundred miles out at sea was plainly the first of things Chinese with which we had to do.

The anchor had dropped with its usual splash dragging after it the groaning lengths of protesting cable before dizzy from a twenty-four hours' interview with that most obdurate of creditors Neptune I emerged once more into the outer air. After having passed across most of the old gentleman's domains with a smile and a jaunty air under the impression that I was a personal favorite of his I discovered my mistake and was obliged to pay unto the uttermost, principal and interest both simple and compound. Let no one imagine it possible to slip around this world and in some mysterious manner elude the vigilance of the old sea god. Legitimate taxes must be paid and storms, squals, cyclones, monsoons and typhoons are his collectors lying in wait along the route.

Night had drawn her mantle softly over the little islands the grim forts and the green hills rising abruptly from the water which make Hong Kong one of the loveliest havens on the round globe; but the lights of the town twinkled and glinted and winked us a welcome out of the darkness. It was a picturesque place as we discerned next morning.

Hills everywhere the highest of them keeping guard over the town nestling at its foot and creeping lovingly up its side. Most of the streets begin at the water's edge and after a seemingly fair start come to a sudden end among the greenery of the mountains.

The English residents have the Peak as it is called and it is the height of every one's ambition to add another to the charming homes already smiling down upon the lovely scenes beneath. In the meantime a monster hotel on the summit swings wide hospitable doors to gather them all in—be they would-be owners of palatial villas still on paper or the stranger within the gates.

If it were not for the people there is nothing about Hong Kong to suggest that one had alighted at the threshold of that strange Empire which in our world but scarcely of it, is so much an enigma to the rest of us. But then there are the people! Swarms of them! One need not however go into the busy crowd of flying rickshaws flower boys, fruit boys, women, dressed almost precisely like their husbands in wide blue cotton trousers and flowing blouses, and funny little children, for one's introduction to John Chinaman.

One meets him "en masse" in the dining room where two hundred of him are rushing about in long white linen robes like butcher's frocks, with pig-tails of unbelievable lengths. For all the world like a graven yellow image, yet quiet, quick and clean, "John" is an ideal waiter. To be sure he "no speakee Englis," one must order the dishes by number, unless one be an adept at "pigeon" English. This consists in in omitting all superfluous words and ee-ing the remainder.

For example I order number 7, which is roast-beef. Having been deprived of this article of food for three months, it appeals to me more than anything else on the menu, so, Oliver Twist-like, I desire more. This time, I make sure of the undivided attention of our particular image and, pointing to what doesn't remain of the former serving, say, "Allee samee beef." Image nods and departs. Presently beef materializes. But if I were to say, "Bring me some more beef, please," it would turn out stuffed pigeon, or fricasseed calf's feet, if not ice cream.

In the shops (and oh! the shops deserve a letter to themselves!) it is just the same, the more "pigeon" and the less English the better. Here, however the images are many degrees more affable, and are better clothed and better fed. These gentlemen are resplendent in the dark red silks, with pale silk undergarments, and exquisite brocaded trousers.

We grew very fond of these smiling faced men, also the articles behind their counters — wonderful things, carved ivories, silks, embroideries, china, bronze, scarcely two alike, and many I suspect from artists and artisans in tiny villages far inland who have handed down the secrets of their craft, from father to son through generations.

But the true reading of the word "Chinese" we learned at Canton. This trip to one of the great Celestial cities was a revelation indeed. Certainly we never shall look upon its like again. Perhaps the inhabitants do not think Canton any farther away from Heaven than is the rest of the world, but to a stranger it would pass astonishingly well for the other place.

We penetrated in to the interior in a large spotless boat, reminding one of the "Sound" steamers at home, with a strong capable Englishman in command. We slipped out of the marvellous harbor in the late afternoon, and stole up the reaches of the Pearl River by the grey light of a half veiled moon. Ghostly looking junks, with their bat-like sails at impossible angles drifted heavily past us, under a sharp watch from the man on the look-out, for the river is alive with pirates. One had but to glance into the amory close to the captain's room on deck, with its goodly array of fire-arms, to realize that we had left English jurisdiction behind, and was thrown on one's own resources.

At dinner sitting next to the Captain, and being always in a chronic state of thirst for information, I make such use of my opportunities, that we listened to blood-curdling tales of piracy, executions and Chinese tortures, till we fell into a habit of looking over our shoulders.

After dinner, the Captain took us down to the lower regions, where in a huge, warm, dimly lighted enclosure, between four and five hundred Chinese men, women and children were making ready for the night. Sleeping in rows on the floor among queer little lacquer boxes and bright colored bundles, making their chop sticks fly over great steaming bowls of rice, or sitting in little groups around tiny opium lamps, solemnly rolling and pressing the small globule which was soon to spirit them into the Land of Fair Visions.

It was a relief after the stories of the dinner table, to find these people kindly and friendly disposed. I was offered a pair of freshly washed chop sticks to show my skill (?) and an old man showed me how to hold them, while an eager, yellow crowd ranged round to watch how I should acquit myself.

Next morning we awoke to find ourselves just off the town of Canton. Seen from the boat it is a collection of unpainted shanties thrown and heaped and tumbled in a confused mass one upon another. Certain high stone towers looming above the wooden houses which we took for forts or watch towers, turned out to be pawnshops. One traces the hand of the pirate here! Going ashore was impossible for an hour or two until our friends below disembarked into the hundred of grubby little sampans which bumped and jostled us while they pushed and crowded, and tore at each other's throats, as it were, in a mad rush for pasengers. Whole families, thousands, live on these tiny boats, are born, live and die and are thrown into the river. They are the lowest of the low, and in China that depth is almost unsounded.

At Hong Kong they must moor their sampans so many yards from the shore at night. Perhaps Canton might be a safer place if the same rule held there. As it is, no one is safe outside the city gates after five o'clock at night.

It was with a delightful sense of real adventure, with a spice of danger in it, that we stepped into a dirty crowd upon a dirty jetty, and quickly taking our seats in chairs hung on bamboo poles, were lifted to the shoulders of our coolies (three for each of us) and began our exploration of Canton, under the direction of our guide, Ah Cum.

(To be continued.)

May Lippincott.

The complete novel in the May issue of LIPPINCOTT'S is the "Uncalled," by the colored poet, Paul Laurence Dunbar. Though understood to be his first essay in extended fiction, it is an extremely strong and thoroughly readable story. The scene is laid mainly in a small Ohio town; the hero is a youth of the humblest origin, who is forced into the ministry and works his way out. "No. 87,617," by George Brydges Rodney, recounts the experiences of a small party of Americans in Cuba during a former insurrection. Theodore Gallagher describes one phase of a very wild Western town in "The Election at Cayote." Both are stirring tales.

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One of the erroneous impressions that Americans have before they try shopping in London is that things are remarkably cheap there, and when they are set right by actual experience with the fashionable dressmakers and haberdashers they get a second mistaken idea that English tradesmen are extraordinarily uncivil. This all arises from the different customs that govern retail business in the two countries. In America we pay cash for goods or settle our accounts monthly. In England, however, accounts are supposed to be rendered quarterly, and it has frequently happened that because some patrons have a social prominence that gives their trade value as an advertisement the shopkeeper has allowed their accounts to run for three and four years. Other patrons have demanded the same privileges and have abused them, and the result is that to compensate for interest on money owing by solvent debtors and for the sums lost through those who never pay the tradesman charges a goodly profit on all his goods, and the prices are accordingly high. On the other hand, American women shopping abroad seem to be bargain mad, and their efforts to beat down prices inspire the tradesman with much the same feeling that a well trained butler experiences when his nouveau riche master economizes on his wines. In fact, looking for bargains in Bond street is folly.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Lord Byron.

Here is a new light on the character of Lord Byron. The quotation is from a letter by John Murray:

"Lord Byron is a curious man. He gave me, as I told you, the copyright of his new poems, to be printed only in his works. I did not receive the last until Tuesday night. I was so delighted with it that even as I read I sent him a draft for 1,000 guineas. The two poems are altogether no more than 1,200 and 1,000 lines and will together sell for 5s. 6d. But he returned the draft, saying that it was very liberal—much more than they were worth; that I was perfectly welcome to both poems to print in his (collected) works without cost or expectation, but that he did not think them equal to what they ought to be, and that he would not admit of their separate publication.

"I went yesterday, and he was rallying me upon my folly in offering so much and that he dared to say I thought now I had a most lucky escape.

"'To prove how much I think so, my lord,' said I, 'do me the favor to accept this pocketbook,' in which I had brought with me the draft, changed into two bank notes of £1,000 and £50, but he would not take it."

A Transformation.

Soon after my arrival in Leipsic my attention was called one day to an elderly gentleman on the street.

"Do you see that old gentleman with the big soft felt hat, the blue glasses and the big umbrella?"

"You mean the one who is shambling along as if he were not just sure where he is going?"

"Yes, but you should not speak so disrespectfully of the greatest of living psychologists."

But the mistake was pardonable, for few would have supposed that he was not some plain village burgher who had just come up to town and felt somewhat lost in the big city. Once in Wundt's lecture room, however, one receives a very different impression of him. As the great philosopher pours forth one of his learned discourses those plain features light up, his bearing becomes dignified and impressive, and you no longer think of the ungainly walk and the quaint mannerisms.—Roanoke Collegian.

On the Wrong Track.

Slims recently received private information that his son was not confining himself strictly to the straight and narrow path. There were ugly rumors that the young man played cards and bet on the horses. Slims determined to double his parental vigilance. The other evening he turned to the young man who was deep in a newspaper and inquired sharply, "What are you reading, son?"

"A column under the head of 'What the Book Makers Are Doing?'"

"I'll tell you what they are doing, sir," said the old man severely. "They are living luxuriously this winter and laying their plans to fleece such lambs as you next season. They keep up the race tracks and get rich by fooling noodle pates like you. I've heard all about you, sir, and your wild ways. Order that paper stopped. What are you laughing at, you young rascal?"

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Analysis of a Frenchman.

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Second Step Toward the Capture of That City.

General Blanco Informed of the Purpose of the Americans.

Why the President Desires That a State of War With Spain Should Be Made Known to the World—Income Tax Wanted by Democrats and Populists as a War Measure—Chance to Be Given the Insurgents to Make Good Their Promise of Effective Work In Cuba.

Havana, April 25.—Sunday Rear Admiral Sampson sent notice of his intention to Mr. Gollan, the British consul general here, who, acting under instructions from his government, is in charge of the United States consulate here, that he would begin bombarding today. Mr. Gollan told Captain General Blanco that real war is about to begin. The city is terror-stricken.

It is not known whether the ships will confine themselves to the batteries, and, after silencing them, take Havana with sailors and marines, or will try to compel surrender by shelling the city itself.

General Blanco visited all the batteries as soon as he was told of the intention of the American commander.

Morro batteries again opened fire on the fleet early this morning, but without effect.

SPAIN'S PLAN OF ATTACK.

The Navy Department Receives Advices Which Point to a Naval Battle.

Washington, April 25.—If certain information which has come into the possession of the navy department is accurate, the long-looked-for naval engagement will soon be fought. When it was apparent that hostilities with Spain could not be averted, the department organized in Europe what might be termed a secret service corps, the duties of whose members are to furnish the department with early information of a confidential character. In the main the information furnished by these confidential agents has been found to be correct, but in the very nature of things it cannot be implicitly relied upon.

It is natural to presume that the Spanish authorities are guarding their campaign plans with as much secrecy as our own people, and that they purposely give out information intended to mislead the enemy; but if the information received is correct, the formidable fleet now assembled at the Cape de Verde islands is shortly to leave there and come across the Atlantic to do battle with Admiral Sampson's blockading squadron.

If the Spanish fleet goes to Porto Rico first, instead of proceeding at once to Havana, there will be a sudden movement of ships, and the scene will shift. Admiral Sampson has been warned of the assumed purpose of the Spanish fleet and urged to exercise the utmost vigilance not to be taken unawares. He in turn has informed the commanding officers of the vessels under his command of what may be expected, and has instructed them not to take any risks or overlook any precaution.

If the Spanish intend to do battle with us they will undoubtedly try to take our ships unawares. They will not find them gapping. The torpedo boats of the suadron and the speedy ocean tugs attached to the fleet are now performing the offices of dispatch boats, will ply between the ships on the blockade and carry instructions from the shore and the ships. They will furnish the signal of the approach of the enemy, which, according to the advices in the navy department, may be expected within the next 10 days.

The president sent a message to the congress immediately after its convening, setting forth the facts in the case and asking it to formally declare war in order that there may be no misunderstanding on the part of other nations. The most important point in the message from a news point of view was the announcement that Spain had made formal reply to our ultimatum. This reply had not been given to the public, and it was supposed that none had been received. The document is a formal acknowledgment by Spain and also acceptance by that country of the ultimatum as a virtual declaration of war. Congress therefore was asked to recognize this condition of affairs and to declare it to the world, using Spain's concession as a reason for it.

The attorney general and other members of the cabinet advised the president that it is advisable in view of international relations that congress should formally declare that war exists. In the absence of this declaration it has been held that nations are not bound to observe neutrality, and questions may arise over the seizure of prizes. Furthermore, until war is declared the president cannot avail himself of the services of army and navy officers on the retired lists. The services of these officers are needed, as every available officer on the active list is either afloat or in the field. The retired officers will be assigned to duty in the departments in Washington and at shore stations, navy yards and army posts.

Now that war has been entered upon, even congressmen like Mr. Johnson of Indiana and Mr. Loud of California, who hung back protesting to the last, have sunk their individual views in the common cause, and all are now anxious to give the president a united support in every measure deemed essential or necessary to prosecute the war to a speedy and successful conclusion. In order to show the world that factional divisions have ceased and that the representatives of the American people are arrayed in solid and imposing phalanx behind the chief executive, it was agreed that the declaration of war should be passed without a word of debate.

The Republicans and Democrats hold widely divergent views as to the methods by which the revenues to carry on the war should be raised. Factious opposition, however, will not be offered by the minority. The leaders of the minority are extremely anxious, and they will insist, so far as they are able, upon presenting such substitutes as are in line with their ideas and doctrines for the bill framed by the Republican members of the ways and means committee which Chairman Dingley introduced in the house Saturday. The Democrats of the house, especially the leaders of the ways and means committee, are aggrieved because they were not consulted, and had no voice in the preparation of the revenue measure. In the face of a foreign enemy they say they have sunk party considerations and have voted to uphold the hands of the president, and they believe that in raising war revenue, inasmuch as they are expected to acquiesce, they should have had a share. For the Republicans to meet in secret and prepare a measure strictly according to their own ideas, they maintain, is a display of partisanship such as should not have been given at such a time. Chairman Dingley thinks the bill should pass and go to the senate by Tuesday night at the latest. The Democrats will protest against this expedition, but will probably not carry their opposition beyond that. Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, and other Democrats realize the necessity for prompt action and, while they feel they have been unfairly treated, under the circumstances they will make no long opposition. They are practically desirous of the opportunity to present sub-propositions for various features of the bill as prepared. Mr. Bailey said they would probably be willing to forego general debate if an arrangement could be made to consider the entire bill for amendment under the five-minute rule. The chief amendment they desire to offer is for an income tax, which they believe can be framed to meet the decision of the supreme court. They believe a considerable proportion of the war tax should be raised from this source. They are also opposed to some of the provisions of the stamp act, which they believe will prove onerous and irritating, and it is likely they will offer propositions in lieu thereof for a tax of 50 cents per barrel on petroleum and a graduated tax on railroad and other transportation tickets, both of which propositions were considered by the Republicans of the ways and means committee, but rejected.

There is considerable opposition to the bond feature of the bill on the Democratic side, and whether with unanimity or not a motion will undoubtedly be made to strike it out. Mr. Bailey, however, is understood to recognize the necessity for an authorization for borrowing money. Some of the Populists desire an authorization for an issue of greenbacks. The bond feature of the bill will probably be bitterly attacked.

Although technically the call for troops was made to the country Saturday, the proclamation was not carried into execution until today. It was the president's expressed desire that "all unseemly demonstrations on the Sabbath should be avoided." As provided in all similar proclamations, the details will be executed by the war department. Accordingly the secretary of war has communicated with the governors of the various states and territories, informing them officially of the proclamation of the president, and stating the number of troops which each state is required to supply to the federal government under the call. The greatest promptness is expected to follow the transmittal of this communication in ordering out such members of state organizations as have tendered their services to the government as volunteers. It is the intention of the department that the troops to be supplied by each state shall be ordered into camp at the place where the annual encampments of the military organizations occur, or at such other places as the governors may designate. In accordance with this policy orders were issued to the national guard of the District of Columbia to enter camp today on the grounds of the national soldiers' home near Washington. The District guard was the first to receive

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GAVE UP THE STRUGGLE

New Bedford Weavers Yielded to the Inevitable.

Union Decides It Useless to Prolong the Strike.

Speeder Tenders Vote to Stay Out Two Weeks Longer.

New Bedford, April 25.—A small number of the members of the Weavers' union held a meeting Sunday afternoon to consider the strike situation, and, after a full consideration, a secret ballot was taken for the first time. It resulted in a vote to return to work—190 to 57. This disposes of one of the most stubborn elements of the strike.

The speedtenders met and voted to stay out two weeks longer if the spinners will continue to support them, as they have during the past few weeks.

The mill firemen are just beginning to get into the striking fever. They have been working all along at the reduced schedule, but under protest. Now they are tired of it, and are preparing to strike. The firemen in the Wamsutta mills met and voted to strike, but before doing so brought the matter before the union at a meeting last evening. At that meeting the union postponed the decision on the question till Tuesday, and in the mean time the firemen will work.

BASEBALL.

St. Louis and Cleveland Teams Won Games Sunday.

St. Louis, April 25.—The "browns" let themselves loose to the Pittsburgs Sunday and simply wiped the diamond with them. They pounded Killen out of the box in the fourth inning and Gardner was substituted. He did not fare much better. Hughes, the St. Louis pitcher, had the pirates at his mercy. They practically could not touch him. The crowd was so large that ground rules were made. Score: 13 to 1.

Hard hitting by the New Yorks made the Philadelphias bite the dust Saturday. Joyce's men took a decided brace in stick work. The Brooklyns once again won from the Washingtons, although the margin was not large. The Baltimores played another fast game against the Bostons and won by a run. All of the games in the west were stopped by rain.

The National league standing is as follows: Baltimores, Cincinnatis, Chicagoes, Clevelands, Philadelphias, Brooklyns, Bostons, Pittsburgs, Washingtons, New Yorks, Louisvilles and St. Louis.

In Louisville—Sunday's game between the Clevelands and Louisvilles was played in a drizzling rain and the weather was very cold. Fraser was very wild, and after the Ohio Indians had scored five runs in the sixth, he retired in favor of Magee. Dexter also relieved Wilson. Score: Clevelands, 9; Louisvilles, 1.

Brockton has let out Pitcher Reilly after a one-night engagement, and youngsters in other teams will buy tickets for home shortly.

Norcom, a likely left-hander with Fall River last year, has signed with Grand Rapids.

Hawley, last year's Newport pitcher, is pitching good ball for Indianapolis.

Three Smiths on the Fall Rivers makes that team a happy family.

George Bone, the polo player, will be quite a drawing card in towns in the New England circuit.

Joe Harrington and "Rube" Wiley are playing fine ball for Fred Doe's New Bedford team.

Wallie Woods, the Portsmouth boy, made a successful big league debut for Chicago at second base. The youngster can be counted on for good all-round work, from the backstop to the outer field.

Given His Parting Blessing.

London, April 25.—The Daily Chronicle this morning says that Mr. Gladstone spends much of the time in conversation with members of his family, and Sunday talked quite cheerfully with his medical advisers. Throughout the entire period of his suffering he has been most patient and uncomplaining. His pain continues to be less acutely felt, and he takes food tolerably well.

All reports agree as to the noble, unflinching fortitude of his demeanor. Mr. Gladstone occasionally comes down to dinner, dressing for the table, though his meals are often served in the library. He lies for hours with closed eyes listening to music. He has given his parting blessing to many friends, young and old. His calm endurance of pain and all that is before him is unchanged, and invariably those who have witnessed it cannot speak regarding it without tears.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 25.—The Post says that "the president's call for 125,000 volunteers falls upon willing ears. The answer is ready. The government can have three or four times that number if needed, and can have them quickly."

The Journal affirms that "officers and men are ready for their summons to a righteous war—a war for the glorious cause of freedom and humanity in which never in its history has the old bay state been found a laggard."

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, APRIL 26.
Sun rises—4:46; sets, 6:37.
Moon sets—12 a. m.
High tide—2:45 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.

Fair weather, without great change in temperature, is now indicated for New England, probably through Wednesday; westerly winds, becoming variable.

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Service Right. Prices Right.

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April 22. 3m

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	45	72	78
Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	—	51	70
Wednesday	—	50	52
Thursday	—	60	48
Friday	—	66	60
Saturday	—	62	70

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Furniture.
Auction sale.
Quincy Clothing Co.
C. B. Underwood—Dentist.
Dog lost.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Bicycles.
Quincy Second Hand Variety Store.

SPANIARDS LEAVE.

Stone Cutters Who Feared they Might be Mobbed.

Twenty-five of the Spanish residents of West Quincy left town Friday night.

It is reported that they will first go to Mexico and from there may go to Spain. They will not be alone for it is said that there are 3000 Spaniards in Boston and the immediate suburbs and these have also decided to return to Spain. Many of those who went from Quincy had families who are left behind, and in case the men never return it may fare hard with them, and eventually the city may be called upon to support them. The Spaniards in Quincy were employed in cutting stone and when they decided to go they threw up their jobs and drew what money there was due them, some even going so far as to sell their kits. It is said that the feeling is so strong against the Spaniards in certain quarters at West Quincy that the men were afraid if they did not get out of the way they would be mobbed.

W. Y. C. Fixtures.

The regatta committee of the Wollaston Yacht club met at the residence of Commodore Burgess, Saturday evening, and scheduled the following events for the ensuing season:

First Burgess cup race, Friday June 17; Hight water at 10-12 A. M.

Moonlight sail, Thursday evening, June 30; High water at 8.00 P. M.

Ladies' day, Saturday, July 9; High water at 3-46 P. M.

Second Burgess cup race, Wednesday, July 27; High water at 5-34 P. M

Open race, Saturday, August 6; High water at 2-25. P. M.

Third Burgess cup race, Saturday, August 20; High water at 1.00 P. M.

Annual cruise, September, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

Off For Key West.

It is more than probable that N. B. Furnald and Howard Rogers will leave tonight for Key West. The two gentlemen do not go to enlist or to take any active part in the war, but to be nearer the scene of action and witness some of the excitement that prevails at that port at present. When seen this morning Mr. Rogers said that he was ready and willing to go and that unless Mr. Furnald backed out they would probably start tonight.

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SERMON ON CRISIS.

Rev. E. N. Hardy Justifies the War.

Clash Between United States and Spain Inevitable.

Natural That Cuba Should Demand Independence.

The heavy rain storm of Sunday did not prevent Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church delivering his special sermon on "Our War with Spain," although his first inclination was to postpone it. Over 100 assembled in spite of the storm.

He said that the church in dealing with the great issues of the day became more of a power. The civilization of this country was unique and he believed it came about by a divine providence. First, this country seemed destined to be an Anglo Saxon nation, and secondly a conspicuous Protestant land.

He noted at the outset how Columbus had been diverted from landing at Florida to the West Indies. Thus in the beginning Spain failed to establish any stronghold in the land of the stars and stripes. The early history of this country was sketched, and her unique progress indicated. The clash with Spain which has come seemed inevitable. It is the clash of a modern with a mediæval government and therein is found the key to the whole difficulty. Spain must be modernized or wiped out.

It was inevitable that Cuba should demand independence. Cuba has seen Mexico and South American colonies shake off the tyranny of Spain, and has been for a century restless for independence. Should we not sympathize with Cuba? It was striving for freedom under ten fold more provocation than the men of America a century ago. It was inevitable that America should sympathize with Cuba. From a commercial standpoint prosperity in Cuba meant much to this country. Our land has been wonderfully patient during these three long years of oppression, tryanny, bigotry, treachery and babarity in Cuba. The population of the island had been reduced from 1,650,000 three years ago by nearly 400,000 We have extended our help to India. Pulpit and press in America united in common protest against the allied powers of Europe, because of their indifference to the massacre of Armenians in Turkey. Now at our very door is suffering as intense and America acts as well threatens.

Mr. Hardy paid a tribute to President McKinley, whom he characterized as an eminently Christian President. Some one asks, Why a war? For the cause of humanity. Our people have been remarkably patient awaiting the verdict of the Maine disaster, a splendid illustration of American justice and restraint. The atrocities in Cuba continue, and I believe the time has come when we as a nation should say that Cuba shall have her independence.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

There will be no meeting of the City Council tonight.

Mayor Sears was the guest and speaker at the annual meeting of the wide awake club of Melrose on Saturday.

Hearing before the Board of Health Tuesday evening.

Brackett Street Episode.

About 10.30 Saturday night Kate Phelan rushed into the Police station crying and said her lord and master Edward P. Phelan had been beating her and had thrown her out of the house. Officer Nicol secured a warrant and went down. As he turned the corner of Canal and Brackett streets he saw a black object fall into the swamp. Jumping in after it he found that the object was Edward, who was more or less drunk and was trying to get away. He promptly took Edward in hand and lodged him in the police station. When the case came into court this morning Kate had repented and acknowledged satisfaction. Edward promised not to do so any more and he was discharged.

TODAY'S COURT.

Edward P. Phelan was arraigned for assault on Kate Phelan at Quincy. Kate acknowleged satisfaction and he was discharged on payment of costs.

James Murray was fined $5 for drunkeness at Quincy.

The continued case of Frank Shields of Quincy for drunkenness was called and he was defaulted.

Gilbert E. Holbrook was fined $5 for drunkenness at Randolph.

William Smith was arraigned for assault on W. M. Stetson at Randolph and was fined $40.

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TWO RUN DOWN.

Struck by a Train Near Granite Street.

Roderick and Peter McPherson of Water street were struck by an engine just south of the Granite street bridge shortly before 1 o'clock this noon and severely injured. The two men were walking down the track to take the 1.12 train from Quincy for Boston. They stepped from the outward track to let the 12.49 train pass. As they did so they saw an engine on the inward track but as the tender was toward them they supposd it was going the other way, it was, however, backing down toward Quincy, and before they could get out of the way the tender struck them, throwing them off the track onto the banking.

Of the two men Roderick is the most seriously injured. Both of his legs were broken, his shoulder dislocated, and he was also injured internally. It is doubtful if he recovers.

Peter had one of his arms broken, and will recover. The ambulance was called and they were removed to the City Hospital.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

The heavy rain Sunday flooded the sewer trenches to a depth of several inches.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Committee will be held Tuesday night.

The section of the sewer on Hancock street will be built as far as Adams street.

The school lot at the corner of Beale street and Winthorp avenue, Wollaston, is being graded.

George Ames has had his new hardware store in the Adams building connected by telephone.

Herbert Tucker and George Brown are bidding their friends good bye and expect to go on duty today.

Mr. John E. Nickerson of Winchester has accepted the position of organist of the Wollaston Unitarian church.

According to the morning papers it may be only a few hours before the boys of Co. K are called out for active service.

The Rev J. E. Waterhouse, the new pastor of the Wollaston M. E. church, has leased the Henry Gannett place on Warren avenue.

Many of the granite manufacturers are showing their patriotism by displaying the American flag from the tops of their sheds.

Walter Bailey of South street Quincy Point, is going to New Hampshire to remain all summer. Walter has business interests there.

Mr. Edgar Hayden of Quincy Point is to alter the building which has been a club room on Washington court and turn it into a dwelling house.

There is one good thing about the departure of the Spaniards from Quincy and that is it will give some citizen a chance to fill their positions in the cutting sheds.

Someone has sent the Ledger a report of a social gathering at South Quincy last Thursday night, but as annonymous communications are consigned to the waste basket it will not appear.

The Rev. E. N. Hardy officiated on Saturday at the funeral of James C. Hadden of Water street. Clan McGregor turned out a large delegation and performed the funearl rite of the order at Mt. Wollaston.

At Houghs Neck, off lately, the cod fish have been hauled out of the watter in large numbers by the local fishermen. It is said that the small elwives run in around Great hill and the cod feed on them and follow them in shore.

L. W. Nash, real estate agent of Wollaston, reports these leases; house on Central avenue, owned by Lewis Mason to Herbert F. Miller of Beale street; one-half of Record place on Grand View avenue, to George Beale.

Holden's jewelry store, which was established in 1825 and has for three generations been conducted by descendants, has changed hands, having been sold on April 21 to Mr. F. A. Linscott for several years the clerk. Mr. Linscott will continue the business at the old stand.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for April 25:

Palmer Abbott, Chas. B. Barnes Jr., Treas. M. Bight, Wm. Barry, Carl August Carlson, M. J. Casey, C. W. Dunmick, Michael Donohue, Wm. H. Daley, E. Ferazzi, Wm. Ford, Concetto Gurdano, Chas. A. Hayden, Charles Lunguist, John Lynch, John Lawrence, John McKenzie, Thomas Murphy, Vittore Macchi, C. Nordquist, Richard Pierce, Quincy Gun Club, W. H. Reynolds & Co., Cornelius Sullivan, Geo. Wells.

Mrs. H. P. Chapman, Mrs. Mary E. Delory, Miss Rachael Gillis, Mrs. Sophia Johnson, Miss Lottie E. Matherson, Miss Matilda Nelson, Miss Kate Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Stewart, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Mrs. J. E, Wood.

CO. K OFF.

Expect to Go To Framingham Today.

Officers of Company Now Assembled.

It is probable that before night Co. K will be on its way to Framingham. Word was received by the officers this morning that the company would be ordered out inside of five hours. Capt. Kincaide immediately notified his officers and they immediately made arrangements to report at the armory when the call comes.

This noon Capt. Kincaide and the officers were in waiting at the former's furniture store in uniform awaiting the call. The news that the company was to be called out spread quickly and the boys of Company K began to make arrangements to leave when the call sounds.

It will not be long after the call is sounded on the fire alarm circuits before they will report at the armory. In fact a number of the company have been at the armory all day.

If the call does not come before night it is probable that most of the members will pass the night at the armory.

FOUR--FOUR--SIX.

A Fire Alarm Which Was Almost a Militia Call.

When the alarm from Box 446 sounded at 11.50 this morning many thought that it was the militia call and everybody rushed to the doors. It did not take long, however, to convince all, however, that it was for a fire.

Aside from this, the fact that the box was located near the Willard school building was enough to send the apparatus hurrying toward West Quincy. The fire was hardly worth an alarm, for it only consisted of a bundle of old rags in Farnum's old building at the corner of Copeland and Crescent streets.

Early arrivals quickly threw these into the street, and when the department arrived a recall was immediately sent in, and the department sent home.

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Box 27 Pulled.

Box 27 located on Washington street opposite the Universalist church was rung in on the fire alarm circuit for the first time Sunday morning at 4.35 for a slight fire in Ring Bros.' bakery. The fire, what little there was of it, was over the oven near the stack which was probably the cause of the fire. There was but little fire, but a dense smoke A stream from the combination engine did the business. The loss was trifling. Hose 4 made a quick run from Quincy Point but as it was not needed the company was sent home. Chief Packard and Assistant Engineers Hall, Ripley, Hardwick, and Newcomb were on hand.

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At 2 o'clock, Goddard buggy, beach wagon by R. Tyner, close carriage, leather lined, by Ferd. French, all in perfect condition; dog cart, tip cart, hay rigging, harnesses, carriage robes, farming tools, etc.

April 25. 6t—25-27-30-2-3-4

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We cannot wave our hands in the air and produce a suit of clothes. We cannot and do not pretend to do impossible things; but we can and we do, and we will sell you clothing from 10 to 20 per cent. less than you can possibly buy it in Boston or in any store in this section.

Nothing mysterious about our end of it. Nothing to keep secret. Nothing to hide. The rents in Boston are $2,000 to $25,000 a year. Think of it; see what a large proportion of the profits must go for rent alone. Our rent is $12 00 a week. Why can't we sell for less, if we can buy as close.

One advantage in trading with us is that we will pay you back your money if you can do better or are not satisfied. Another is you can always feel sure you pay us just as much as your friend—but no more or no less—for we have but one price.

You must have a beam in your eye if you do not take the advantages we offer.

We have all wool Covert Overcoats at	$4 48	Stiff Hats in all shades and styles . Hundreds for $1.40, $1.48, $1.75 upwards to $3.00.	95c
Better ones than are sold in Boston for $10 for	7 50	Overalls sold everywhere for 50c. at	39c
All silk lined ones for	9 98	White Laundered Shirts, guaranteed full size, double stitched, at Hundreds for 48c., 75c., 88c., 98c.	45c
We will sell you a Broad Brook Covert and guarantee you cannot equal it in this city or Boston for less than $18 or $20, for . . .	14 75	Neckwear sold everywhere for 25c. Our price . . . . . Dozens and dozens at 24c., and the best you have ever seen, in all shapes, ...	12½c 48c
Full indego Blue Serges, all wool Scotches in Browns and Grays .	7 50	Suspenders, 15c., 24c., and 48c.	
All the different style suits made for $8.50, $9.00, $9.50, $9.85 and upwards to $16.50.		Golf Hose, 24c., 48c., 75c., 98c.	
Black, fast, 18-oz. Clays with 20 and 22 in. trousers, ...	10 00	Medium weight Underwear that cannot be bought today for lesss than 39c., our price	24c
Never-rip Working Pants . . . $1.98, $1.98, $2.40, $2.50.	1 48	Custom Pants, $3.25 to $7.00.	
Nice dress Pants from $1.98 to $5.00.		Custom Suits, $12.00 to $35.00.	
Fancy Vestee Suits, ages 3 to 8 . . $1.48, $1.48, upwards to $5.00.	98c	Perfect fit guaranteed, Motormen's, Conductor's, and Policemen's Uniforms, $9.38, $9.75, $11.13, $13.75, $14.50, that we defy any one to beat.	

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Feb. 14. 1y

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Providence River, 35 cts. quart.
Boston Fresh Opened, 45 cts. quart.
Fancy Cape's, opened here, 50 cts quart.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

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An Investigation

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Feb. 26. tf

Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

WE, the subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of Constructing and operating a Street, Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof. The name of the Corporation shall be BOSTON AND BROCKTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY. The proposed railway is to commence in the Town of Milton and County of Norfolk, on Adams street, at or near the Boston line at Milton Lower Mills, so called, and extend through said Milton, the City of Quincy and the Town of Randolph, all in said County of Norfolk, to a point at or near the terminus of the Brockton Street Railway Company, at West Corners, so called, in said Town of Randolph, its southerly terminus. Also to commence in said Town of Milton and said County of Norfolk, on Blue Hill avenue at or near the Boston line at Mattapan, so called, and extend through said Town of Milton to a point at or near the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company depot at East Milton, so called, its easterly terminus. Its length will be about 11 miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches as required by law. The Capital Stock of said Company shall be One Hundred and Ten Thousand dollars ($110,000).

The seven following named persons being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Milton, Quincy and Randolph, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.: Geo. J. Morse of Hyde Park, Mass.; Bradford Hamilton of Milton, Mass.; Alfred H. Crossman of Milton, Mass.; James H. Packard of Milton, Mass.; G. Arthur Hilton of Milton, Mass.; Fred W. Archer of Dorchester, Boston, Mass.; Jonathan B. L. Bartlett of Mattapan, Boston, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names. Witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1898:

SUBSCRIBERS.	RESIDENCE.	P. O. ADDRESS.	NO. OF SHARES.
Geo. J. Morse,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	Four Hundred.
Bradford Hamilton,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred Fifty.
James A. Wiley,	Swamscott,	Swamscott,	One.
Alfred H. Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Lemuel Crossman,	Milton,	Milton,	Five.
James H. Packard,	Milton,	Mattapan,	One.
Charles G. Chick,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
H. B. Humphrey,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	One.
Philip A. Sullivan,	Boston,	45 Milk street,	One.
Jonathan B. L. Bartlett,	Mattapan, Boston,	85 Water St., Boston,	Fifty.
Janar B. Look,	Mattapan, Boston,	449 River street,	One.
G. Arthur Hilton,	Milton,	Milton,	One Hundred.
Fred W. Archer,	Dorchester, Boston,	1181 Washington St., Dorchester.	One Hundred.
Thos. Johnson,	Dedham,	Dedham,	One Hundred.
A. B. Morse,	Hyde Park,	Hyde Park,	Thirty-four.
Charles E. Stanwood,	Needham,	178 Devonshire St., Boston.	Fifty-five.

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Just received from our own workshops, 1,000 Suits in medium weight Blue Serges, fine Worsted Checks and Plaids, a genuine $15 for **$8.00**

If you want a high grade Dress Suit in either black or the new effects, in pin checks, and small plaids, see what other stores are asking $20 and $25 for, and then come aboard the Pioneer and get one for **$12.00**

All wool $10.00 Covert Cloth Overcoats, with or without strap seams and patch pockets, **$5.50**

Elegant $12.00 and $15.00 Spring Top Coats and English Box Coats, **$7.50**

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Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

OFFICE—At 201 Hancock street.
HOURS—Till 9 o'clock A. M.

H. C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,
Inspector of Milk.

April 12. 12t

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March 30. LP 1m

Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

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It is expected that a duty will be put on Tea and Coffee in case of war. We quote for a short time only:

Good Oolong and English Breakfast Tea, 25c. lb., 5 lbs. $1.00.

COFFEE (quoted by some dealers as Java and Mocha) a rich, full flavored Coffee, ground while you wait, 18c. lb., 6 lbs. $1.00.

A 5-gallon galvanized iron faucet can filled, $1.15.

10-gallon Keg Best Porto Rico Molasses (no charge for keg), $4.50.

10-gallon keg Good Molasses, $2.75.

10 gallons Best Cider Vinegar, including keg, $2.00.

25 lbs. Laundry Starch, $1.00.

20 lbs. Corn Starch, $1.00.

20 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, $1.00.

12 Cans Tomatoes, $1.00.

20 quarts Best Pea Beans, $1.00.

100 lbs. Sugar, $5.25.

BOSTON BRANCH GROCERY,

DURGIN & MERRILL'S BLOCK, QUINCY.

April 16. eod

Peace Is what we want.

The sooner it is brought about, the better we all will like it.

Our ad. man strikes for peace, and next week will introduce our new ad. maker, who will talk to you through these columns and keep you posted on the doings of th's, THE PEOPLE'S STORE. The store that is what the citizen's of Quincy have made it.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

RELIABLE, LOW PRICED HOUSE FURNISHERS,

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You Want the Best

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DON'T BUY A POOR QUALITY

If You Can Get

The BEST ICE

FOR THE SAME PRICE!

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Telephone 227-3. P. O. Box 134.

Quincy, April 21. tf

TRY AN "AD." IN THE LEDGER.

LATEST.

3 o'clock.

THE ENEMY

Fire Their First Shot at the Foote.

Spanish Fleet to Sail from Cape Verde.

Key West, April 25—The first shot known to have been fired by the Spanish was upon the Foote in Matanzas harbor. No damage resulted.

No engagements are reported today. The government has seized the telegraph office here and news will not be as prompt.

SHERMAN OUT.

Washington, April 25—At 12.15 today Secretary Sherman tendered his resignation to President McKinley as Secretary of State, and it was accepted. Judge Day was selected as his successor.

DECLARATION TODAY

Washington, April 25—Immediately upon the assembling of Congress today both houses received messages from President McKinley asking that Congress declare war. The message was received and referred to the proper committee.

It is expected that the committee will report today and that war will be declared immediately.

FLEET TO SAIL.

London, April 25—A despatch from the Cape Verde Islands reports that the Spanish fleet will sail today.

COW BOY REGIMENT.

Washington, April 25 — Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt has accepted an appointment as Lieutenant Colonel and will raise a regiment of cow boys.

THE COLUMBIA.

Newport, R. I., April 25—The U. S. cruiser Columbia put in here today.

NAVAL BRIGADE.

Boston, April 25—The Massachusetts Naval Brigade has begun to assemble here. Quite a demonstration is reported when the Lynn and New Bedford companies left home. It is expected that the militia may be called out today.

M. V. M. ORDERS.

Militia Must be Ready to Respond at 24 Hours.

Adjutant General Dalton of Massachusetts issued the following general orders Sunday evening:

Captain John W. Weeks, commanding Naval Brigade, M. V. M., will assemble his command on the U. S. S. Minnesota, Boston, on Monday, April 25, for eight days' duty.

The First Regiment Heavy Artillery, M. V. M., Col. Charles Pfaffman commanding, will hold itself in readiness for service in defence of Boston Harbor.

The M. V. M. other than the above will hold themselves in readiness to respond to orders to assemble at 24 hours' notice for such duty as may be required of them.

DIED.

CLAPP—In Braintree, April 23, Mr. Charles S. Clapp, aged 66 years, 8 months and 11 days.

HOBART—In Braintree, April 23, Martha W., wife of Mr. Edward Hobart, aged 80 years and 16 days.

EASTER OPENING

— OF —

Spring Hats and Bonnets,

April 6th and 7th.

C. L. BLISS,

186 Hancock Street, - Quincy.

All cordially invited. NO CARDS.

March 29. 3m lp

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The spring recess of the public schools closed Friday last.

Miss Florence E. Locke, a teacher in grades one and two at the Athens school, North Weymouth, returned from a weeks' enjoyable vacation Sunday.

Miss Bryant of Brockton has been appointed to the vacancy in grades three and four Athens school North Weymouth, caused by the resignation of Mrs. R. Sampson.

Miss Mary E. Chubbuck of North Weymouth has been visiting friends in Roxbury for a few days.

Miss Alice Barker is ill at the home of her parents on Pearl street, North Weymouth,

Officers Fitzgerald, Butler, A. H. Pratt and Pease raided the rooms of the Washington club on Keith street, kept by David Stone, early Sunday morning, and seized 78 bottles of beer and 166 empty bottles. It was a little after midnight when the officers approached the rooms which were brilliantly lighted. Finding the door locked they broke it down, and rushing in found eighteen young men congregated there. The officers secured the names of the young men and seized the finds above mentioned.

Rev. Wm. Kirkby, the new pastor of the Porter M. E. Church, preached his opening sermon Sunday afternoon to his new charge here.

Miss Taffs the teacher of the Pratt Grammar school spent her vacation at her home in Rhode Island.

A poverty dance was held in Pratt's hall, Saturday evening by a private party.

Mr. John Long of Belchertown is the guest of Mrs. Ellen Pratt of Lovell's Corner.

Mrs. John Hall who has been ill is now able to make a visit to her daughter's, Mrs. Frank Sprague at South Weymouth.

About 900 people saw the local polo team of East Weymouth defeat the strong aggregation from Taunton at the Rink, Saturday night. The Tauntons showed up Jawell a star from the Connecticut State league. The summary:

EAST WEYMOUTH.		TAUNTON.
Nicholson,	1st Rush	Magee
Mercer,	2d Rush	Daley
Farrell,	Centre	Moran
Hayes,	Half-Back	Jawell
Fuller,	Guard	Mullen

GOAL.	WON BY.	CAGED BY.	TIME. m. s.
1	East Weymouth,	Farrell,	1 20
2	Taunton,	Daley,	1 50
3	East Weymouth,	Mercer,	55
4	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	1 10
5	East Weymouth,	Mercer,	7 30
6	Taunton,	Daley,	3 20
7	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	1 20
8	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	6 15
9	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	1 45
10	East Weymouth,	Farrell,	5 05
11	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	40
12	East Weymouth,	Nicholson,	3 00
13	Taunton,	Daley,	1 55

Score—East Weymouth, 10; Taunton, 3. Stops—Mullen, 29; Fuller, 37. Referee—J. Henry Moran. Timer—Pratt.

A New Merchant.

Mr. Fred A. Linscott, who has been for many years the popular clerk at the old and well established jewelry store of John O. Holden, on Hancock street has purchased the stock and good-will of the establishment and will hereafter conduct the business at the old stand. He solicits the patronage of our readers, and from his immense stock will give his customers rare bargains. Call and examine goods and prices.

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Ladies', Men's and Children's Fast Black Seamless Hose, double sole and heel, 20c., at 10c.

Plaids—Ladies', Men's and Children's, 10c., 25c., and 50c.

Children's School Shoes Our Specialty.

Soft soles, 15c., 25c.

Spring Heels, all sizes, Black and Tans, 50c., 65c., 75c. and $1.

Boys' Shoes, Black and Tans, $1, $1.25, and $1.50.

Ladies' Black and Tans, special, $1.50, $2.

New Idea Fashion Patterns, 10c.

Ladies, clean your Kid Gloves with Miller's Glovine, 15c.

Special Bargains in Kitchen Furnishings.

BOSTON BARGAIN STORE.

Music Hall Building, Quincy.

ADAMS VS. THAYER.

The Braintree Boys Take First Games in Dual League.

Adams played the first game Saturday in the dual league with a crippled team. The playing was not up to the standard and the score will show that with Manning and Boyd, who are both good batters and fielders, that Adams would have probably won. The umpiring was not the best, but there was no disputes.

The next game will be played at Quincy against M. I. T. 1900. The game against Powder Point School at Duxbury was canceled owing to the condition of the team.

ADAMS ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, lb.,	5	0	1	2	7	0	3
Taylor, p.,	5	0	0	0	1	5	2
Linfield, 2b.,	5	1	1	2	1	2	3
Appleton, c.,	5	1	0	0	9	2	1
Kent, r. f.,	5	2	1	1	1	0	0
Burchsted, 3b.,	5	0	0	0	3	1	0
Turner, c. f.,	5	0	0	0	0	0	2
Donaher, ss.,	5	2	3	3	1	0	1
Bennett, lf.,	4	0	2	2	1	0	1
	44	6	8	10	24	10	13

THAYER ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Perry, 3b.,	5	3	2	4	2	4	1
Wales, c.,	5	2	2	3	6	4	0
Arnold, p.,	5	1	3	4	0	4	0
Chase, ss.,	5	1	1	1	0	2	1
Nixon, cf.,	6	1	1	1	1	0	0
Belcher, 2b.,	6	1	1	1	4	2	0
Newell, rf.,	5	0	1	1	1	0	0
Freeman, 1b.,	5	1	0	0	11	0	1
Brigham, lf.,	4	1	0	0	2	1	1
	48	11	11	15	27	17	4

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Adams,	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	—6
Thayer,	1	0	4	3	0	1	2	0	0	—11

Earned Runs—Adams, 2; Thayer, 1. Two-base Hits—Cilley, Linfield, Arnold. Three-base Hits—Perry. Double Plays—Taylor, Burchsted. Passed Balls—Appleton. Hit by Pitched Ball—Freeman. Time—2 hrs. 25 min. Umpire—Cook.

☞ Children's Carriages and Go Carts from $2.98 to $25.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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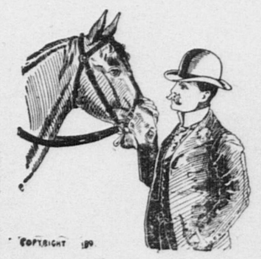
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Handsome Horses

Deserve handsome harness. Even a horse that isn't so good looking ought to have good harness; it will improve his appearance.

We can give you anything in the line of horse furnishings, either out of our stock or made to order, and whichever it is you will find in it nothing but good, sound leather and reliable hardware.

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Quincy, April 23. tf pl

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Saturday, a GOLD WATCH, between 28 Centre street, and P. T. Fitzgerald's works at South Quincy. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to William Boyd, Jr.

April 25—3t*

WANTED.

WANTED—A man or strong boy, half a day a week through the summer to mow a lawn and care for place. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. lp—tf

WANTED—Position in grocery or clothing store in Quincy, or any situation where an educated, active, honest and skilful young man will be appreciated. Best of references. Address B, Ledger, Quincy, Mass.

POSITION WANTED—By a young man, as foreman with reliable carpenter and builder. Capable of designing floors, elevations, and details. Address H. E. B., Ledger office. apr21-6t

CLERK WANTED—Must be a good meat cutter and furnish references. Address "A. A.," Ledger office. apr18-6t

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. J. L. DRAKE, No. 6 Saville street, Quincy.

April 18—tf

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.

March 5. 2m

TO LET.

TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises.

March 29. eod-tf

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.

Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

FOR SALE.

Bigelow St. Fine New Residence, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, furnace, open plumbing, cemented cellar, fireplace, etc.

No. 3 Cottage St. HOUSE of 10 rooms, bath, furnace; newly renovated inside and outside; close to every city privilege. A bargain for somebody. Would let this house under favorable conditions.

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GIVES NOTICE OF BOMBARDMENT.

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its orders under the proclamation of the president.

The administration believes that the volunteer troops should remain in the state camps long enough to become "seasoned" for active campaigning and to become thoroughly equipped and drilled for service. It is more than probable that the troops will not be ordered from the bounds of their own states within three weeks; they may remain at home for a month. By that time the supplies which the department has ordered in large quantities for the equipment of the volunteer army will have been delivered to the government and distributed to the troops.

THE BLOCKADERS.

Preparations For a Fight That Did Not Come Off.

On Board the United States Flagship New York, off Havana, April 25.—The Puritan, Nashville, Marblehead and Ericsson arrived from Key West Saturday morning. At 10 o'clock that morning the Puritan, the Cincinnati, the Machias, Nashville, Castine, Newport, Foote and Winslow left the squadron to blockade Matanzas, Cardenas and Mariel. They formed separate divisions, and after they had passed out of sight the remainder of the fleet took up a regular formation, having drifted some 15 miles from Morro castle.

About half an hour after the squadron was well under way the Cincinnati was seen on the eastern horizon. She had been headed for Matanzas and evidently had turned back to chase some vessel. The object of her pursuit was soon made out, standing well in toward the coast. The flagship, the Marblehead and the Wilmington immediately turned out of course to head the warship off. Then the shout went up, "She is a Spaniard." For the next 10 minutes the excitement was terrible. The distance which separated the vessels rendered it impossible to make out the warship's identity. She was thought to be the Vizcaya or the Almirante Oquendo, heading hard for Havana. The men at the guns shouted with glee. The stokers off duty below cheered vociferously and begged to be allowed to go on deck to help shoot at the first armed enemy met. The officers crowded on the quarter deck as elated as the men, though under better control. The bugler blew "general quarters." All hands flew to their posts. Down came the shrouds with a rattle. The lifelines vanished from the deck. Rear Admiral Sampson, standing on the bridge, said deliberately to Captain Chadwick, "Yes, the Oquendo or the Vizcaya," and then added, "I should like to bag them both." Then it was seen that the vessel was flying the Italian flag; but this was no proof that behind her still invisible guns Spaniards were not concealed, ready to shoot under advantage or subterfuge. All the guns on the New York's port side and in the forward and after turrets were trained on the stranger.

A few minutes later, when about 1500 yards separated the New York from her target the American flag was run up by the warship; and then it was known she was not a Spaniard. A puff of smoke issued from her sides and the boom of a gun sounded across the waters. It was only a salute. The stranger was then made out to be the Giovanni Bausan, a rather powerful cruiser. Without further formalities she pursued her course and entered Havana harbor. Thus an exciting incident ended in disappointment, but it served to show how anxious all hands are for a real fight and how splendid the discipline is when a contingency seems imminent.

The salute of the Bausan had scarcely been returned before a schooner was seen on the coast. The torpedo boat Porter, which had been following close to the flagship, was dispatched to capture her. The Porter fairly flew through the water; and after a few shots fired from her one-pounder the schooner Mathilde hove to. Captain Fremont did his work well and quickly. When he towed the Mathilde back to the flagship it was found she was from Sierra Morena, east of Cardenas, and bound for Havana, laden with sugar and manned by Spanish naval reserve men, thus proving quite a good prize. The captain of the schooner was brought on board and the Mathilde was towed back to Key West by the Dauntless.

At 3 o'clock Sunday morning the Detroit made a rich haul, capturing the large Spanish merchant steamer Catalina, bound from New Orleans for Cadiz with cotton, oil and staves. She also carried a large quantity of provisions which she intended to land in Havana.

The Spanish Decree.

Madrid, April 25.—The royal decree says that Spain maintains her right to have recourse to privateering and announces that for the present only auxiliary cruisers will be fitted out. All treaties with the United States are annulled. Thirty days are given American ships to leave Spanish ports and the rules Spain will observe during the war are outlined in five clauses, covering neutral flags and goods, contraband of war, what will be considered a blockade, the right of search and what constitutes contraband of war, saying that foreign privateers will be regarded as pirates.

Continuing, the decree reads: "We have observed with the strictest fidelity the principles of international law and have shown the most scrupulous respect for morality and the right of government. There is an opinion that the fact that we have not adhered to the declaration of Paris does not exempt us from the duty of respecting the principles therein enunciated. The principle Spain unquestionably refused to admit then was the abolition of privateering. The government now considers it most indispensable to make absolute reserve on this point, in order to maintain our liberty of action and uncontested right to have recourse to privateering when we consider it expedient, first, by organizing immediately a force of cruisers, auxiliary to the navy, which will be composed of vessels of our mercantile marine, and with equal distinction in the work of our navy."

Views of Mr. Sherman.

Washington, April 25.—Secretary Sherman said yesterday that it was his expectation that for the present and the immediate furure the insurgent army would do the greater part of the fighting in Cuba. He added the statement that there was no intention of taking the militiamen and raw recruits into Cuba until thoroughly inured to the hardships of actual military life, and that probably the regulars also would be held in this country until later in the season. The secretary expressed the opinion that Admiral Sampson's fleet would take the first opportunity to form a junction with Gomez's army, and that there would be henceforth perfect co-operation between these two organizations in conducting the war against the common enemy. "The insurgents are the best for this service at present," said the secretary, "and they can be trusted to do zealous work when well armed and well clothed." It was his understanding that the government would furnish the arms and munitions of war to fit out several regiments of the insurgents in good shape and to put the entire Cuban army in fighting trim.

Trade With Spain.

Washington, April 25.—Our trade balance with Spain has been normally three to one in favor of the United States. In 1897 this balance amounted to $7,250,772. The falling off in trade seems to have affected exports and imports, so the ratio remains unchanged. The bulk of our exports to Spain are agricultural products, and these have increased from 75 percent to over 86 percent in the last decade. Our Spanish imports are also chiefly agricultural, but these have steadily decreased from 68.91 percent in 1888-92 to 62.69 percent in 1893-97.

As regards our exports to Spain the falling off in the agricultural commodities was not so great as that in the non-agricultural. The average annual value of the agricultural exports, which came to $10,721,881 in 1888-92, was nearly as large in 1893-97, amounting to $10,366,992; whereas that of the non-agricultural exports declined from $2,299,997 in the former period to $1,593,110 in the latter.

More Money Needed.

Washington, April 25.—President McKinley will ask for a further appropriation to pay the expenses of the army and navy in the conduct of war with Spain. Of the defense fund, $40,000,000 has been expended and allotted for contracts up to this time in preparing the army and navy for hostilities, and now more funds are necessary to carry on the war.

President McKinley and his advisers are considering the advisability of purchasing the St. Paul, St. Louis, Paris and New York of the International Navigation company, which were recently chartered for the government service, and their cost will wipe out the remaining $10,000,000 of the $50,000,000 appropriated by congress.

Under the contract entered into between the navigation company and the navy department, the government is compelled to pay the line $10,000 a day for the use of the four ships, and their loss while in the government service will necessitate the refunding of their cost to their owners. Some of the authorities, therefore, believe it will be to the interest of the government to buy the vessels outright.

Safety of the Oregon.

Washington, April 25.—Naval authorities are discussing the probability of the first open sea fight of the war being a direct result of the coming of the battleship Oregon around South America from the Pacific to join the fleet off Havana. The Oregon and her companion vessel, the gunboat Marietta, arrived Saturday at Punta Arenas, Chili, a port in the straits of Magellan. Saturday night the Minneapolis and Columbia, detached from the flying suqadron at Hampton roads, put to sea under sealed orders, and though it was at first thought they were going across to meet the Paris, there are many here who believe the cruisers may have started really to join the Oregon and Marietta.

A Plan of Campaign.

New York, April 25.—Major Lovell H. Jerome, who is a personal friend of President McKinley and of many of the leading men in the administration, brought back an interesting suggestion from Washington Saturday in regard to the plan of campaign in Cuba. He spent several days in Washington and saw the president and his advisers.

"The plan which was being discussed," said Major Jerome, "was not an invasion of Cuba by a large military force, but the capture of some port in which a garrison might be placed sufficiently large to hold it against the Spaniards. The sending of a large force to Cuba is regarded as a difficult problem. In the first place it would not be easy to transport them, and in the second it would not be easy to land them under the enemy's fire.

"If a port like Matanzas, for instance, should be taken, arms and ammunition could be furnished to the insurgents and food in unlimited quantities could be landed and distributed to them under cover of our guns. By this means, according to the talk in Washington, the sufferings of the reconcentrados could be relieved, while the Spanish, owing to the blockade, would soon be without provisions, and Havana would be compelled to surrender."

Here's a State of Things.

New York, April 25.—The Fall River liner, Priscilla, Sunday brought with her 55 members of the Massachusetts naval reserve, who are to man the auxiliary cruiser, Prairie, now in the Brooklyn navy yard. It was supposed by the Massachusetts men that they were to go aboard their vessel at once, but it was found that she was not ready for them and that they could not go aboard her. As there were no accommodations at the yard for the men, a call was made on Captain Miller of the New York reserve at the New Hampshire. Captain Miller had no accommodations on the New Hampshire and suggested that the men go back to the Priscilla for the night. General Manager Taylor of the Fall River line had the Priscilla berths made ready for the men. The other men who are to go on the Prairie will be accommodated on the Priscilla.

Last night a meeting of all the naval reserves was held in Brooklyn to receive the order from Captain Crowninshield of the bureau of navigation at Washington. This gave instructions to all the men to report at the Brooklyn navy yard this morning for enlistment in the regular navy. Strenuous objection was made to this, the men declaring that if they were put in the regular navy they would become separated and the formation as a Massachusetts reserve would be broken up. This action of the men was reported back to the navy department and also to the Massachusetts authorities.

Devastating Interior Towns.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 25.—The United States consul at Baracoa, Cuba, A. T. Triay, his wife and child, two Spanish merchants and 22 Cubans and Cuban-Americans, mostly women and children from Guantanamo, debarked from the Ely here last night after 24 hours' quarantine. When the steamer left Guantanamo on Friday last a Spanish mob, including many soldiers, filled the public square and adjacent streets, yelling "Death to the Yankees." Several American flags were soiled, torn, trampled and treated with unmentionable indignities. Some naturalized Americans were compelled to take part in the insulting work on the threat of death if they refused.

Orders to the Spanish army declaring the armistice ended were previously posted at Guantanamo last Friday. Two days previous the troops began concentrating at the principal sea-coast cities, abandoning all the interior towns and plantations, in many cases burning them. The passengers by the Ely believe the devastation of that part of th island will be complete before the Americans invade the ports held by the Spaniards.

French Sympathy With Cuba.

Paris, April 25.—At the instance of Michael Davitt, member of the British parliament for South Mayo, Henry Rochefort has cabled John T. Morgan, United States senator from Alabama, declaring that the assertion that all Frenchmen and the entire French press are on the side of Spain is erroneous. On the contrary, the editor of Intransigeant asserts that all French Republicans sympathize with the Cubans and their liberators.

Privateering In Fact.

London, April 25.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "Spain adopts privateering in fact, but not in name. The reservation in the decree issued means very little, and what the cancellation of agreements with the United States means can well be appreciated, particularly by Americans remaining behind in Cuba and those who own property there.

"Spain's adherence to the right of privateering has given great satisfaction in Spain, where the public press markedly approves the attitude of the government. Fears are expressed on the continent that the United States will find it necessary to retaliate. In any case Spain's attitude will enhance the importance of the negotiations of the powers, which it is understood have been initiated by Italy with a view to making arrangements to protect neutrals on the seas. It is reported from Vienna that England holds aloof from the negotiations, though this is discredited."

Matter of Prize Vessels.

Washington, April 25.—The law provides that condemnation proceedings in the matter of prize vessels shall be conducted under the supervision of the district courts. It is made the duty of the commanding officer of the vessel making a capture to secure the documents of the ship and cargo and send them, together with certain witnesses from the captured vessel, to the district court in which the proceedings for the distribution of the prize money are to be held. The attorney for the United States is to promptly file a libel against the prize property and take other proceedings necessary. The evidence is to be taken by prize commissioners not exceeding three in number, one of whom is to be a retired naval officer and at least one of the others a member of the bar of the court, of not less than three years' standing, and acquainted with the taking of depositions. If the sale of the prize is ordered the gross proceeds are to be deposited with the assistant treasurer of the United States at the place nearest to the sale, subject to the order of the court. The court is to make a decree of distribution, saying what vessels are to share in the prize and whether the prize was of superior, equal or inferior force to the vessel or vessels making the capture. The net proceeds of all property condemned as prize, when the prize was of superior or equal force to the vessel or vessels making the capture, shall be decreed to the captors. This provision was evidently put in the law with a view to encouraging vessel captains to exert their greatest effort when meeting a foe of superior or of equal strength, as the same section of the law provides that when the prize vessel is of inferior force to the captors, one-half of the net proceeds is to be decreed to the United States and the other half to the captors. In cases where the amount in controversy exceeds $2000 appeals may be taken to the supreme court.

A Flamboyant Letter.

Madrid, April 25.—The archbishop of Madrid has issued a diocesan letter, in a flamboyant style that occasionally sinks into absolute rhodomontade, differing widely from the high style of Cardinal Azara, archbishop of Valadolid. The archbishop makes the war appear a question of good and evil, with Spain all white and the United States all black. He appeals to all the saints to protect the Spaniards, almost promising invulnerability against American bullets. There are several fine passages that redeem the letter from out and out puff and bombast.

Stave Laden Craft.

Key West, April 25.—Ensign Christy, with a crew of 16 from the Detroit and four from the flagship, brought into port Sunday afternoon the captured Spanish steamer, Catalina, Captain Fano, 3491 tons, which left Cadiz March 7 and was bound from New Orleans for Barcelona, via Havana, for which latter port she was making when taken. The Catalina was captured about 4 o'clock Sunday morning 12 miles from Havana by the Detroit. When the first shot was fired her captain made a desperate effort to escape his pursuer, and the chase was prolonged for eight miles. Finally a solid shot brought her too. She is carrying a cargo of 6000 staves.

The Catalina was built in 1893, and was last surveyed in New York in October of that year. She is 415 feet in length, 48 feet in breadth and 21.3 feet in depth of hold. She is a steel vessel with six bulkheads. Her gross tonnage is 5291 and her net 3501.

Has the Paris Escaped?

London, April 25.—A point of vital interest for all Londoners is whether the Paris has escaped the Spanish warships. Up to midnight there was absolutely no news about the liner.

Blessing of the Pope.

London, April 25.—The Rome correspondent of The Standard says: "The queen regent asked the blessing of the pope upon Spanish arms. His holiness replied that he sent it from his heart and hoped to see a vindication of Spain's rights which had been trampled upon."

Saturnina Run Down.

Mobile, Ala., April 25.—A special from Biloxi, Miss., says the Winona from Mobile captured the Spanish steamer, Saturina, at Ship island yesterday, but will likely to have to remain in quarantine with the prize until the time of quarantine detention is out, today or tomorrow. The Saturnina is from Sagua, 1873 tons.

Caught a Schooner.

New York, April 25.—A dispatch to The Press from Key West says that the gunboat Wilmington has captured the Spanish schooner Candidia, with a deckload of charcoal intended for Havana.

Pertaining to Boston.

Boston, April 25.—The proverbial calm of a New England Sabbath did not prevail on newspaper row yesterday, for in the face of the pouring rain the crowds gathered in front of the bulletin boards, eagerly looking for information from the seat of war. It quite reminded one of the days in the early sixties, when the cry "extra edition" meant some ghastly tale of death and destruction; of horror by land or sea. At midnight the crowd numbered about 300.

Now that it is settled that Mate Bram will not hang, it is doubtful if his counsel will advise making any effort to secure a new trial for their client. Considering the state of the public mind, as shown in the verdicts of the two juries that have found him guilty, there is no doubt that the counsel have accomplished a great work in saving him from the gallows.

Steward Ralph Somers of the Spartan of the Philadelphia line died suddenly of a hemorrhage of the lungs last evening. He was calling on a friend in Charlestown when he was taken ill and a doctor was hurriedly sent for, but the physician's efforts to save the man's life were unavailing.

The 74th anniversary of the American Sunday School union was observed at the Central Congregational church last evening. Rev. Addison P. Foster, secretary for New England, reported that during the past year 1522 schools had been organized with 58,133 members; schools reorganized, 387; old schools revisited, 5594; teachers in new and reorganized schools, 7341; visits to families, 110,450; bibles and testaments distributed, 11,342; sermons and addresses delivered, 15,932; conversions reported, 6085; churches organized, 80.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Despite statements published in New York to the contrary, it is declared in Madrid that the Spanish navy is fully supplied with coal.

Every man of the 322 privates and 18 officers in Manchester, N. H., will volunteer, provided that the company organizations may be preserved.

An alleged dispatch received in Madrid from Havana says that Masso, the former insurgent chief, is trying to raise a force of 3000 Cubans to fight against the Americans.

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Mrs. Sarah A. Skeels, an estimable lady residing at Lynnville, Jasper Co., Iowa, was for twenty-fives year a sufferer from Dyspepsia, and her complete restoration to health is so remarkable that we present the facts in the case for the benefit of our readers, many of whom have doubtless suffered in the same manner and will, therefore, be interested in learning how all stomach troubles may be avoided and cured. Mrs. Skeels says: I used only one package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and received such great and unexpected benefit that I wish to express my sincere gratitude. In fact it has been six months since I took the medicine and I have not had one particle of distress or difficulty since. And all this in the face of the fact that the best doctors I consulted told me my case was incurable as I had suffered for twenty-five years. I want half a dozen packages to distribute among my friends here who are very anxious to try this remedy.

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Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.53 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
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a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

E. G. ALLEN, Gen'l Supt. A. C. KENDALL, G. P. A.

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March 30. 1m

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tric Street Railway.
bject to change without notice.]
after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be different routes as follows:
Quincy and Neponset.
ITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes 5 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.
EPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until Last car at 11.25 P. M.
Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until
Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until , then 11.25 P. M.
Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour P. M.
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ntic and Quincy Avenue
UINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, ia Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and until 7.15 P. M.
REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for venue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. hour until 7.45 P. M.
ncy and East Weymouth.
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AST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later Weymouth and 30 minutes later from int)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 1, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 0, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8. 0, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.
uincy and East Milton.
ITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every of and 25 minutes past the hour until then at 10.50 P. M.
EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then inutes of and 25 minutes past the hour P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.
Quincy and Holbrook.
QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., P. M. to South Braintree only, Wednesday and Saturday, when car ns through to Holbrook.
ving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes ur run through to Holbrook.
Quincy and Hingham.
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INGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour
SUNDAYS.
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ve Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, 32 utes past the hour.
NJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

York, New Haven
Hartford R. R.
Colony System.
fter October 3, 1897, trains will run (See note of explanation at bottom

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	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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LLEN, A. C. KENDALL,
n'l Supt. G. P. A.

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I respectfully announce that I have purchased the interest, good will and stock on hand of the Jewelry business formerly conducted by the late **JOHN O. HOLDEN** and that I shall hereafter conduct the business under my own name, at the old stand, 154 Hancock street, where I shall be pleased to accommodate all who may favor me with their patronage.

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Quincy, April 25. 6t



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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

MOVEMENTS OF DEWEY'S FLEET.

Thought to Have Advanced Upon the Philippines.

The Islands' Importance From a Strategic Standpoint.

Attack on Principal City Said to Be Planned.

Governor of Bay State Deprecates Compliance With the Order For the Merging of State Bodies With the Regulars For Reasons of Expediency—Legality of Seizure of Prizes In Cuban Waters Questioned—Two Battleships Sent to the Coast of New England.

Washington, April 26.—Navy department officials confidently expect that within three days a decisive battle will have been fought between the American and Spanish naval forces operating in the waters of the Philippines. It is learned from most reliable sources that Commodore Dewey's squadron left for the Philippine islands under instructions sent several days ago by Secretary Long.

Of primary importance is the immediate capture or destruction of Spanish vessels. After this has been accomplished, it will not be a difficult matter to cause the fall of Manila and Luzon and of other ports by simply conducting a blockade such as the north Atlantic squadron is doing with reference to Cuban ports.

As Commodore Dewey has not a large squadron, it is appreciated that he will not have sufficient vessels to carry on a blockade which will last any length of time. He will, however, be able to blockade the principal ports in which the Spanish troops are stationed, and the insurgents in the islands will probably give him assistance by continuing their land operations.

Altogether, naval experts say that Commodore Dewey's task is the easiest of those which have been assigned to any flag officer. Upon only one point are the officials uneasy. This relates to the continuance of cable communication between Commodore Dewey and the United States. There is a Spanish cable line connecting Hong Kong and the Philippines, and it may be found necessary to cut the cable in order to prevent the Spanish forces from cabling to their government the condition of affairs in the island. It is appreciated by the authorities that, as Spain can send no re-enforcements to the east, it will do the Spaniards very little good to know what is going on there.

A suggestion has been made to the navy department that the fleet now at the Cape de Verde islands, instead of going direct to Cuba or Porto Rico, as has been generally anticipated, may go to Halifax. There, under the English neutrality laws, the vessels will be entitled to coal and to some extent refit. They could take on coal enough to carry them to the nearest Spanish port. From Halifax to Cuba their course would be along our coast line, and they could do great damage to Boston, New York and other ports.

An attack will probably have been made by next Saturday. The Spaniards have one good cruiser at Manila, the Reina Christina, of 3500 tons; four effective gunboats of less than 1200 tons, and a half a dozen smaller craft of no fighting value. Manila has a few modern guns mounted, but will be powerless against such a force as that of the American fleet.

The capture of the Philippines, if the war continues, would be of the greatest strategic and commercial importance. The islands exceed Cuba in wealth, resources and area. In the hands of America they would be the key of the far east and of Asiatic and Pacific waters.

The fleet blockading Havana is becoming impatient at the policy of inaction which it is obliged to follow. The taking of prizes is well enough in its way, but it does not afford the opportunity for service which the navy has craved, and it is trying for Admiral Sampson to be obliged to lay by and hear the guns of the Spanish fortifications speaking without response.

Admiral Sampson yesterday asked the department to be allowed to exchange shots with the Spanish fortifications whenever it became necessary to run close in shore in chase of some vessel. On every occasion that an American ship has come within range of the Spanish guns they have promptly opened on her, and Admiral Sampson believes that the return of a shot or two under those circumstances would be a benefit to the men of the fleet.

The formal declaration of war has no effect upon our relations with Spain. It fixes certain points concerning the rights of neutrals, and fixes the status of the war, but so far as Spain is concerned the war might have proceeded just as well without a formal declaration as with one. No complications are avoided by the step taken yesterday. A declaration was thought to be necessary by the administration because, under the law providing for the reorganization of the army, the increase of the force of the army from 20,000 to 60,000 men cannot be made except after war has been declared. The question of the status of prizes seized by American vessels before the declaration of war is not affected by yesterday's action. In no event could Spain have had any standing in any United States court, for, as a hostile nation, she cannot appear. There is no danger of complications on this score. It is significant that Great Britain, in her neutrality proclamation, should have fixed the beginning of the war with the dismissal of Woodford. This is only another of the evidences which Great Britain has shown of a friendly feeling toward the United States.

Those who are very near the powers that be say that the army will not leave the United States before October. The president hopes that Spain will find that she is playing a losing game before that time, and that she will be only too willing, on account of the scarcity of food and stores, to get out of Cuba without the necessity of our armies landing at all. For this reason the fleet will maintain a blockade so as to curtail or entirely prevent the landing of supplies or troops, and it is not the intention of the president to jeopardize the fleet by bombarding the forts which, without an army to land, it would be impossible to hold, even after being reduced.

The financial outlook is said to be the object of much comment in the Medrid press and financial circles. It is an open secret that the supplies concerted for war expenses are already well nigh exhausted. The two millions sterling ($10,000,000) monthly, which have hitherto been considered sufficient, and a great deal more than that amount, will be required for naval and military armaments for carrying on a war. It is said that great curiosity is felt to know how the government will raise the money required. It is understood here that the minister of finance, in addition to projects already announced, will ask the

(*Continued on page 4.*)

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WOMEN ARTISTS.

Two Quincy Ladies Rank With Best in Boston.

Photos and sketches of Mrs. E. C. Bumpus and Mrs. H. W. Nicholson of this city appeared in the New England Home Magazine issued with the Sunday Journal in an illustrated article by Lillian Baynes on the "Women Artists of Boston." The sketch says:

Mrs. E. C. Bumpus, the wife of Judge Bumpus, is another of Boston's leading water colorists. Her work usually graces the principal exhibitions of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, and having struck an original manner of handling landscape, her work always attracts much attention and calls forth much favorable criticism.

Mrs. Bumpus's winter studio is in her home in Quincy. In the summer she works from nature, devoting most of her time to sketching and making studies, which she works into pictures in the winter months.

Her studio is situated on the top of her house. It is well-lit, cheery room, filled with interesting specimens of the artist's work. Mrs. Bumpus has proved that she has a decided aptitude for portraiture, and her studio contains many portraits in various stages of completion. She is equally at home with all media, and her pastels cannot be rivaled for their delicacy.

Mrs. H. W. Nicholson enjoys the distinction of being one of the few successful burnt-wood artists in this country. Her exhibition, which has recently closed, has been one of the most artistic of its kind ever held in this city. Mrs. Nicholson is not what is known as a poker artist—she has reached a point far beyond that, for she is a good draughtsman and has an excellent eye for color in addition to being an expert designer and having an exceptional taste for decoration.

Mrs. Nicholson's studio is now at Quincy, and is one of the most unique and interesting little workshops that can be found. In it the artist spends most of her time, surrounded by a large collection of wooden vessels of all sizes and shapes, picture frames of various designs, card trays, fire bellows, and a most interesting collection of furniture of all stlyes—in short, everything in wood which can be made up into either useful or ornamental articles for the household, and it takes a vivid imagination to conceive the innumerable uses to which burnt-wood work may be put, for, with little ornaments it only just begins, and its adaptability for dados, friezes and mantle shelves are limitless, as Mrs. Nicholson has proved. Some of the most artistic of Mrs. Nicholson's work are a number of gourds which she has decorated and colored in the most pleasing manner.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27.
Sun rises—4:45; sets, 6:39.
Moon sets—12:37 night.
High tide—3:15 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.

Wednesday promises to be partly cloudy or cloudy, with cool temperatures and north to east winds, but probably without rain. There is promise of fair and warmer weather Thursday, which may continue Friday.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Democratic state convention for New Hampshire will be held in Concord Aug. 31.

No news of the American liner Paris had been received up to 6 o'clock this morning.

Mary Van Zandt, the celebrated opera singer, will be married at Cannes Friday to a Russian gentleman. She will retire from the stage.

The queen regent of Spain still hopes that foreign intervention will peacefully and honorably prevent a conflict between the United States and Spain.

All the stores, medicines and supplies in St. Vincent have been purchased to supply the Spanish squadron, and even passing vessels are laid under contribution.

The appointments announced by Bishop Mallalieu at the Troy conference of the M. E. church included the following: North Adams, J. A. Hamilton; Williamston, E. C. Farwell.

About 20,000 Spanish Republicans have signed an address to Castelar, under the pretext of congratulating him upon his recovery from sickness, but in reality offering him their support if he proclaims a republic.

Quartermaster Johnson of the Helena, who accidentally shot himself by his revolver dropping from his holster, died yesterday morning. The accident occurred on board the Miguel Jover, the Spanish steamer captured by the gunboat.

It is announced semi-officially that Germany, following the course adopted in the China-Japanese and the Turko-Grecian wars, will not issue a declaration of neutrality, the idea being to preserve her freedom of action and "to be in a position to intervene if she considers it necessary."

It is considered that Japanese men are amongst the best needleworkers in the world, their only equals being the women of Russia.

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Extracts from the Laws of this Commonwealth.

EVERY Owner or keeper of a dog of three months old or over, shall annually on or before the 30th Day of April, cause it to be Registered, Numbered, Described and Licensed for one year from the first day of the ensuing May, in the office of the clerk of the city or town wherein said dog is kept, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

Any owner of a dog may at any time have it licensed until the first day of the ensuing May; and a person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of May, not duly licensed, shall cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed as provided in the preceding section.

The fee for every license shall be two dollars for a male dog and five dollars for a female dog.

Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter shall forfeit Fifteen Dollars, five dollars of which shall be paid to the complainant and ten dollars to the treasurer of the county in which the dog is kept.

Every owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes may receive annually a special license authorizing him to keep such dogs upon the premises described in such license. When the number of dogs so kept does not exceed five, the fee for such license shall be Twenty Five Dollars; when the number of dogs so kept exceeds five, the fee shall be Fifty Dollars, and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper, under the age of six months.

Any owner or keeper of a dog not duly licensed, which becomes three months old after the thirtieth day of April in any year, shall, whenever it is three months old, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed until the first day of the ensuing May, as provided in section eighty of chapter one hundred and two of the Public Statutes, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar, distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

Quincy, Mass., April 26. 13t eod

City Hall Notice.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, April 26, 1898.

ON and after May 7, 1898, until Oct. 1, the City Hall will be closed at 12 o'clock, M., on Saturdays.

RUSSELL A. SEARS, Mayor.

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Notice of Milk Inspector

CITY OF QUINCY.

[Extracts from Chapter 57, Sections 3 and 4, Public Statutes.]

SECT. 3.—"In all cities every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise for the purpose of selling the same in such city, shall annually on the first day of May, or within thirty days thereafter, be licensed by the Inspector of Milk of such city to sell milk within the limits thereof, and shall pay to such Inspector fifty cents each to the use of the city."

SECT. 4.—"Every person before selling milk or offering it for sale in a store, booth, stand, or market-place in a city or in a town in which an inspector or inspectors of milk are appointed, shall register in the books of such inspector or inspectors, and shall pay to him or them fifty cents to the use of such city or town; and whoever neglects so to register shall be punished for each offence by fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

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April 12. 12t

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Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	—	51	70
Wednesday	—	50	52
Thursday	—	60	48
Friday	—	66	60
Saturday	—	62	70

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City Hall notice.
Hall to let.

WHY NOT BLANKETS?

Will the city of Quincy be less patriotic than the town of Braintree? Braintree has shown her appreciation of Co. K and thoughtfulness for the welfare of its members by supplying each member with some of the necessities, but the impedimenta is not complete. Inquiry of Capt. Kincaide discloses the fact that individual blankets are very much needed and almost indispensable in camping. Now, it would be a very proper thing for the city to equip the members of Co. K immediately with blankets that they may not suffer with the cold during these cold, damp nights. A greater part of the members are Quincy boys, and the city cannot afford to let the town of Braintree outstrip it in deed or act.

Co. K may go into camp before this shall be read, but before tomorrow night the blankets should be provided, and we believe they will be.

Railroad Change.

President Clarke of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. announces the appointment of Mr. W. E. Chamberlain, now assistant superintendent of the New York division, as the general superintendent of the Old Colony system, vice E. G. Allen, "resigned" Early last winter the Ledger announced that it had information from excellent authority that within a few months Mr. Allen would be removed. The item is now verified.

Mr. Allen was a smart railroad man but in dealing with the hundreds of people whom he was brought into daily contact with he lacked a most necessary qualification,—tact. He was woefully deficient in that diplomatic qualification. He antagonized everybody, employes, officials, directors and the general public in the most impartial manner. This was too srvere a contrast over the late J. R. Kendrick's method of handling railroad business. Mr. Kendrick was a man of infinite tact. A man who called upon him on business was sure of gentlemanly treatment and that if his request was a just one it would be granted. The writer recollects an instance in point which has never before been made public. Several years ago the culvert which runs beneath the track at the Wollaston station got choked up with sand; in fact it was too small for the purpose for which it was intended. Sachem's brook backed up onto the lowlands badly flooding cellars along Brook street, and doing other damage. The writer wrote to Mr. Kendrick, explaining the situation and asking for relief. The next day a note was received from Mr. Kendrick saying "call and see me tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock." The writer called, was received by Mr. Kendrick in his usual courteous manner and after a few preliminary remarks the general superintendent said "I have given orders to have a new stone culvert, of a much larger size than the old one, built beneath the track at the Wollaston station for Sachems' brook." In a few days a large gang of men was put to work and the culvert now built at an expense of nearly $1500.

In contrast to that was Mr. Allen's method of handling the Wollaston fence question. It was simply a game of bluff from first to last with him.

A FEW POINTERS.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists; ask for a free sample today.

AT THE ARMORY.

Scenes of Activity Awaiting Call.

Presentation by the Town of Braintree.

Never did the armory of Co. K display such a scene of activity as Monday night. All day long the boys had been expecting a call to respond for duty for an indefinite period and consequently when night came every man appeared in his uniform ready should the summons come during the evening. It was an evening full of excitement, one that will not soon be forgotten. An air of activity and bustle prevailed, yet throughout all perfect order was maintained and there was no attempt at boisterousness.

Besides the company many citizens were present from Quincy and Braintree; among the former being Mayor Sears, Chief of Police Litchfield, Assessor Holt and Councilman Packard. When not drilling the boys busied themselves getting their knapsacks ready and the articles required were stowed carefully away.

There was also some recruiting and there now is a waiting list of seventy-five, if not more, applicants for membership. Many of these were present Monday night, and while none will be accepted until after passing the physical examination, the steady tramp heard above showed that they were being drilled in the upper room.

As a whole the boys appeared anxious to be on the move although to those who will leave families behind the parting will come hard. As one officer of the company expressed it, the going was nothing, but where the hard part came in was in saying good-bye to their families.

The town of Braintree, through its selectmen, notified Capt. Kincaide Monday that it would provide each man with two shirts, two pair of socks and a pair of shoes. These articles were at the Armory Monday night and were distributed.

Besides carrying in the knapsack the articles laid down on the list of necessities, each man will carry what is known as two days' emergency rations, which is to last until the camp is in working order. The emergency rations for each day consists of one pound of hard-tack, one pound of canned corned beef, three ounces of coffee and four ounces of sugar. They will also carry the new Springfield rifles.

Before leaving the Armory for the night the company was drawn up in line and Lieut. Spear went through the list and saw that all had been provided with the hose and shirts.

Capt. Kincaide then briefly addressed the boys. He said that he had been expecting a call all day but that now it would probably not come before Tuesday. Should the call come in the morning it was doubtful if he sent out the call on the fire alarm but would notify each member by the notifying squad. Although in case the call came in the afternoon he might use the fire alarm. He urged every man to go over the list of articles needed and make sure that nothing had been forgotten. He also told them they had all better go to work as usual Tuesday, and not lose any time. He also said that none but the regular company would go and the new men who had signed applications for enlistment would be held in reserve for the present.

It is probable that an effort will be made to have the company when it departs pass through Quincy in which event they will be given a royal reception by the business men of Quincy centre who are planning to burn quantities of red fire.

Wollaston Fire.

The alarm from Box 56 at 2.40 Monday afternoon was for a fire in the house of W. W. Rice on Third hill, Wollaston, caused by an oil stove taking fire. There was an invalid lady in the room at the time but she was safely removed. The burning oil made a dense smoke which filled the house. Several small articles of furniture in the room were destroyed but otherwise than this the loss by fire was small. There will however be some loss by smoke. The department made a quick run and what little fire there was in the room was quickly extinguished.

Wollaston Post Office.

Advertised letters for week ending April 23: Mr. Chas. S. Groves, Mrs. Cora L. Brown, Mr. Hector McNeill, Mrs. E. R. Thorpe.

☞ Glenwood Ranges cut down the coal bills; they cost no more than other ranges. $18.00 to $33.00 Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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DIED.

MERRITT—In New York City, April 1, John P. Merritt, son of Charles Merritt, formerly of Quincy, aged 24 years and 9 months. Burial services at Mt. Wollaston cemetery, Quincy, Wednesday April 27, at 2 P. M.

THOMPSON—In Weymouth, April 24, Mr. Granville Thompson, aged 67 years and 7 months.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

Mayor Sears has a plan for the observance of Arbor day which occurs next Saturday, which if carried through will prove an interesting feature. His plan is for each of the mayors of Quincy, viz. Messrs. Porter, Fairbanks, Hodges, Adams and Sears to assemble at some suitable place and plant a tree, which custom shall be followed in the future. Just where the trees shall be planted has not been decided upon as yet. About the only available space however is at Merrymount Park.

The flag now waves over City Hall every day. Now is the time to keep "Old Glory" prominently before the people. It is an inspiration to our youth. Let the flags float everywhere.

The City Council Committee on streets will not meet until Thursday-night and the Committee on Ordinances tonight.

Mayor Sears gives notice today of Saturday half holidays at City Hall to begin May 7.

City Clerk Cleaves advertises today notifying owners of dogs that they should be licensed before April 30, next Saturday.

School Attendance.

The public schools are now fairly started on the spring term. The number of new pupils admitted was 237, as follows: Adams 19; Coddington, 16; Gridley Bryant, 23; John Hancock, 32; Lincoln, 28; Massachusetts Fields, 14; Quincy, 15; Washington, 23; Willard, 50; Wollaston, 17;

Superintendent Lull furnishes the following table of attendance which shows the average number per room in each building to be: Adams, 48; Coddington, 51; Gridley Bryant, 39; John Hancock, 49; Lincoln, 41; Massachusetts Fields, 35; Quincy, 41; Washington, 41; Willard, 44; and Wollaston, 41.

The average number per room may not be the best way of showing the crowded condition of some buildings, for some have smaller rooms than others. Then again in all buildings the crowd is in the primary grades. One room at the Coddington has 78 and another at the Wollaston 74, while nine others have 60 or more.

There are now in the eighth grade which will be graduated in June, 281 pupils. The summary of all grades and rooms is given below, being the attendance on Friday April 22:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Adams,	47	55	48	52	42	46	45	41	424
	48								
Coddington,	35	60	78	50	50	46	45	37	455
	54								
Gridley Bryant,	32	44	48	46	40	38	35	18	344
	43								
John Hancock,	62	59	59	50	39	39	36	29	437
	64								
Lincoln,	32	50	50	45	47	34	25	14	402
	43	62							
Mass. Fields,	48	46	42	41	28	29	24	18	276
Quincy,	37	49	46	38	39	36	36	26	368
	61								
Washington,	64	60	40	33	38	29	29	29	322
Willard,	45	42	42	48	44	39	38	39	822
	66	37	45	44	45	28	30		
	60	47	37						
	46								
Wollaston,	74	44	36	31	36	41	34	30	326

The attendance at the High school was 176 in grade IX, 102 in grade X, 43 in grade XI, 34 in grade XII and 2 graduates. The grand total in the Quincy schools is 4,533.

Richman Rich Now.

The officers were on the hunt all Monday afternoon for Charles Richman, who it was alleged had $50 of another man's money. Richman has been married five months, but during that time has left his bride seven times. When he would come back he was very repentant at what he had done, promising faithfully that if she would only take him back he would never do so again. His pleading always touched the tender chords of his bride's heart and she would open her arms and take him back.

This week Richman returned f[rom] one of his trips and was taken b[ack] again to the bosom of his family expressed a strong desire to go i[nto] junk business, but he lacked t[he] which he said was necessary t[o] him. His faithful wife agreed to help him and borrowed $50 from her sister Mrs. Philip Finglestine. As soon a[s] Richman put his hand on the money h[e] skipped, and the family seeing through the trick, notified the police to h[ave] him stopped.

The police did their part but he gave them the slip and got away. Monday night the two sisters, accompanied by Officer Cameron, visited Boston but were unable to find any trace of the missing man.

Jack—"Do you know that young King Alfonso of Spain cannot marry?"

Jill—"Why cannot the young king marry?"

Jack — "Because he can't Have Anna."

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Fensmere beach.

Rain, rain go away, come another pleasant day.

Alvin Joslin is the new man at the Atlantic station.

Frank Packard of Clark street, has moved to Houghs Neck.

The Atlantic postmaster is quite patriotic. A large flag is seen unfurled to the wind every day.

Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the third degree on two candidates this evening.

The new lights on South street beyond Sumner street are appreciated especialy on dark nights.

The Squantum car was off the track early Monday morning and caused a delay for some little time.

Mr. Howard Rogers is in a quandry to know who put the piece in the Ledger about his going down to Key West.

There are positions now for young men to fill. Situations vacated by those who have gone away to serve "old glory."

Flags are shown from the headquarters of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., from the Quincy club and at many private residences.

The inspection of Co. K to have been held at the armory tonight has been declared off, which means that there is a scarcity of time.

Ames, the plummer, has two handsome signs over his front door. One projects out on irons so it can be seen around the curve in the block.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Corthell of Wollaston are at present in France. They passed the winter and spring at Nice, Mentone and Monte Carlo.

Quite a number of Miss Minnie Rodger's pupils of her dancing class of Atlantic, went to Brockton Monday evening to attend the ball given to her class in that city.

It is a source of gratification to the members of Co. K and to the citizens of Quincy and Braintree that Co. K will carry the regimental colors which will place them second in line.

If you have small chickens look out for them and keep them shut up, for the cats enjoy them. Four small chickens were seen to disappear from one yard this week and cats were the thieves.

Many were at the Quincy depot this morning to see the train go through upon which were the Brockton and other companies in that vicinity of the First Heavy Artillery who have been ordered to Fort Warren. The cars were prettily decorated with flags.

A horse, owned by Lemuel Hayward, attached to an open wagon, became frightened at Quincy Neck, Monday afternoon, and ran up Quincy avenue toward Quincy. When the animal reached the sewer on the avenue near Water street he cleared himself from the wagon and continued on to Chase's bakery where he was stopped.

The annual meeting of the Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch of the W. B. M. is being held today at the Congregational church at Wollaston. The report on one of the church calendars that it would be held Wednesday was a mistake. Morning session at 9.45. Basket collation at noon. Address in the afternoon by a missionary.

People at the Wollaston depot Monday afternoon witnessed an interesting race between Officer Connolly and a train. The 3.15 train had just left the depot when the officer jumped over the fence and came down the platform like a steam engine It was a short but interesting race in which the train came off victorious, although the betting was even on the officer. He lost his hat.

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Eb[ene]zer Blankenness a[rrested] ... until May 16.

Charles Mangs was arraigned upon two complaints, for the illegal sale of liquor to Matt Johnson at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

David Stone was arraigned for exposing intoxicating liquor for sale at Weymouth. He was fined $50 of which amount he deposited $25 and was ordered to pay $5 a week until the the full amount of the fine has been paid.

Margaret Malcom was arraigned for the larceny of three gold rings valued at $15. Case continued until Thursday.

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SPAIN APPEALS.

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Says That This Country is Too Aggressive.

Madrid, April 26—The government has today issued an address to the Powers regretting the hard necessity of the situation which compels it to appeal to the court to repel the aggressiveness of the United States.

THREE MORE PRIZES.

New York, April 26—A dispacth from Key West says the United States has captured three more prizes, which will be brought there. The names are unknown, but one is thought to be the Spanish steamship Monferat.

WAR REVENUE BILL.

Washington, April 26 — Chairman Dingley has reported the war revenue bill to Congress. The Committee on the Army reorganization bill has also agreed on a bill.

WILL HOLD HAVANA.

Havana, April 26—Gen. Blanco has telegraphed Madrid that he can hold Havana without the assistance of the Spanish cruisers.

A ROYAL DECREE.

London, April 26—A Royal decree was issued today declaring neutrality in the war of America and Spain, and it was printed this morning in an extra edition of the London Gazette.

SOMERS TIED UP.

Falmouth, Eng., April 26—The United States torpedo boat Somers at this port has been notified that because of the royal decree as to neutrality, that it must not leave. It must therefor stay here until the close of the war. All belligerent vessels were notified some days ago that they must leave before April 24.

WARSHIPS TO MOVE.

Washington, April 26—It is said that a new line of strategy for the warships has been adopted. That the heavy vessels will be withdrawn from Cuba to some central point on the United States coast, that it may be prepared to meet any move on Boston or New York or in defense of Cuba.

HEAVY ARTILLERY.

Boston, April 26—The 1st Regiment Heavy Artillery assembled in Boston today and at 11.30 passed in review of Gov. Wolcott and Mayor Quincy, and then embarked from the Nantasket peir for Fort Warren where they have been ordered for active service. It is expected that some will soon be transferred to the fortification at Long Island and Winthrop.

CAPE VERDE FLEET.

Madrid, April 26—The government is said to have been notified by the commander of the Spanish fleet at Cape Verde that he must sail today whether he receives orders or not, as Portugal has declared neutrality.

New Masonic Lodge.

A meeting was held at the Wollaston hotel on Monday evening to discuss the advisability of forming a Masonic lodge at Wollaston, Thirty-one members of that order living in Wollaston, having all ready petitioned the Grand lodge to that effect. Twenty members were present at the meeting and participated in the discussion. A committee of eight was appointed and invested with full power. Only one of the thirty-one petitioners is a member of Rural lodge. The consent of Rural lodge has to be obtained before a lodge can be founded at Wollaston.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Miss Alice Prentice, who has been attending the Normal school in Providence, R. I. has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Newcomb have been visiting here from Providence, R. I. Mrs. Newcob was formerly Clara Prentice and was a school teacher in North Weymouth.

The Ladies' Social Union will tender a reception of welcome to their new pastor, Rev. A. W. Kingsley of the Methodist church, East Weymouth, in the vestry tonight.

The funeral rites of the late Mr. James Brooks were held at the residence of his son, Mr. G. A. Brooks, on High street, East Weymeuth, Sunday afternoon. A quartette composed of Messrs. C. W. Bailey, C. H. Newton, M. P. Garey and La F. Lincoln rendered appropriate selections. Rev. D. Evans, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated.

Miss Clara Beals and Mr. Frank Whiting carried off the trophies at the meeting of the Algonquin whist club Saturday night, held with Miss Clara Beals of Shaw street, North Weymouth.

Rev. M. C. Ward of Hingham preached at the Third Universalist church, North Weymouth, on Sunday. The Ladies' Aid society, No. 31, auxiliary to James L. Bates Camp 36, S. of V., held a pleasant meeting in G. A. R. hall, East Weymouth, Monday evening. A collation was served and an excellent entertainment presented by Miss Munroe and Miss Alice Urquhart. Mrs. Nettie Nash of Abington, Division Vice President, was present.

Wampatuck encampment, I. O. O. F., were officially inspected by D. D. G. P. Shaw of Taunton, Monday evening. A collation of ices and cake was served after the meeting.

Messrs. Michael W. White, '98 and George P. Hunt, '00 of East Weymouth Harvard Medical school, returned to their duties Monday, from a weeks' vacation.

Mr. Merritt Jenkins Tufts '00, spent Sunday with his parents at North Weymouth.

The Athens school, grade 1, Miss Florence E. Locke, teacher, Miss Fannie P. Chubbuck, assistant, admitted nine new pupils Monday.

The Ladies Social Union of the Third Universalist church, North Weymouth, will hold a supper in the church parlors Wednesday evening.

A parish meeting will be held at the Third Universalist church, North Weymouth, this evening for the purpose of appointing a pastor for the ensuing year.

The East Weymouth Reform club held their 22d anniversary in Temperance hall, East Weymouth, last evening. A large delegation was present from the state board of Reform club. Among those present were: G. W. Bellinger, Pres. V. T. U., Miss S. Louise Barton, W. S. Wilson, Fin. Sec., Mr. Leonard Thompson, Samuel Orcutt, President Hiram Porter, Mrs. H. B. Raymond, Mrs. Briggs, President E. W. W. C. T. U., Waldo Turner, Mechanics Temple of Honor, and many others from the various temperance organizations and clubs near by.

Mrs. Lucy Chamberlain the wife of Dr. Chamberlain of South Weymouth, died Monday after a long illness, in her 58th year.

Irving Hawes has taken a position as conductor with the Braintree and Weymouth street railway Co.

The Quincy and Boston street railway company has purchased the lot formerly occupied by the Union Congregational church. The company will probably erect a car-house upon this lot.

Granville Thompson, one of Weymouth's best known business men, died at his home on Washington street, Saturday night. Deceased had been engaged in the jewelry business in the town for many years.

Miss Mary Connell died at her home on Broad street Monday morning. The deceased had been a sufferer for several years past.

Sunday Capt. Murray Knight took a party from this place on a fishing excursion. When the party returned home they brought with them about two hundred pounds of cod. George Loring caught one measuring four and one-half feet in length, and weighing forty-five pounds. This is on exhibition in the display window of the Fore River fish market.

Warren Weston left Saturday for Key West where he will join the naval reserve.

Stewart Jordan, who has been ill for a short time is able to be about again.

Ashford Baker one of the oldest citizens of this town is very ill.

A two weeks' fair opened at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Monday evening. The entertainment committee have made arrangements for an excellent entertainment each evening.

William Cowing has started a steam laundry in Jackson square.

Sunday evening at the Baptist church, Rev. F. B. Cressy delivered a stirring address upon "Sagasta and McKinley." There was a large attendance.

Wollaston Yachts.

Capt. E. A. Snow and Mr. W. D. Given of the Wollaston Yacht club are the first to get their boats into the water this spring, and are scrapping about the bay already. The captain's new cat, the Gwendoline, is a slick looking little craft and shows up well under his experienced handling. Other members of the club are fast putting their boats into form and the next three weeks will see a number of them in the water. Mr. James Smith will have a beauty when she is finished; details will be given later.

—Col. Waring declares that the consolidation of New York is a failure, and he favors the prompt repeal of the charter. This is rather sweeping, even coming from the great sweeper.—Herald.

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Quincy, April 26. 1m

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Seth Burrill of Quincy, County of Norfolk, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Amasa G. Whitcomb of Chelsea, County of Suffolk, said Commonwealth, dated April first, A. D. 1890, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 639, folio 74, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the said Amasa G. Whitcomb will sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter mentioned, which are those described in said mortgage deed, on SATURDAY, the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1898, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises as follows:

A certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Walker street in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, bounded and described as follows, viz.: Easterly by lot numbered 36 on plan of lots made by L. Briggs, dated April, 1871, and recorded with Norfolk County plans, and numbered 199, one hundred and twenty (120) feet; southerly by land now or formerly of the heirs of S. A. Appleton, sixty-four (64) feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Gibbons, one hundred and twenty and one-tenth (120.1) feet; and northerly by said Walker street, sixty-nine and four-tenth (69.4) feet; being lot numbered 37 on said plan, and containing eight thousand and four (8,004) square feet of land, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said Seth Burrill by Roger H. Wilde, by deed dated Jan. 31, 1890, recorded Norfolk Deeds, libro 632, folio 449. Sold subject to all and any assessments or taxes, if any. $500 at time of sale.

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Quincy, April 21. tf

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MOVEMENTS OF DEWEY'S FLEET.

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cortes for general authority to raise all the funds that may be required for war expenses without specifying the means.

SPOKE OF TREASON.

Senator Hawley Killed by Statements of a North Carolina Colleague.

Washington, April 26.—During the consideration of the naval appropriation bill Monday Mr. Butler was proceeding to read testimony taken before a committee of the house relative to defective plates on various United States war vessels and making sharp comment upon it, when Mr. Hawley said sharply: "I must protest against this. I believe the senator from North Carolina is out of order in making these charges here publicly. If he should reduce them to writing and transmit them privately to Spain, pointing out these defective plates, he would be guilty of treason."



SENATOR MARION BUTLER.

Mr. Tillman called attention to the fact that the statement made by Mr. Butler had been based upon official and congressional reports which were easily accessible to Spain, and he doubted not that the Spanish government had agents who could gain access to the document rooms of the capitol.

Mr. Butler, continuing, adverted to what he regarded as the "excited" utterances of Mr. Hawley, who, he said, had risen and flung at him charges of treason. He thought that those who were guilty of treason were those who had refused to make provisions for good armor at a reasonable price.

The army reorganization bill was reported to the senate with some amendments by Mr. Hawley of the military affairs committee, and passed within 20 minutes. It was not completed, however, as the house non-concurred in the senate amendments and asked for a conference. At 3 o'clock the senate went into secret session and passed the bill of the house declaring the existence of war between the United States and Spain. Subsequently a brief open session was held during which minor business was transacted.

The secret debate was based on an amendment offered by Senator Turpie providing for the recognition of the belligerent rights of the insurgent Cubans, the amendment being practically in the following language: "We hereby recognize the rights of the Cuban army under General Maximo Gomez to be treated as belligerents, the freedom and independence of the Cuban people having heretofore been recognized by an act of congress." This was defeated, 24 to 38.

There was also some criticism of the fact that the bill fixed a date in the past when the war began. Senator Pettigrew declared that the 21st inst. was evidently used in order to make legal the capture of the lumber vessel, the Buena Ventura, on that date. He characterized this as a small piece of business, for either the administration or congress to indulge in, and said that under the circumstances if he had been president he would have returned the ship to its owners. He predicted that the courts would in the end settle the claim against us regardless of this declaration. Senator Davis replied briefly to this point, saying that the date was not fixed by the capture of the Buena Ventura, but by the recognition by the Spanish government of a state of war as made on the 21st, and as outlined in the president's message.

Senator Pettigrew took up the contention, holding that the president had not indicated any date for the beginning of hostilities, but that he had rather shown in his message that he considered that the negotiations had by no means reached the point of hostilities. "The president," said the senator, "speaks of our reasonable demands upon Spain. Did he," he asked, "expect Spain to take the view that his demands were reasonable when he had asked Spain to part with a large part of her kingdom, and to come up smiling in view of this polite request?" Continuing Mr. White said that it was his purpose to support the administration in all reasonable measures for the prosecution of the war, but he did not regard the fixing of this date as in any sense a response to a presidential request. There was a general plea for speedy action on the bill, and no amendment was pressed for a change of date.

The representatives of 70,000,000 people voted for war without a word of debate, without a dissenting vote and without a rollcall, but with a solemn appreciation of the gravity of their action. It required but one minute and 41 seconds to accomplish this. The house was considering an election case and simply paused to declare war. There was no excitement, no cavil, no word or question. It was only in the great cheer that went up from the floor and galleries when Speaker Reed announced its passage that the tremendous import of the act and the supressed enthusiasm behind it was shown. After the president's message was read, the committee on foreign affairs framed the resolution, and it was passed on its way to the senate in an hour and six minutes. The speaker signed it at 4:49.

Lee and Sigsbee Challenged.

Washington, April 26.—Lieutenant Ramon de Carronza of the Spanish navy, until recently naval attache of the Spanish legation in Washington, has challenged General Fitzhugh Lee and Captain Sigsbee of the Maine to fight duels. The challenges were issued on the night that the Spanish minister withdrew from Washington. Lieutenant de Carronza had determined on this course of action immediately after Consul Lee and Captain Sigsbee appeared before the congressional committees and testified that it was their belief that the Spanish naval officers were responsible for the blowing up of the Maine. He made known his purpose to Minister Polo, who peremptorily forbade him from issuing the challenge while he was a member of the legation staff. Since the challenges were sent no word has reached here as to the purposes of General Lee and Captain Sigsbee. The dispatches from Toronto indicate that no acceptances or declinations have reached there.

Lieutenant de Carranza is about 26 years old, tall and of athletic build. He looks more like an Englishman than a Spaniard. His face is full-bearded and ruddy from exposure on the sea, for he came to Washington after long service. It was he who was entrusted by General Blanco with the delivery to Washington of the report of the Spanish naval commission which investigated the disaster to the Maine, and after delivering the report into the hands of Minister Polo he was attached to the legation.

To Co-operate With Cubans.

Washington, April 26.—The large Cuban ports have fairly good shore batteries, and it would take a considerable naval force and the delays incident to giving the non-combatants time for departure before they could be captured. On the other hand smaller ports could make little more than a formal defense, if indeed they did not surrender at the outset. With two such bases of operations secured, the Cuban authorities here feel that Cuban forces in the field and those ready to take the field could be speedily and effectively equipped with arms, ammunition and supplies. It is stated that Gomez and Garcia have the men and the enthusiasm capable of striking an effective blow once they have arms in hand, and that the only reason for their present inaction is their failure to have adequate equipment for a strong movement on the Spanish forces.

Recent conferences between the Cuban military officers here and General Miles leave little doubt that the war department will equip the Cuban forces in every way practicable with the present demand for arms and ammunition made by the calling into active service of the full force of the army and 150,000 volunteers; but it will still be necessary to effect a juncture with the Cuban forces, and to this end the suggestion is being made that ports on the north and south coasts of Cuba be taken. A decision on the move has not yet been made, but it is likely to follow as soon as the war department feels that it is ready to place adequate supplies of arms and ammunition in the hands of the Cubans.

Question of Legality.

Washington, April 26.—At the leading embassies and legations, opinion is somewhat divided as to the legality of the seizure of the Buena Ventura, the Pedro of Bilbao and such other ships as were taken prior to noon on Saturday. In one quarter it is held that the state of war did not exist at the time of the capture, so that they cannot be considered war prizes. To sustain this view it is pointed out that the course of Spain in severing diplomatic relations did not create a state of war. At present France and Venezuela have terminated their diplomatic relations as a result of differences between them, but, it is pointed out, there is no war between France and Venezula, and the termination of their diplomatic relations has never been so regarded by either party. On the other hand, another leading embassy holds that war now exists and has existed for several days. It is said in this quarter that the declaration of war, which the president recommended to congress, is purely formal and cannot make the war more of a reality than it has been in fact for the last three or four days.

Captain's Close Call.

Key West, April 26.—The British steamer Myrtledene, Captain Milburn, from Philadelphia on April 4 for Havana and Cardenas, arrived here yesterday from Havana. The city is crowded with troops, and the Spanish officers are drilling every man they can press into the service, from the rawest recruits upward.

The Myrtledene reached Havana a week ago Sunday, and Captain Milburn went ashore. He says he walked over to the new fortifications at Casa Blanca to make observations, when three or four Spanish soldiers, with fixed bayonets, arrested him as an American spy. The captain was taken to Morro castle and, after three or four hours had elapsed, he was informed that sentence had been passed upon him and that he was to be shot in an hour. The captain, who is an intense Britisher, replied: "Why wait an hour? Shoot me now, and in a day Havana and all Cuba will be blown up." The British vice consul, Arthur Arosteguy, was interested in the case, and Captain Milburn was released. The captain added: "Havana will give you all the fighting you want when you land."

Will Make Us Sick.

Madrid, April 26.—Various opinions are observable in Spain. One is that serious information is being kept back, while another is that the government is quite satisfied, occupies a strong position and will make the United States sick of the war long before Spain is tired of it. One thing is certain, namely, that Spain is buckled up to fight to the last before losing the western jewel of the crown added through the second voyage of Columbus. One journal says that if Americans think Cuba unable to withstand a blockade owing to a lack of provisions, they are mistaken; as "stores exist capable of supporting the frugal population and the soldiers for eight months." It declares that "the patriotism and readiness of the Cubans and the Spanish soldiery in Cuba to suffer every privation is known to all Spain, and, therefore, her attitude is calm and the government is prepared to face fearful odds."

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Britishers Disappointed.

London, April 26.—The fact that striking events have not happened causes a feeling of disappointment, and the conviction gains ground that the war is likely to be a protracted one. It is recognized that Spain can afford to await for events, while America can do nothing until she has practically gained possession of Cuba. It is remarked as curious that while the president in the declaration of war ascribes the rupture to Spain's act, thus implying that a state of hostilities existed on April 21, the American admiral at Hong Kong protests that no state of war exists officially.

It is believed that Admiral Dewey does not contemplate immediate operations against the Philippines; and it is held in some quarters that the governor of Hong Kong acted with unnecessary haste in requiring the American squadron to depart on such short notice, as under the Washington treaty vessels are only required to leave "as speedily as possible."

The Minister Lied.

Washington, April 26.—Chief John E. Wilkie of the secret service gave out the following statement: "The Spanish minister having been quoted in an interview as saying that the car containing his party had been stoned at Harrisburg and Rochester, I beg to state that the reports from the secret service men



JOHN A. WILKIE.

who accompanied the party show that at Harrisburg the members of the party were in bed and that there was no demonstration of any sort while the train remained at the station. At Rochester the members of the Spanish party were at breakfast when the train pulled into the station, and no one but the trainmen and the railroad employes knew of their presence on the train. At no point during the trip was there any unfavorable demonstration of any sort."

Note to the Powers.

London, April 26.—The Times this morning publishes Spain's memorandum to the powers April 18. The memorandum begins by recording the moral and material aid the Cuban rebels have received from the United States" in filibustering expeditions, and the operations of the junta. It mentions Spain's repeated and positive denials to the allegations of cruelty toward the Cubans, and lays great stress upon President Cleveland's dispatch of Dec. 7, 1896, to the effect that peace would be possible if Spain gave a sufficient autonomy to Cuba.

The memorandum contends that in the face of new liberal legislation granted Cuba, which "has already borne fruits," it is difficult to understand why President McKinley in his message of Dec. 6, 1897, and General Woodford in the note of Dec. 20,1897, should still doubt Spain's loyalty. The document then speaks at some length of the Maine incident and asserts that the Americans, under the pretext of the extra territoriality of the vessel, never allowed the Spanish authorities to visit the wreck for the purposes of investigation, and it most solemnly asserts the absolute innocence of the Spanish officials and of Spanish subjects generally.

Coast Defense of Massachusetts.

Boston, April 26.—After a meeting with his council of officers Governor Wolcott issued the following statement: "In view of the possibility that an important theater of war may be on or near the New England coast and that a number of troops substantially equal to the present militia force of the commonwealth will be necessary for the coast defense in Massachusetts, I am advised by the council of officers to make public announcement of my opinion that it would be detrimental to the efficiency of the service to encourage or permit the depletion or disintegration of existing organizations by wholesale enlistments of officers or commands in the service of the United States.

"If, as is probable, an additional number of volunteers is called for beyond the present force of the militia, this number should, in my judgment, be made up in large measure by new enlistments of patriotic citizens not at present connected with organizations, although opportunities should also be given to individual members of the militia to volunteer subject to a proper consideration of this welfare to the state. Any member of the militia desiring so to volunteer should make application for discharge to his commanding officer and await favorable action thereon. His place in the militia should be filled by enlistment."

Boston People Stirred.

Boston, April 26.—The arrival of the commerce destroyer Minneapolis off Cape Cod at dusk last night created great excitement in this city, and all sorts of rumors were soon current on the street as to the motives which prompted the navy department to order her in this direction. With the Columbia at Newport and the Minneapolis in Massachusetts bay, it seemed to many that the national government either scented danger from a foray by Spanish cruisers and had sent these swift ships to protect the New England fleet, or, what appeared more reasonable, had stationed the two cruisers at a convenient point to protect the Paris on her way from the Grand banks to New York.

The Paris will pass within a few hundred miles of Highland light probably on Friday on her way to the Nantucket south shoal lightship, which she turns to make her final run of 300 miles to port. It would be but the matter of a few hours at the most for the Columbia and Minneapolis to dash out from Massachusetts bay, pick up the unprotected liner and keep off any Spanish cruiser that might be lying in wait for her off Nantucket shoals. The Topeka being a slower boat, is also expected off the shoals about Friday or Saturday, but she should be able to take care of herself without assistance.

Off Havana.

On Board the Flagship New York, Off Havana, April 26.—The early morning hours yesterday were taken up by a vigorous chasing of moving lights. The only vessel spoken was the British schooner, Iolanthe of Windsor, N. S. She was allowed to proceed. She was just out of Matanzas.

The torpedo boat Porter made a daring trip into the shore under cover of darkness, and Lieutenant Freemont, her commander, landed with a small party and obtained valuable information. The blockade continues under beautiful weather conditions.

When darkness came Sunday night Morro castle showed a powerful searchlight and flashed it nervously around the horizon. Another shore searchlight was seen. It looked to be in the direction of Santa Clara batteries to the westward of Morro.

What benefit they will be to the Spaniards no one knows. They may induce the batteries to expend more ammunition in futile shots at the fighting squadron, but the blockade continues as before, searchlights or no searchlights, as of course they do not reach far enough to show our ships.

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Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

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SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

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For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

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r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Hartison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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30	5 17	da	5 36 r
30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
30	6 17	da	6 36 r
30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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TO RAVAGE NORTHERN CITIES.

That Believed to Be the Purpose of the Spaniards.

Probable Reason For War-ships on Eastern Coast.

Raising the Blockade Considered the Ulterior Purpose.

Military Officers Opposed to Sending Supplies to Non-Combatants at This Juncture Through Fear That It Would Benefit the Enemy—Change In Plans About Sending Troops Into Cuba. Delay Urged Until Volunteers Are In Fighting Trim.

Washington, April 27.—Many navy officers are of the opinion that Spain intends to make a demonstration against our northern coast for the purpose of drawing our fleet of heavy vessels from southern waters, and thus permitting the Spanish squadron now at Cape Vedre to cross the Atlantic and raise the blockade of Havana.

Spain has a fleet of armored vessels at the ports of Cadiz and Ferrol which has for some time been getting into shape for a sudden dash to our coasts. These vessels are the battleship Pelayo, of 9900 tons, 16 knots speed and a heavy battery of modern guns; the Cardinal Cisneros, an armored cruiser of the first class, capable of steaming at 20 knots speed; the Catalina, a sister ship in all respects to the Cisneros; the Emperor Carlos V, only slightly smaller than the Pelayo, and with the additional advantage of 20 knots speed, and the Numancia, recently reconstructed. These ships are stronger than our fleet at Hampton roads, and as they are attended by several colliers of great burden, would make it necessary for us to withdraw some of the armored vessels from the Key West squadron, in order to compete with them successfully.

In order to prevent any unheralded descent, the Columbia and Minneapolis have been sent north for the purpose of keeping a lookout for the enemy and announcing their approach at the earliest possible moment. While these operations are in progress the Spanish plan is for the strong fleet of armored cruisers and torpedo boats now near the African coast to steam westward as fast as they can, and to relieve the Spanish army in Cuba by raising the blockade and allowing the importation of such stores as would be sent in vessels with them. They would have little trouble defeating any of our unprotected vessels which would be maintaining the blockade, in the absence of the armored ships.

Army and naval officers do not look kindly on the efforts of the humanitarians to send food to the starving reconcentrados in Cuba. They sympathize with the sufferings of these poor people and bitterly condemn the Spaniards who have brought them to such misery, but they say that as we have not a sufficient number of men to land at this time, and that it would be suicidal to throw too small a force in on the coasts without being able to reinforce them instantly if necessary, the landing of supplies at this time would simply be putting weapons into the hands of our enemies, for the Spaniards would surely seize the food for their own use.

The report that the Spanish fleet had sailed from Spain for some unknown point has caused considerable uneasiness here, and if the report is not contradicted officers will expect to hear of the enemy appearing on our shores at almost any time.

Tuesday it was pretty generally agreed in the war department that the first expeditionary force of 5000 men would be sent to Cuba without delay. In fact orders were given to have this force prepared for immediate service, and the quartermaster's department was directed to arrange for the necessary transports. Today doubts are expressed whether the departure of this force will not be delayed. A great deal of influence is at work to have this expedition postponed, if not until Oct. 1, at least until the volunteer army has been merged with the regulars and seasoned to the discipline of the camp and the hardships of the field. A great deal depends, however, on events. It may be necessary to thrust the military into Cuba before the volunteer army has been more than organized. It is entirely probable that the military operations will be deferred until fall.

Perhaps the most interesting disclosures of Tuesday, apart from official action, were that arrangements had already been made looking to the summary acquisition of the Hawaiian islands, and that the first step had been taken in establishing communication with General Gomez, for the administration got no news about the movements of the Spanish fleets, which are more interesting to Washington than anything else.

The uresident issued a proclamation formally announcing a liberal policy in dealing with merchant vessels during the war, under which most of the prizes taken by the north Atlantic squadron could not have been taken, but the decision of their cases is to be left, it is stated, to the prize court, although the release of some of the vessels, or of their cargoes, in view of ownership by Americans or neutrals, may be anticipated. It is felt that the proclamation will put us in a favorable contrast with Spain before the maritime nations.

Congressional Action.

Washington, April 27.—The war revenue bill was reported to the house yesterday. The debate began today, and will continue at night sessions until Friday, when the vote will be taken.

The contested election case of Wise-Young from the second Virginia district was decided in favor of the con-

Mr. Dingley, in his report on the revenue bill, after enumerating the different articles to be taxed and the estimate of revenue to be derived, says: "These are all taxes on objects which were assessed during or subsequent to the civil war, with one exception, and therefore open up no new and untried system of taxation. They are all internal revenue war taxes that can be collected by the existing internal revenue officials, slightly increased with a small additional expense and with the minimum disturbance of trade, although they are all taxes which are unwelcome and which it would not have been necessary to impose if war had been avoided. While all of the additional taxes are war taxes which would be naturally repealed or modified when the necessities of the war and the payment of war expenses have ceased, yet it is impossible now to place a limit on them not only for the reason that no one can intelligently forecast the length of the war, but also for the reason that war always brings a train of extraordinary expenditures which do not terminate with the close of the actual hostilities. It is evident that it will be necessary in order to maintain the public credit, not only to raise the additional revenue provided by the accompanying bill, but also to authorize the secretary of the treasury to borrow on the credit of the government from time to time, as the public necessities will require. We have given therefore authority to issue and sell not exceeding $500,000,000 3 percent coin bonds to be offered as a popular loan, believing as we do that such bonds will be taken from time to time by the masses of the people."

Sherman's Successor.

Washington, April 27.—During the two hours' session of the senate yesterday the conference report on the army reorganization bill was agreed to, and the measure engrossed and signed. The remainder of the session was devoted to the passage of 74 private pension bills and numerous measures from the general calendar.

There was no delay in confirming the nomination of Judge Day to be secretary of state. His nomination was favorably reported from the committee on foreign relations without the formality of a meeting, the members expressing their concurrence through a poll made on the floor by Senator Davis. When the executive session was called Mr. Davis reported the action of the committee, and the nomination was taken up and confirmed without comment or delay. Senator White suggested the propriety of similar action in the case of Professor Moore, nominated for assistant secretary, but Senator Davis said the committee preferred to have the nomination referred to it. The reference was accordingly made.

More Legislation Sought.

Washington, April 27.—Assistant Secretary of War Meikeljohn has recommended to congress legislation authorizing the enlistment of members of the hospital corps. He recommends the following in connection with the call for 125,000 volunteers: For each regiment of volunteer infantry or cavalry mustered into the service of the United States there shall be enlisted the following members of the hospital corps: One hospital steward, one acting hospital steward and 25 privates; for each artillery battery, one hospital steward and five privates; each division, in addition, one hospital steward, one acting steward and 50 privates of the hospital corps, under the chief surgeon of the division. These men, in accordance with the Geneva convention, will be non-combatants and will wear the arm badge bearing a red cross on a white ground.

Mahan on Strategy Board.

Washington, April 27.—Among the orders issued yesterday was one directing Captain A. P. Mahan, the author and world-renowned authority on naval tactics, to report for duty at the navy department. Captain Mahan is a retired officer and will be assigned to a



CAPTAIN ALFRED T. MAHAN.

position on the strategy board. Probably he will replace Admiral Walker, for whom the president and Secretary Long cherish the highest regard on account of his professional ability, and who is to be assigned to duty of the highest importance in the immediate future.

Patriotism of Soldiers.

Washington, April 27.—The war department officials have prepared a list of officers who will be sent to the several

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BEGAN LIKE WINNERS.

Phillies Opened Hard Upon the Bostons' Pitcher.

Made Four Runs In the First Inning.

Twirler Settled Down and Afterward Puzzled the Batsmen.

Philadelphia, April 27.—The champion Bostons outplayed the Phillies yesterday at every point and won handsomely after giving the Quakers a big start. The team playing of Boston was perfection. Every one of the 12 hits and three sacrifices counted in the run-getting.

The fielding of Selee's boys was very fast considering the heavy, slippery ground, Collins, Long and Duffy especially distinguishing themselves by clean field work. The home team went after Kloby in a savage manner in the first inning, scoring four runs on five singles and a base on balls. This was the last of the scoring by Stalling's boys, as Kloby grew more effective as he warmed up and held his opponents down to three single hits in the last eight innings.

Orth went against Boston like a man with a sure combination. He lasted just four innings, then went to the stable, the new man, Duggleby, taking the box contract and holding Boston down to one hit during the next four innings. Owing to the bad weather the crowd was quite small for this city. The score:

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamliton, c. f.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	5	1	1	15	1	0
Long, s. s.	4	0	0	1	4	1
Duffy, l. f.	5	2	2	3	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	4	1	1	3	2	1
Stahl, r. f.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Lowe, 2 b.	5	2	2	2	4	0
Bergen, c.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Klobedanz, p.	3	0	1	0	6	0
Totals	41	9	12	27	17	2
Philadelphias.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Cooley, c. f.	5	1	1	3	0	0
Douglass, 1 b.	5	0	1	12	1	0
Delahanty, l. f.	5	1	0	3	0	1
Lajoie, 2 b.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Flick, r. f.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Cross, s. s.	1	1	1	1	3	1
Abba'chio, 3 b.	4	0	1	0	0	2
McFarland, c.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Orth, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Duggleby, p.	2	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	35	4	8	27	10	4

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Earned runs—Bostons, 6; Philadelphias, 2. Stolen base—Duffy. Two-base hits—Stahl (2). Sacrifice hits—Long, Klobedanz. First base on balls—Off Klobedanz, 4; off Duggleby, 1; Struck out—By Klobedanz, 1; by Orth, 1; by Duggleby, 1. Passed balls—McFarland 2. Left on bases—Bostons, 8; Philadelphias, 8. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Snyder and Curry.

In Louisville—The home team almost won the game yesterday, having a lead of four runs over the Clevelands until the ninth inning. Five singles and two errors, netting five runs, gave the spiders the game, 9 to 8.

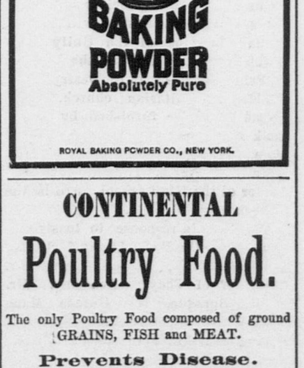
In St. Louis—The Pittsburgs, after one of the hardest fought battles of the season, succeeded in beating the "browns," 6 to 4.

In Cincinnati—The "reds" pulled out a game in the ninth yesterday, half the Chicagos hits being scratches. Score, 3 to 2.

In Taunton—The Montreal-Taunton ball game was largely a batting contest, which was won by the visitors, 7 to 4. Taunton had several new men who did not make a good showing.

In Danbury—Pawtuckets, 15; Danburys, 0 (five innings).

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Quincy, April 21. tf

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While our Army and Navy are looking for an Opening into Cuba, there are not those indications of progress that are visible in our own city. Here it is evident that we are to have a

GRAND OPENING OF HARDWARE

The first Monday in May. A large New Store, a complete New Stock, something that Quincy will appreciate.

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Service Right. Prices Right

☞ First-class Plumbing will continue a specialty; and Gas Fitting, and Steam and Hot Water Heating will receive attention.

The public are invited to the opening on Monday, May 2.

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April 22. 3m

IDEAL FOR SUMMER USE.

The Barge Merriam has just arrived at Quincy Point with a cargo of

Red Ash Nut Coal.

It is a very deep Red Ash, and free burning, which together with the fact that it is freshly mined, makes it the ideal coal for summer use.

Yours for trial,

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The entire Nice Furnishings, also the Carriages, Carts, etc.,

Including elegant custom made mahogany and b. w. bedroom sets, fine hair mattresses, feather pillows and bolsters, wire springs, bedding, toilet sets, elegant ebony and gold furniture, as follows: Parlor desks, cabinet (tile inlaid), pedestal, easels, rockers, tables and parlor set tapestry covered, one parlor set brocaded, couches in cretonne and corduroy, b. w. secretary, b. w. chiffonniere, oak book cases, books, fine parlor and centre tables, Morris chairs, mahogany tea table, bronze clock and ornaments, laces, draperies, portieres, parlor and banquet lamps, pictures, fine rugs and carpets, b. w. dining table, sideboards and chairs in leather, china, glass and plated ware, kitchen utensils, 2 century plants, 2 hydrangeas, one billiard table complete with balls, cues, etc., all contained in 18 rooms.

At 2 o'clock, Goddard buggy, beach wagon by R. Tyner, close carriage, leather lined, by Ferd. French, all in perfect condition; dog cart, tip cart, hay rigging, harnesses, carriage robes, farming tools, etc.

April 25. 6t—25-27-30-2-3-4

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Spring Hats and Bonnets.

C. L. BLISS,

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All cordially invited.

March 29. 3m lp

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New Idea Fashion Patterns, 10c.

Ladies, clean your Kid Gloves with Miller's Glovine, 15c.

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Babies' Bonnets from 25c. to $1.75.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	45	72	78
Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	48	51	70
Wednesday	45	50	52
Thursday	—	60	48
Friday	—	66	60
Saturday	—	62	70

New Advertisements Today.

Hardware stock for sale—Henry H. Faxon.
King Arthur flour—Boston Branch store.
Horses for sale—J. Stroup, Son & Co.
Retail granite business for sale.
Rooms and board wanted.
Desirable tenement to let.
Tenement to let.

New Pastor.

The Rev. Joseph E. Waterhouse, the new pastor of the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal society, who has recently taken up his residence on Warren avenue, has an interesting biography.

He was born at Gorham, Maine, on Jan. 12, 1867. When sixteen years of age he removed to Boston with his parents, and a few years later—1878—he became a resident of East Boston. He attended the Boston public schools graduating from the East Boston High school in 1885, and the Boston Latin school in 1887. Not satisfied with his public school education he entered the Boston University, graduating from the collegiate department in 1891 with a B. A. degree. Mr. Waterhouse then spent a year of study in the graduate department of Harvard University, after which he took a special course in the Boston University Theological school.

In April, 1894, Mr. Waterhouse united with the New England Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church and was stationed for a year at the First M. E. church at Revere. During the past three years he has been pastor of the M. E. church of Shrewsbury, Mass.

Mr. Waterhouse was united in marriage in June, 1893, to Miss Jennie M. Gould of East Boston.

No Quorum.

Lack of a quorum prevented the School Committee from holding a meeting Tuesday evening. Chairman Porter and Mr. Page were out of town on business. Rev. Mr. Breed had another engagement and Dr. Hallowell was ill. Dr. Ash had an engagement which would prevent his being present until late. Supt. Lull said there was but little to come before the board and that could wait.

—The wide tire bill was debated in the Senate Tuesday, with many speakers pro and con. Adjournment was reached without a vote.

—Democrats of Chelsea also object to the nominee of the mayor of that city for registrar of voters, and will be given a hearing.

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HENRY H. FAXON.
April 27. 12t

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Man Killed While Unloading Coal at Sheppard's.

A fatal accident occurred at Sheppard's coal wharf at East Braintree, Tuesday, in which two men were injured, one so seriously that he died in a few hours after being removed to the Quincy City Hospital. The two men were James and George H. Delorey. The former lives at North Weymouth and the latter at Quincy Point. The two men were at work on a scaffold unloading a coal vessel. Suddenly the guy rope broke letting the scaffold fall. As it fell James made a jump for the rigging and slid to the deck of the vessel but little injured, other than to receive a few bruises from debris. George was more unfortunate. He fell twenty or more feet and landed heavily on a bucket in the hole of the vessel. The force of fall broke both his legs and his jaw, crushed his head and injured him internally. He was removed to the Quincy City Hospital where he died a few hours later. The unfortunte man was 27 years of age, unmarried and lived at Quincy Point.

It was the first serious accident the firm has had during its business career of about thirty years.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

The Committee on Finance will meet Friday evening. Some people would be superstitious about meeting on Friday but not so the Finance Committee, for this year the larger part of their meetings have been held on that evening.

The Committee on Ordinances held a meeting at City Hall Tuesday night. It was but a brief meeting as they had but little business.

The hearing before the Board of Health on the charges made against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley by Jules Johnson was held Tuesday evening in one of the Committee rooms at City Hall. The interest of the board was looked after by City Solicitor McAnarney, Mr. Keniley was represented by Herbert M. Federhen, Jr., and Mr. Johnson by W. W. Jenness. There was a large number of witnesses present and with three legal lights the hearing was rather slow. At 11 o'clock when an adjournment was reached but a small part of the testimony had been heard. As the board did not care to remain all night the hearing was adjourned until Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The hearing was a private one, no reporters being allowed. What the hearing will develop before it is completed is a matter of speculation.

City Hall is patriotic. In nearly every room in the building the American flag is displayed, while the clerks are wearing neat little bows of red, white and blue.

Boys Arrested.

Alphonse Le Clair, aged 12 years, and James Curry, aged 14 years, are two of a gang of boys who make life unpleasant for the Finns and others who live in the vicinity of Smith st reet, and it is no uncommon thing for these people while on the street to be greeted with a shower of decayed vegetables, rocks, etc. Last Sunday night it is alleged that while John A. Lavella and Mrs. Fante were on their way to church the two youths above mentioned went a step further in their deviltry and showered decayed eggs upon the unfortunate Finns. These people have stood a great deal of abuse from the boys for they were afraid to make any complaint. This last offence, however, was too much and a warrant was issued, and the boys have been placed under arrest.

Unity Club Banquet.

One of the leading society events of the season at Wollaston will be the annual banquet of the Unity club, which will take place on the evening of Friday, May 13, in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church. The spread will be furnished by T. D. Cook & Co. of Boston at one dollar a plate. Last year 150 covers were laid.

Mr. Frederic A. Tupper, the head master of the High school, will be the toast-master.

Addresses in response to toasts will be made by the Rev. James E. Bagley and Mrs. Bagley, Mr. H. W. Lull, Dr. Gallagher of Thayer Academy, Mr. E. H. Sprague, Dr. Horace Mann Willard of Quincy Mansion school, Mrs. Richard R. Freeman and others.

—The London Times comments editorially in the issue of Tuesday April 12, on President McKinley's message to Congress as follows: "It is not couched in harsh language, though it leads up to a policy which involves a harsh judgment, albeit one justified by the sentiment of the civilized world on the treatment by the Spanish Government of Cuba.

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NOT TODAY.

It is not expected that Co. K will be called out today, as Massachusets is waiting definite order from Washington. Gov. Wolcott has telegraphed Senator Lodge that any and all denfiite orders from Washington for existing regiments or new regiments for service out of the State will be promptly obeyed. If existing regiments are left within the State for coast defense, their organization must be maintained, opportunities be given for enlistment of individuals from militia for service elsewhere, but not of commands.

Gen. Kincaide.

The selection of Gen. William A. Bancroft, the commander of the Second Brigade, as Brigadier General of Massachusetts Volunteers, will open the way for promotions. It would be a pleasure to see Capt. Kinciaide of Co. K a major. He has the qualification for higher positions in the militia from years a studious attention to duties and soldierly bearing. Should the war be long continued we should expect to see Mr. Kincaide p omoted step by step and retire a general. Success to Capt. Kincaide and the boys of Co. K.

Co. K Blankets.

Co. K will have their blankets all right and the city of Quincy through its Mayor will furnish them. When Mayor Sears saw in Tuesday's Ledger that the company needed blankets he immediately communicated with Capt. Kincaide by telephone and the result was that the latter gentleman will purchase the bankets today and the City of Quincy will pay the bill.

Alert for Duty.

There was but little excitement at the armory of Co. K Tuesday night. Most of the company reported during the evening but did not remain long At 9 o'clock everybody had gone home. When the call does come they will be found ready.

Cadets at Hingham.

The First Corps of Cadets has been ordered to hold itself in readiness to be called out. It is reported that they may first be sent to Hingham for the annual tour of duty and later used as a coast defence.

What McKinley Thinks.

London, April 27.—The Washington correspondent of The Daily News says: "President McKinley thinks Cuba can be reduced by hunger, when the powers will intervene to compel Spain to recognize the loss of the island and to abandon the war. There is a growing impression that there will be no real fighting, especially since the Spanish fleet seems disposed to remain on the European side of the water."

Will Refuse to Sign.

Boston, April 27.—There is no end of discussion among the men of the naval brigade in regard to the idea of being mustered into the regular navy as blue-jackets and detailed in small squads to ships where they will be lost in the shuffle with the "old tars." The boys do not take kindly to the idea as yet, and there is some muttering among them. They are all willing and anxious to be mustered in as a distinct organization and would be glad to fight for Uncle Sam as the Massachusetts naval brigade, but they refuse to sign the mustering roll unless the department agrees to recognize them as such and to treat them accordingly.

Rottenness of the Army.

New York, April 27.—"It will take more that 60,000 men to subjugate the Spanish in Cuba," said J. H. Springer, the United States consul at Caibarion, in the province of Matanzas, Cuba, who arrived here yesterday. "The Spanish on the island will be able to raise between 250,000 and 300,000 men. In my opinion the insurgents cannot muster more than 25,000 or 40,000 men at the most, and they are for the most part ill provisioned and ill equipped. The Spaniards could have conquered the insurgents were it not for the rottenness of the army. Money that is intended for the soldiers rarely gets to them, and supplies are short, insufficient and bad. The soldiers are half hearted, half starved and unwilling fighters. They go out, make a sortie or an attempt at an attack, and then come back and claim they have won a victory."

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 27.—The Advertiser says that the old law of brutality is still in force, on the part of robbers, murderers and ravishers; and to say that no weapons shall be employed against them except an "unarmed" "appeal to truth and justice" is, in effect, to say that not God but the devil shall rule the world.

The Post declares: "The sooner we dispose of all the armed opposition that Spain offers us, either fortifications on land or floating batteries, the quicker the war will be over, the less suffering and destitution will be caused, and the earlier peace will come."

According to The Globe "there seem to be a few little hitches in the inauguration of this war, but the enemy, and all neutral governments as well, will pardon any breaches which we may commit in the etiquet of hostilities on account of our well-known inexperience in such affairs. We shall live and learn."

Sons of Temperance.

Manchester, N. H., April 27.—The grand division of the Sons of Temperance held its annual session in this city yesterday and chose the following officers for the ensuing year: Grand worthy patriarch, F. W. Flanders, North Haverhill; associate, Dr. E. H. Noyes, New Hampton; scribe, A. H. Marshall, Nashua; treasurer, James F. Woodward, West Andover; chaplain, H. H. Colburn, East Brentwood; superintendent of young people's work, Lizzie J. Colby, Henniker; conductor, L. T. Johnston, Wilmot; sentinel, C. B. Goodale, North Sanbornton.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Rain is predicted.

Even hot drops cannot be sold in Quincy.

Mrs. E. J. Colbert has been quite ill the past week.

A patent was issued this week to Seymour Field of this city.

George A. Brown and family of Clark street have moved to Wollaston.

Master Ernest Chute of Howard street, Quincy Neck, is to give a birthday party tonight.

Mr. Le Fevre Jansen has entered the employ of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. at the Atlantic station.

Quincy Point is patriotic. Flags are flying from the schoolhouse, engine house and private residences.

Some of the street railway employes are displaying their patriotism by decorating their cars with large flags.

Mr. James Webb has moved into the new house built by Richard Chase on Washington street opposite Dr. Garey's.

Mr. Robert E. Foye, for many years in the employ of L. M. Pratt & Co. at South Quincy, has accepted a position with E. H. Doble & Co.

Charles B. Tilton has retired from business, and has sold his stock in trade to Henry H. Faxon. Mr. Faxon advertises the same at a discount.

Teams are at work carting away a large amount of gravel from rear of the old polishing shop on Howard street, Quincy Neck, for the street railway on Quincy avenue.

Hoist old glory to the mast head. Let the stars and stripes be seen from every housetop. Let your neigbors see that you are patriotic. Long may it wave over the land of the free and a home for the brave.

The Dimmock tablet at the Adams Academy has been taken away to be repolished. For replacing the tablet money was contributed, by suggestion of Dr. Everett, by friends not connected with the school.

Scholars of the eighth grade, Washington school, at Quincy Point, are drawing today on paper scenes from nature, and it would be interesting to all the parents to examine the little pictures which are examined by the master and teacher.

At the meeting of Merry Mount lodge, No. 127, A. O. U. W., held Tuesday night it was voted unanimously to pay all assessments and dues of those brothers who responded to the call of the President for volunteers either for the army or navy, during their absence on duty. Two candidates were initiated and two applications were received.

Miss Amy F. Newcomb, Mr. E. T. Spear, Mr. S. D. Bosworth and Mr. Arthur F. Newcomb attended the post graduate exercises of the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, Tuesday. Miss Catherine M. Tinker, '97, who has many friends in Quincy, was one of the post graduates, and her part was rendered with much credit to herself and the school.

The "Ceder Loige" is the name given to a pretty little summer cottage just completed on the shores of Neponset river, near the old felt works, Atlantic, by John J. Blaine, an ex-member of the Boston Fire Department. The cottage, which is of a pretty design, is built on a ledge of rocks near the shore. It is furnished handsomely on the inside and there is no reason why Mr. Blaine should not enjoy himself this summer. Although near the water he has no fear of the Spaniards.

Wollaston vs. Harvard.

The Wollastons with one exception played good golf on Tuesday in the match with the Harvard golf team at Wollaston. Four of the home team—Brock, Tilton, Freeman and Porter—won from their opponents, but Fairbanks was in bad form and Curtis of Harvard was so vastly superior that Harvard won 15 to 9. The score :

HARVARD.		WOLLASTON.	
Cutting	0	Porter	1
Wheelock	0	Tilton	2
Barger	0	Brock	4
Sargent	0	Freeman	2
Curtis	11	Fairbanks	0
Choate	3	Cracknell	0
Burden	1	Wright	0
Total	15	Total	9

One hundred roses are required to make one drop of the famous attar of roses, the perfume of the east. The people of Turkey and Persia are fond of preserved rose leaves and a pink rose with about 30 leaves is cultivated for the purpose in Bulgaria. The leaves, carefnlly separated from those that are shriveled or discolored, are rolled daintily in finely powdered sugar and then stewed in sirup with a few drops of lemon juice added.

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Realizing that this is **a $50 Year** in the Bicycle trade, the **IVER JOHNSON ARMS AND CYCLE CO.** of Fitchburg, Mass., have reduced the price of their wheels to meet the popular demand. These wheels have never sold before for less than $100, and while there are a few other makes that are as good, there is certainly nothing better.

Sharp Competition induces unscrupulous dealers to push and advertise an inferior wheel for the sake of greater profit. A cheap western wheel with a good coat of paint and a high sounding name may sell as well if the dealer allows $25 on an old wheel that is worth about $10. This is a **great trade.** After riding it for a season, however, the rider changes his mind and thinks of an o'd adage, "You can't get something for nothing."

You can't get a "trade" (?) of this kind on an IVER JOHNSON, but you do get an Honest Cycle at an Honest Price.

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If you want a high grade Dress Suit in either black or the new effects, in pin checks, and small plaids, see what other stores are asking $20 and $25 for, and then come aboard the Pioneer and get one for **$12.00**

All wool $10.00 Covert Cloth Overcoats, with or without strap seams and patch pockets, **$5.50**

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All the different style suits made for $8.50, $9.00, $9.50, $9.85 and upwards to $16.50.

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Stiff Hats in all shades and styles . Hundreds for $1.40, $1.48, $1.75 upwards to $3.00. **95c**

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White Laundered Shirts, guaranteed full size, double stitched, at Hundreds for 48c., 75c., 88c., 98c. **45c**

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Dozens and dozens at 24c., and the best you have ever seen, in all shapes, ... **48c**

Suspenders, 15c., 24c., and 48c.

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Medium weight Underwear that cannot be bought today for less than 39c., our price **24c**

Custom Pants, $3.25 to $7.00.

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3 o'clock.

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Spanish Fleet Has Been at Sea Several Days.

Expected to Bombard American Cities.

London, April 27—A report from Madrid says the Spanish fleet has been at sea several days. The Spanish goverment expect to hear within a few days that it has bombarded some of the Amerian cities.

The Spanish Destroyer.

Dover, Eng., April 27—The Spanish torpedo boat Destroyer passed here this morning flying the Spanish flag and steaming westward.

U. S. Columbia Off Hull.

Boston, April 27—The U. S Cruiser Columbia was sighted off Hull today, and remains outside at last advices on patrol. The cruiser Minneapolis was off Bar Harbor, Maine, this morning and sailed toward Boston.

Sailed to Meet Us.

Madrid April 27—Advices from the Phillipine Islands say that the Spanish fleet has sailed to meet the United States fleet which is expected to bombard Manila.

Prize for the Enemy.

Manilla via Madrid, April 27— The Spanish fleet has taken as a prize the American boat Faranat, loaded with coal. This ship was built at Kennebunkport, Maine.

Not Captured.

Cork, Ire., April 27—The Killarney which arrived today reports having spoken the American ship Shenandoah yesterday afternoon and that no Spanish boats were in sight. This is the ship belonging to the Sewalls of Bath, Me., which was reported to have been captured by the Spanish.

Detroit Gets a Prize.

Key West, April 27—The U. S. Cruiser Detroit has just brought in a prize, the Ambrosia Bolivar, a Spanish merchantman.

Hovering Around.

Southampton, Eng., April 27—Two Spanish torpedo boats and one armed Spanish gun boat are sighted hovering about the entrance to the channel.

Russia Heard From.

Odessa, Russia, April, 27—A Russian paper expresses the opinion that unless the United States soon engage in naval warfare and win a victory that Spain's honor will be saved and that Europe will assist her in order to prevent loss of commerce.

Captured a Big One.

Key West, April 27.—The Mangrove, under Lieutenant Commander William H. Everett, who came down from the hydrographic office a few weeks ago to take command of her, was cruising along the Cuban coast shortly before 6 Tuesday evening about 20 miles north of Havana when she sighted the Panama. The only other ship of the fleet in sight was the Indiana, three miles in the rear. Commander Everett scented a prize and scudded toward the stranger. When the latter came within range a shot from the Mangrove's 12-pounder was sent across her bows, but the Spaniard ignored the challenge and went on. Another shot followed without result; and the Mangrove was drawing nearer the stranger, which proceeded on her course, apparently without any intention of running away. When the third shot was fired the Mangrove was within 100 yards of the Panama, and Lieutenant Commander Everett shouted to the deck officer that if she did not surrender he would sink her. The Mangrove's officers admit that they expected the enemy's 12-pounders to open on them in response to the threat, but the Spaniard promptly came to. Ensign Dayton, the senior officer of the Mangrove, boarded the prize and proceeded to this port.

The Panama carries a valuable cargo of general merchandise, including a large quantity of corn. Much of it was meant to provision the suffering Spaniards in Cuba; and the cargo, with the ship itself, undoubtedly makes the richest trophy thus far taken.

The Newport brought in the sloop Paquete and the schooner Piereno, Cuban coasting vessels, which she captured off Havana.

INTERESTED PEOPLE.

Advertising a patent medicine in the peculiar way in which the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam for Coughs and Colds does it, is indeed wonderful. He authorizes all druggists to give to those who call for it, a sample bottle *Free*, that they may try it before purchasing. The large bottles are 25 and 50c. We certainly would advise a trial. It may save you from consumption.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Wompatuck Encampment, I. O. O. F., of East Weymouth, celebrated the 79th anniversary of the order in the lodge rooms Tuesday evening. About 200 were present and enjoyed a most pleasant evening. A banquet was served in the banquet hall at 7 o'clock by Tuft's of Boston. After supper an excellent entertainment was presented by well known talent, including selections by Tirrell's orchestra of East Weymouth, reading by Miss Tinker, specialities by Dan Haley, and several songs by Miss Maud Townsend; the rendering of the "Star Spangled Banner" brought the house down with applause.

Dancing was enjoyed by all until 12 o'clock, the grand march was led by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. French followed by 75 couple.

Among those present were:

F. L. Bicknell and wife, J. H. Libbey and wife, E. Q. S. Litchfield and wife, J. O. Baler and wife, Chas. Scott and wife, J. Loring and wife, Geo. Walker and wife, B. W. Cushing and wife, C.W.Joy and wife, C. W. Comey and wife A. L. Flint and wife, Irving Newcomb and wife, Albert Wilder and wife, A. S. Fearing and wife.

Miss Helen Bidswell, Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, Mrs. Chas. Redmond, Mrs. Grace Bean, Mrs. Caroline French, Mrs. Carrie Lovell, Mrs. C. W. Hayward.

Mrs. Daisy Pratt, Miss Mabelle Stuart, Miss Maud Townsend, Miss Ada Townsend Miss Lena Beals, Miss Helen Beals, Miss Ethel Brooks, Miss Ada Burrell, Miss Helen Lovell, Miss Ruth Newcomb, Miss Emma Fogarty, Miss Emma Waybrant, Miss Annie Burrell, Miss Cora Burrell, Miss Minnie Matherson, Miss Ruth Baker, Miss Ida Mitchell, Miss Belle Walker, Miss Dolly White, Miss Isora Hender, Miss Cobb, Miss Lilian Burrell.

E. R. Wilder, H. B. Hayward, Frank Redmond, A. M. Hawes, Abner Holbrook, Geo. Burne, Russell Pratt, Warren Miles, Ralph Randall, Harry Torrey, Ralph Newcomb, Chester Tirrell, Fred Pratt, W. Cowing, Alvah Bicknell, W. B. Dasha, W. Cummings, Stephen Pratt, Samuel Grossman, Ellis Poole.

The committee in charge was Noble Grand J. B. French and officers. The aids were: L. T. Mitchell, A. W. Beedem, C. E. Merchant, I. Loring and J. C. Bates.

Our chapter of deaths is unusually full. Granville Thompson, jeweler, on Washington street, died on Sunday morning and is to be buried this afternoon. Miss Catherine Cushing died on Saturday and was buried Tuesday. Mr. Clapp, brother of Mrs. Daniel Hayward on Quincy avenue, passed away suddenly with heart disease. His body was taken to Dorchester Tuesday. Mrs. Mary H. Mathews, aged 81 years, for a long time a member of the Union Congregational church, also died suddenly and was put in the tomb Tuesday.

George E. Bicknell has improved the appearance of his residence by having the fence removed.

Nathaniel Hopkin of Salem is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Kaler of Fort street.

E. P. White and family are to move to East Weymouth.

Herbert Moraler has returned from Somerville, where he has been working for he past few months.

The funeral services of Miss Kate Cushing were held at her residence of Mrs. W. K. Baker Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Edward Morris officiated and a quartette from the Universalist church rendered several selections. There were many handsome floral tributes. Miss Cushing was sixty-seven years of age.

Some excitement was occasioned here by the fire-alarm sounding the box four hundred and fory-six. Many persons mistook the number and thought it was the signal for Company K to start.

Mrs. Alden Bowditch is sick with the grip.

Mr. Thompson on Front street has been suffering from much sickness, but he is growing better.

Pennsylvania Hanging.

Somerset, Pa., April 27.—Two brothers, John and James Roddy, were hanged yesterday for the murder of David Berkley. Both men protested their innocence on the scaffold.

Newcastle, Pa., April 27.—Frank J. Longran was hanged for the murder of his sweetheart, Jessie Corrine.

Ridgeway, Pa., April 27.—Fred Rockwell and Patrick Banya were hanged yesterday. Rockwell murdered Lewis Haines in 1896, and Banya murdered Paretto Augusta, July 25, 1897.

A Domestic Tragedy.

Mobile, Ala., April 27.—Mollie Plummer, wife of H. M. Plummer, cashier of the Scranton, Miss., state bank, took morphine early yesterday morning. The husband afterwards shot himself through the head and died instantly. The wife will not live. Domestic troubles are given as the cause. The bank's affairs were found to be in good condition.

☞ Glenwood Ranges cut down the coal bills; they cost no more than other ranges. $18.00 to $33.00 Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

DIED.

WARMINGTON—In Quincy, April 26, Stanley, son of Mr. William C. and Mrs. Mary J. Warmington, aged 3 months.

DELOREY—In Quincy, April 26, George Delorey, aged 27 years.

TODAY'S COURT.

Charles Smith and William J. Temple were fined $5 each tor drunkenness at Quincy.

Joseph P. Curley and John E. Boyle were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Joseph O. Gillardt was fined $8 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Patrick Curry was arraigned for assault on John A. Lavella at Quincy. Case continued two weeks.

Joseph P. Curley of Weymouth was fined $5 for maliciously breaking a pair of handcuffs of Patrick Butler.

Alphonse LeClair and James Curry were arraigned for assault on John A. Lavella at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

Joseph Murphy was arraigned for setting fire to a building at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

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All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

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Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

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Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

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Houses for Rent and for Sale.

Tenement of 7 rooms, No. 10 Elm place, near Universalist church, sonth side of house, city water. Rent, $12.50 per month.

House, Union street, opposite Whicher's factory, of 8 rooms, with city water. Rent, $10 per month.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter place, with city water. Rent, $8.50 per month.

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Hundreds of Children and adults have worms but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are:—indigestion, with a variable appetite; foul tongue; offensive breath; hard and full belly, with occasional gripings and pains about the navel; heat and itching sensation in the rectum and about the anus; eyes heavy and dull; itching of the nose; short, dry cough; grinding of the teeth; starting during sleep; slow fever; and often in children, convulsions.

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LOST.

LOST—On Saturday, a GOLD WATCH, between 28 Centre street, and P. T. Fitzgerald's works at South Quincy. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to William Boyd, Jr.
April 25—3t*

WANTED.

WANTED—Two sunny chambers (with use of bath) and board, in Quincy Centre. MRS. POLLOCK, 16 Bigelow street.
Quincy, April 27. tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. W. W. OSBORNE, No. 2 Bigelow street, Quincy.
April 26. 3t

WANTED—A man or strong boy, half a day a week through the summer to mow a lawn and care for place. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. 1p—tf

WANTED—Position in grocery or clothing store in Quincy, or any situation where an educated, active, honest and skilful young man will be appreciated. Best of references. Address B, Ledger, Quincy, Mass.

POSITION WANTED—By a young man, as foreman with reliable carpenter and builder. Capable of designing floors, elevations, and details. Address H. E. B., Ledger office. apr21-6t

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

TO LET.

TO LET—A desirable tenement of seven rooms with bath in a good neighborhood, No. 16 Bigelow street. Apply to F. F. PRESCOTT, 14 Bigelow street, or at Ledger office.
April 27. tf

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms, No. 12 Newcomb street; possession given May 1. Inquire of C. A. SPEAR, 7 Newcomb street.
Quincy, April 27. 6t

TO LET—House of 6 rooms, in good repair, and barn at Brackett's Wharf. Good yard room and excellent orchard. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises.
March 29. eod-tf

TO LET—For lodge room purposes, the hall in French's building, which has been recently refurnished for that purpose. Apply to WILLIAM E. MORRISSEY at the Police Station, or to JOSEPH HARRIS.
Quincy, April 26. 6t

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.
Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

TO LET—Desirable house with bath room; hot and cold water. Good neighborhood, pleasant surrounding. Rent reasonable. Apply at 6 Pleasant street, Quincy. Oct. 20—tf

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HORSES FOR SALE—Three young, large bay horses, weight from 1400 to 1600 lbs. each, at 66 Newport avenue, cor. Elmwood avenue, Wollaston, Mass. Enquire at the house or at Room 33 Equitable Building, Boston, Mass.
April 27—6t J. STROUP, SON & CO.

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Farm with house and outbuildings in perfect repair.

Tenement, city water, 59 North street.

Tenement, No. 7 Granite street, city water.

Large building, Brackett's Wharf.

Half house, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street, $8 per month.

Half House, 3 rooms, 8 Canal street, $6 per month.

Tenement, 3 rooms, 15 Kidder street, $4.50 per month.

Half house, 5 rooms, 19 Kidder street, $7 per month.

Three tenements, 51 Howard street, $4 to $6 per month.

Tenement and stable, 28 Howard street, $5 per month.

Stable at Quincy Neck, $2.50 per month.

Room 12 Washington street, $5 per month.

Stable, 3 stalls, 30 School street, $4 per month.

Windows, show windows and blinds for sale.

Wharf, office and Blacksmith shop at Quincy Neck.

Basement, head of Granite street, $4 per month.

Land to rent and pasturage.

Gravel, sand, loam and stone for sale.

For particulars inquire of
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were not required. We removed the

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spring, and warranted it for two years in either

American or Spanish Territory.

All ordinary American or Swiss Watches cleaned or main-spring for ONE DOLLAR.

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TO RAVAGE NORTHERN CITIES.

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states to muster men into the service of the United States. When this is accomplished the volunteers will be under direct control of the government and subject to the discipline and requirements of actual military life. The telegrams from the governors of the states in reply to Secretary Alger's telegram indicate that the patriotism of the citizen soldiery is at its height. The officials decline to make public the text of these telegrams at this time, as they contain information bearing on the requirements of the militia as respects equipments, ammunition, arms, blankets, tents, etc., and it is suggested that the best interests of the country would not be subserved by making them public. Some opposition has risen on the part of several of the states to the location of the rendezvouzing points as made by Secretary Alger. Where the representations of state officials present good reasons, the rendezvous will be changed.

The Attitude of Germany.

Washington, April 27.—First among all neutrals to take cognizance of the situation and of the existence of a state of war are the British colonies. It may not be of particular significance, yet it goes in testant, Mr. Wise, who is a Republican, by a party vote.

a measure to support the contention of this government that war actually existed before the declaration by congress, for the British colonies in cases have acted and made their proclamations of neutrality in advance of action by congress. Thus it happens that the British government of the strait settlement at Singapore issued its proclamation Monday afternoon.

The state department officials have taken note of the semi-official statement from Germany to the effect that that nation will not at present issue a neutrality proclamation. They are not very much concerned, however, believing that any advantage to be gained by Germany in refraining from adopting the usual course in this respect will be rather technical than practical. Certainly all remain until you come and drive us out, in fulfilment of your arrogant boast."

It is generally believed that in consonance with this policy the Spanish fleet, unless compelled to fight, will avoid engagements, and the fastest ships will be employed to destroy the commerce of the United States.

After the First Encounter.

London, April 27.—The Vienna correspondent of The Standard says: "It is probably due to a complete understanding reached between Count Goluchow-



COUNT GOLUCHOWSKI.

ski, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, and Prince Hohenlohe, the German chancellor, that all the inspired organs of the Vienna foreign office are propagating the idea that, after the first rather serious encounter between Spain and the United States, the intervention of the powers will bring the war to a close. The intervention would consist of a recommendation that Spain should give up Cuba, after having saved her honor. It is in keeping with this idea that the foreign office organs express extreme impatience at the slowness of developments, while admitting that Austria and Germany are united in politics."

Still Busy Coaling.

St. Vincent, Cape de Verde Islands, April 27.—The Spanish fleet is still here, and there is no sign o fits intention to put to sea today. Ammunition and projectiles are placed for each gun, and on board the warships the men appear to be anxious to fight. The squadron is still busy coaling and taking stores.

What Blanco Believes.

Madrid, April 27.—General Blanco cables that the situation is unchanged. His dispatch says: "This (Tuesday) evening a division of five American vessels approached Marianao. The Spanish gunboat Nigers repulsed three destroyers which tried to enter the port of Cardenas, and compelled them to retreat. I believe the Americans will not dare disembark in Cuba."

Governor Wolcott Talks Further.

Boston, April 27.—In an interview regarding his statement of Monday, Governor Wolcott said: "Our state militia should not be materially depleted by the wholesale enlistment of officers or men. In individual cases no objection will be raised if material depletion does not result. The defence of the coast of Massachusetts is an important and honorable duty, as I have suggested. It is my duty to look to that defence. If a member of the militia steps out and says he is going to the front, I do not want the remaining members to b branded as cowards. The integrity of our military organizations must be preserved, and we intend that it shall be. It must be thoroughly understood that we have many exposed points and a coast to defend. The individual that seeks his discharge to go to Chickamauga and thence to Cuba will not meet serious objection at the hands of the board. His place will be filled. I think that the spirit of the statement issued by me is thoroughly understood by the people of Massachusetts, and I think it is entirely in accord with their desire."

Fired on by Warship.

London, April 27.—According to a dispatch to The Daily Mail from Kingston, Jamaica, the steamship Telesfora, from Galveston for Liverpool and Manchester with a cargo of cotton, registered in Spain, took refuge there Tuesday, having been pursued and fired upon by an American warship.

Gone to Meet Garcia.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 27.—First Lieutenant Andrew S. Rowan of the Nineteenth infantry, under orders from the war department, was landed on the Cuban coast somewhere west of Santiago, probably before dawn on Monday. Cuban guides and an open sailboat were used. The guides have not returned. Lieutenant Rowan is on his way to the camp of General Garcia. He will represent the war department in arranging for the co-operation of the insurgents in the invasion of eastern Cuba by the forces of the United States.

Until Europe Is Involved.

Madrid, April 27.—It is declared by Spaniards that Spain intends to prolong the war until European interests are involved and the powers are compelled to intervene in self-defense, or until the expected general conflagration of Europe against Anglo-Saxon domination is brought about.

Cushing Disabled.

Boston, April 27.—A special to The Herald from Washington says: The first accident to befall the big fleet operating in the Cuban blockade has happened to the machinery of the Cushing, which has been so badly injured that she will be of no service for a month or six weeks. It seems that the entire starboard section has been wrecked. The Herreshoffs, who built the boat, have been directed to prepare the necessary castings at once for shipment to Key West, and the repair shops there have been ordered to get ready to push the work ahead in order that the Cushing may rejoin the fleet at the earliest possible moment.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 27.—Representative Dubuque of Fall River offered the following bill on leave, which was referred to the committee on rules: "All relief, rights, exemptions, privileges and immunities which have been or may be granted by the laws of this commonwealth shall apply to persons who have enlisted or who may hereafter enlist as volunteers, or otherwise, in the service of the United States in the present war between this country and the kingdom of Spain."

Mr. Innes of Boston introduced a bill on leave to grant leaves of absence with half pay to such public employes as may enter the military or naval service of the United States. It applies to state and municipal authorities. It permits such employes to be reappointed to their places without civil service examination within six months after the close of active service.

Mr. Cullinane of Lawrence spoke briefly for the bill to provide a uniform rate of wages and hours of labor for mechanics and laborers on public works. He was followed by a speech of length by Mr. Ponce, who elaborated upon the degraded condition of the Italian laborers under the contractor of the Cambridge water works. The bill was ordered to a third reading without a division.

A motion to reconsider the passage to engrossment of the bill to prevent reduction of pay for loss of time by women and minors by the stoppage of factory machinery was lost by a decisive vote.

The bill to provide for the manner of carrying on the work of eradicating tuberculosis was passed to be engrossed as amended by 55 to 42. The section to change the compensation for cattle killing was stricken out.

Loans or Deposits.

Providence, April 27.—Joseph Banigan was cross-examined by the attorney for the rubber trust yesterday afternoon in his suit for salary. In answer to questions he stated that the large sums of money he claimed to have loaned the Woonsocket company were loaned at 6 percent interest. He admitted that the trust was at the same time getting money in some cases at a lower rate elsewhere, but that the uniform rate with him was by an agreement that was kept up. Mr. Cook, treasurer of the Woonsocket company, testified that money was received by him on deposit from Mr. Banigan in excess of the requirements of the company, and 6 percent was paid.

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POWDER WORKS AFIRE,

Death and Destruction Wrought on the Pacific Coast.

Five Men and Two Boys Killed by an Explosion.

Filling of a Government Contract Will Not Be Affected.

Santa Cruz, Cal., April 27.—Three explosions at about 5:15 yesterday afternoon at the California powder works caused a loss of life greater than any of the previous accidents in the history of these works. The wildest rumors are prevalent regarding the number of killed and injured, the exact number of which has not been determined. It is known that seven were killed and four seriously injured, the dead being: Edward Killideran, brick mason; J. Miller, foreman of one of the mills; C. A. Cole, carpenter of the works; E. Jennings, B. Jose and two boys named Marshall.

The first shock from the explosion was felt for many miles around and was separately followed by two lighter shocks. The smoke from the works arose in such volumes that is was impossible for a time to perceive the extent of the damage. It was seen that the fire was spreading and the main magazine was in imminent danger. The bugle call was accordingly sounded for members of the California naval reserves, who responded promptly, hurrying to the mills and assisting the corps of fighters already on the ground.

The igniting of the cotton plant caused the fire to spread to the adjoining brush and small building, and was then communicated to the powder mill flat, where are located the houses of the employes of the works. The employes and naval reserve boys worked heroically to prevent the fire from spreading to the smokeless powder plant. The scarcity of water in the creek retarded the work of the volunteer brigade. Shovels and other tools were used instead of water.

No doubt is entertained among the officials of the works that the explosion was due to an accident. Extraordinary precautions had been taken to prevent treachery, and no well informed man entertains the opinion that the accident was the work of a Spanish spy, as has been suggested.

It is not thought the explosion will interfere with the manufacture of smokeless powder for the government. None of the plants for making powder for the fulfillment of government contracts is injured. In addition to the guncotton plant most of the cottages occupied by the employes were burned, this comprising the property loss.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

West Point yesterday graduated the class of 1898. The stern requirements of the service permitted nothing but short ceremonies.

The 40th annual encampment of the grand lodge of Good Templars of Maine opened in Waterville yesterday for a three days' session.

The Hamburg-American Steamship company officials in Hoboken announce the purchase by the government of their vessels, the Fuerst Bismark and Hamburg.

Six British warships, it is reported at Kingston, Jamaica, will patrol the seas in the neighborhood of Cuba during the hostilities between the United States and Spain.

Michael Gill, a Lowell laborer, 33 years of age, committed suicide by cutting his throat. Despondency caused by illness and lack of employment inspired the deed. He leaves a family.

Peter and Hugh McDonald, two cable men in the employ of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, were drowned in the Merrimack river near Lowell, at Hunt's Falls, yesterday.

Secretary Long has directed the release from the Boston naval prison of 28 sailors. The men were in prison for various infractions of military law, and the department believes that conditions warrant their restoration to active service.

Twenty-one witnesses were heard in rebuttal for the state in the Brewster murder trial yesterday. The substance of their testimony was that Mildred Brewster had always been sane and her ancestors never showed signs of mental trouble.

A Nova Scotia captain, who has just arrived in New Haven, says the people of Porto Rico are appealing to the United States for arms and ammunition, with a view to taking arms against the Spaniards. The declaration of war, he thinks, will precipitate a revolution.

Portsmouth was ablaze with bunting last night, many flags being raised, including a large Cuban flag. Arrangements have been made to quarter the Third regiment of the state militia here, the command to camp in the large machine shop now unoccupied at the navy yard.

Commander Horace Elmer died yesterday in Brooklyn. Recently he had been detailed to equip and command the mosquito fleet. At the Brooklyn navy yard a few weeks ago he contracted a severe cold, and bronchitis set in. Attending physicians were unable to do anything toward his recovery.

The eighth annual meeting of the Independent Order of Railway Conductors of the United States was held in New Haven yesterday. F. A. Hermance of New Haven was elected president; Thomas Cook of Springfield, vice president, and E. B. Kenyon of New Haven, secretary and treasurer.

Practically the entire emergency appropriation of $50,000,000 made by congress for the national defense has been alloted to the various bureaus of the war and navy departments. Not all, however, has been expended, a large portion being subject to payment under contracts entered into by the bureaus.

The consuls general in London of Ecuador, Nicaragua, San Salvador, Honduras, Costa Rica and the republic of San Domingo, all of whom have been interviewed with respect to the attitude of their governments, declare that their countrymen sympathize with Spain, but that their respective governments will observe the strictest neutrality.

INTERESTING EXPERIENCE.

Of An Iowa Lady Who Was Cured of Dyspepsia After Suffering for Twenty-five Years.

Mrs. Sarah A. Skeels, an estimable lady residing at Lynnville, Jasper Co., Iowa, was for twenty-fives year a sufferer from Dyspepsia, and her complete restoration to health is so remarkable that we present the facts in the case for the benefit of our readers, many of whom have doubtless suffered in the same manner and will, therefore, be interested in learning how all stomach troubles may be avoided and cured. Mrs. Skeels says: I used only one package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and received such great and unexpected benefit that I wish to express my sincere gratitude. In fact it has been six months since I took the medicine and I have not had one particle of distress or difficulty since. And all this in the face of the fact that the best doctors I consulted told me my case was incurable as I had suffered for twenty-five years. I want half a dozen packages to distribute among my friends here who are very anxious to try this remedy.

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—The Scientific American says that twenty-two business men, who acted as the coroner's jury in the investigation of the recent great fire in London, and served for fourteen working days, received four pence (eight cents) each as compensation.

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, and 47 minutes past the hour.

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Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
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r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
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r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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SUCCESSFUL BOMBARDMENT.

Eighteen-Minute Engagement With Matanzas Batteries.

Challenge to Open Hostilities From Spaniards.

Prompt Response of Admiral Sampson In Acceptance.

Fired Upon Three of the Fleet While They Were Reconnoitering—Every Shot of American Gunners Found a Mark—Spaniards' Projectiles Drop Harmlessly In the Water, Though a Few Were Close to the Flagship—Policy of the Administration.

Key West, April 28.—Shortly after the dinner hour yesterday three vessels of Admiral Sampson's fleet engaged in a successful effort at bombarding, entirely destroying the Spanish batteries in position and in course of construction at the entrance of Matanzas. None of the ships was struck owing to the poor marksmanship of the enemy's gunners.

As the New York, Puritan and Cincinnati were reconnoitering for the purpose of locating and destroying the defences, the flagship was fired upon. Without a moment's hesitation, the admiral gave the long-awaited signal, and the New York steamed fearlessly in between the two big batteries, and was soon blazing away with both broadsides. The Puritan steamed in behind the New York, and engaged the fortifications on Point Maya, while the New York went to starboard, close up to land, and poured her shells into Rubal Cava. The captain of the Cincinnati, which had remained well astern, under orders, now signalled for permission to engage, which was given, and that vessel soon turned her guns into the fort on the west side of the bay.

The batteries fired volley after volley of explosive shells, but most of them fell far and wide of the mark. It took the three ships just 18 minutes to silence the batteries. The last shot fired by the Spanish came from Point Rubal Cava. The Puritan replied with one of her 12-inch guns. The shell struck the battery with wonderful accuracy, and blew up a great portion of it. After waiting for the Spaniards to renew the engagement, the three ships withdrew, leaving both batteries in ruins.

All told, the United States ships fired 86 shots at the forts. This is by actual count from the Somers N. Smith; the forts fired probably 25 shots. Having demolished the Spanish batteries, the ships then immediately stood out to sea. Not a shell had struck one of them, but there had been three narrow misses of the New York. The Spanish fired a schrapnel once, which had burst above the ship, a shell had struck just in front of her, and another struck just aft. The fact that the Spaniards failed to strike such a large target as the New York, towering, as she does, like a house out of the water, was taken as excellent evidence that they are not good marksmen. On the other hand every shot that the New York fired after she got the range was pitched right into the batteries.

The bombardment developed that the largest pieces mounted by the Spanish at Matanzas are 8-inch guns, and the best opinion is that there were not more than five or six guns there. But far more important than the destruction of the Matanzas batteries is the conclusion about the future which may be drawn from the bombardment. This conclusion is that Havana is absolutely at the mercy of the United States fleet whenever we choose to open fire.

Rear Admiral Sampson, when asked if he was satisfied with the results, said: "I am; I expected to be."

The half completed earthworks and battery were apparently ploughed up by the shells. All the ships engaged showed excellent marksmanship throughout the engagement and when they were firing at the shortest range nearly every shell took effect. The forts which were bombarded were on a low point and were considered merely earthworks. They did not make a good target, yet when the big guns were fired at the shortest range portions of the forts could be seen flying in the air at every shot.

CLAMOR FOR ACTION.

Authorities Harassed by Public Demand For Tangible Results.

Washington, April 28.—Impatient calls for action are coming up from the country. The men who are charged with the responsibility of carrying on the war are harassed by the clamor of those who cannot comprehend the policy of deferring an aggressive move until everything shall be ready for an effective stroke. It is the old cry of "On to Richmond" adapted to the time, and the administration, fortunately for its peace of mind, has the history of the early days of the civil war to fall back upon for justification of its present course.

It is not true that the authorities in Washington are idle, that they are waiting solely for the purpose of delay, or that they are loitering along without a plan of action. Every hour of every day has its absorbing duties and its anxious thought. The military and naval authorities are busy with the work of preparation, and it is only fair to allow them free action, unhampered by premature criticism, until it shall appear that the plan upon which they have entered is lacking in effectiveness or intelligence.

Those who are impatient for action are likely soon to have their wishes gratified. Almost any day may bring the news that the American and Spanish fleets in Asiatic waters have met, and the first naval battle of the war has been fought. Commodore Dewey is on his way to the Philippines with his squadron, and Admiral Montejo, the Spanish admiral in command at Manila, has taken up a position to await his coming. The two fleets will almost certainly find each other before the close of the week; it may be a matter of hours. There is little apprehension in naval circles as to the result of the first naval encounter, for Commodore Dewey's fleet is regarded as superior to that of his opponent. It does not contain so many ships, but those under Dewey's command are more modern and better prepared to battle than those with which Montejo will have to meet them.

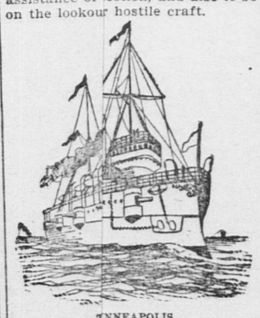
Gratifying though a victory in Asiatic waters would be, a naval battle there would be only a diversion in the general plan of the campaign. The great object which the administration has in mind is to drive Spain from Cuba, and all its strategy is being directed to this end. There has been no change in policy. Everything that has been done and everything that is doing looks to the surrender of Spanish authority, and the defeat of Blanco.

It has been the program from the beginning to maintain a pacific blockade of Spanish ports in Cuba, to risk no naval engagement for the present, but to bottle up the Spanish troops until everything shall be ready for a successful assault by land. The administration does not expect to reduce Havana solely by means of a blockade. That would be a task from which any power might shrink; for, meager though the resources of the western provinces of Cuba may be, they yet would be sufficient to maintain the population and the Spanish troops for months and perhaps for years, unless more active measures were adopted to bring Spain to terms. The fortress of Gibraltar, a little over 100 years ago, endured a siege of more than three years; and Gibraltar was a barren rock. Havana, surrounded by fertile though devastated fields, might well endure a siege for months.

The administration, therefore, is preparing to reduce the Spanish forces by land as well as sea, and it is pursuing a policy which, successful, will enable the Cubans to gain their own freedom.

Saw the Big Warship.

Eastport, Me., April 28.—As soon as the anchor of the warship Minneapolis was let go in the harbor yesterday a flock of small craft put off. The officers with great cordiality received the visitors and sled them every attention. To the general inquiry, however, as to the mission of the vessel, the evasive answers made that she was sailing under sealed orders and that her destination was not known. It was learned, however, from the communicative men of the Minneapolis and Columbia were attached from Commodore Schley's flying squadron at Hampton roads for the purpose of engaging in a patrol off the New England coast, particularly with a view of being near in case incoming shipping should need assistance or protection, and also to be on the lookout for hostile craft.



THE MINNEAPOLIS.

The Minneapolis left her anchorage off the city at 3.30 p. m., and steamed up to Broad Cove harbor and dropped anchor, there to await the cessation of the stormy coast.

Ex-Clearances.

Washington, April 28.—Assistant Secretary Spaulding has issued instructions for the issuance of customs officers to the effect clearances will be refused to any vessel for a port or place blockaded by the United States; to any vessel carrying goods which are contraband of war for any Spanish port; to any vessel carrying coal for any Spanish port, and to any American vessel for any Spanish [illegible]

Up to and including May 21, 1898.

clearance will be granted to any Spanish merchant vessel now in any port or place of the United States for any foreign port, except a port blockaded by the United States, provided that such vessel shall not have on board any officers in the military or naval service of Spain, or any coal (except such as may be necessary for the voyage) or any other article prohibited or contraband of war, or any dispatch of or to the Spanish government.

Sailed Last Tuesday.

Bayonne, France, April 28.—According to a letter received here from Madrid, dated from the Spanish capital on Tuesday, a Spanish squadron, consisting of four ironclads and three torpedo boat destroyers, sailed for the United States Tuesday. It was rumored that the squadron was to steam direct across the Atlantic and bombard northern ports of the United States. The port from which this squadron sailed was not mentioned. It was added, however, that a second squadron, consisting of four ironclads and two cruisers, was being formed at Cadiz. Its destination was unknown.

Dog Among Ninepins.

Madrid, April 28.—The Liberal reminds General Fitzhugh Lee that five days have elapsed of the 15 he prophesied would suffice to drive the Spaniards out of Cuba and asks in view of the little progress made whether General Lee has not miscalculated. Continuing, The Liberal says: "It appears that a coup de main upon Manila is now intended, but the Spaniards are quite confident that the result will be disastrous to the Americans. There is great enthusiasm at Manila, where 6000 volunteers have been enrolled, and a warm reception is being prepared for the Americans."

In conclusion, The Liberal prophesies that friction will arise owing to American intrusion in the waters of the far east, where the European powers and Japan have hardly succeeded in establishing a modus vivendi and where European merchant ships swarm." The Liberal likens the United States squadron to a "dog among ninepins."

To Act as Counterpoise.

Madrid, April 28.—As a counterpoise to the growing sympathy toward the Carlists among the people since the pretender raised a vigorous war note against the United States, the Spanish cardinals and prelates are now assembling here to visit the queen regent collectively, declaring their adhesion to and support of the reigning dynasty. They will endeavor to convince the people that the queen regent has never advocated peace at any price, but thoroughly participates in the enthusiasm of the people to defend the honor and rights of Spain. This attitude of the prelates will cause a sensation throughout the country, greatly irritating the Carlists.

News of the capture of the American bark, Saranac, by a Spanish gunboat near Manila yesterday caused a momentary excitement, but the town is expectant of the result of the action likely to occur off the Philippines, and awaits the outcome with perfect confidence.

Four New Regiments.

Boston, April 28.—Last night Governor Wolcott received the long expected letter from Secretary of War Alger giving the quota of Massachusetts for the national troops. He immediately replied by wire that Massachusetts would respond with the utmost promptitude and patriotism to the request, and that the war department would be kept constantly informed of the action taken in compliance with it.

Upon the receipt of the telegram, the advisory board of officers was called into session and for seven hours discussed the request. It was decided to recruit four new regiments out of the five existing regiments of the Massachusetts militia. The new regiments will be commanded by Colonel Emory B. Clark of the Sec-

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In both cases the curse is multiplied many times over because both men and women neglect their health. Man's toil is rendered a thousand times harder by the added burden of ill-health. The woman is a still greater sufferer. She suffers in silence untold agonies from weakness and disease in a womanly way. Motherhood becomes to her a menace of death, and her babes are born with the seeds of disease already implanted in their little bodies. There is but one unfailing remedy for women who suffer in this way. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs that bear the brunt of maternity. It makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and tones and builds up the tortured nerves. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It does away with the trials of the period of apprehension and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. Thousands have testified to its marvelous merits.

"I was afflicted for four years with local weakness, but would not confess it for a time," writes Mrs. Beulah Woodall, of Bateman, Patrick Co., Va., "then I took the 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and they cured me. I cannot praise Dr. Pierce's medicines too much."

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Builder's Hardware and Carpenter's Tools,

PAINTS and OILS, etc.

Service Right. Prices Right.

First-class Plumbing will continue a specialty; and Gas Fitting, and Steam and Hot Water Heating will receive attention.

The public are invited to the opening on Monday, May 2.

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A Music Farce Comedy, presented by

Clever Comedians,
Pretty Girls,
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Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cts.

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Dogs Must Be Licensed

ON OR BEFORE

April  30th,

Or the owners or keepers thereof

LIABLE TO A FINE.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Extracts from the Laws of this Commonwealth.

EVERY Owner or keeper of a dog of three months old or over, shall annually on or before the 30th Day of April, cause it to be Registered, Numbered, Described and Licensed for one year from the first day of the ensuing May, in the office of the clerk of the city or town wherein said dog is kept, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

Any owner of a dog may at any time have it licensed until the first day of the ensuing May; and a person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of May, not duly licensed, shall cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed as provided in the preceding section.

The fee for every license shall be two dollars for a male dog and five dollars for a female dog.

Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter shall forfeit Fifteen Dollars, five dollars of which shall be paid to the complainant and ten dollars to the treasurer of the county in which the dog is kept.

Every owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes may receive annually a special license authorizing him to keep such dogs upon the premises described in such license. When the number of dogs so kept does not exceed five, the fee for such license shall be Twenty Five Dollars; when the number of dogs so kept exceeds five, the fee shall be Fifty Dollars, and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper, under the age of six months.

Any owner or keeper of a dog not duly licensed, which becomes three months old after the thirtieth day of April in any year, shall, whenever it is three months old, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed until the first day of the ensuing May, as provided in section eighty of chapter one hundred and two of the Public Statutes, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar, distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

Quincy, Mass., April 26. 13t eod

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What we think or what we don't think, but what you want, and there are many times you can't find it; but if you will call at the

Quincy Second Hand Variety Co.'s

store, No. 20 Franklin St., you are very likely to find what you want, as it is truly a variety store. Some of the goods you will find there: Carpets, Rugs, Matting and Bedding, Furniture of all kinds, Tinware, Agate, Glass, China and Wooden Ware. If you are looking for a good second hand cook stove, this is the place to buy, as we repair them and make them as good as new. If you want a stove for beach purposes, we also keep them. We have some antique goods. We have a chair that is over a hundred years old, and a clock that was made in 1444, and many other things too numerous to mention. Call and see for yourself. If you have old carpets, furniture, etc., to sell, drop us a postal. Remember the place, 20 Franklin street.

WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	45	72	78
Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	48	51	70
Wednesday	45	50	52
Thursday	42	60	48
Friday	—	66	60
Saturday	—	62	70

New Advertisements Today.

Quincy Co-operative Bank—Annual meeting.
Middlesex Bicycle Co.
Star Tea and Coffee store.
Quincy Music Hall—O'Hooligan's Wedding.
Small cottage to let.
A Meadow Brook for sale.
Carpenters wanted.

Of Historic Interest.

Daughters of the Revolution from all over the United States are on a visit to Quincy today as the guests of Adams Chapter. They have been atttending the national convention of the General Society in Boston and are now visiting points of interest in and about Boston. The visitors came from Boston on the 1.30 train and on their arrival went directly to First church to see the tomb of the President Adamses, after which cars and carriages will be taken to the birthplace of John Adams, where Adams Chapter will entertain them, serving tea and showing the old house. The Abigail Adams cairn will also be visited, on Penn's hill.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

mar23-tf G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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Vote on Amendment of By-Laws.
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R. D. CHASE, Sec.

Quincy, April 28—6t 1wp

For Sale.

GENERAL STOCK OF

Hardware, Paints, Oils,

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The store is in one of the best locations in the city and will be leased on favorable terms. This is an excellent business opening for a young man with small capital.

HENRY H. FAXON.

April 27. 12t

—THE—

Star Tea & Coffee Store

Opposite the Fountain, Quincy,

Have Just Bought the

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FORMOSA TEA,

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Mocha and Java Coffee

they ever purchased at one time, and of the most superior quality.

You are advised to call and lay in a stock before the rise.

A Limited Quantity of

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95c. A BAG,

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5 lbs. Choice Creamery Butter, $1.10.

TOMORROW.

Militia Expect to be Ordered Out.

Will First Go to South Framingham.

Co. K. Will Re-enlist in Army if Wanted.

Capt. Kincaide of Co. K, in conversation wth a representative of the Ledger this morning, stated that from information he had received it was expected that Co. K would be called out tomorrow.

The camp at Framingham is already to receive the troops and that is where they will be ordered. Once there they will go into camp until it has been decided what companies will be ordered to the front. Before they depart the company will be rcruited up to the war standard of 84 men and the company will then re-enlist as a company in the regular army.

Before ree-nlistment, however, each man must pass a physical examination a d the surgeons are now busily engaged in that work.

If Co. K is not examined before the call they will be before mustered into the regular army, as every man must be physically sound. Capt. Kincaide said that there were several of his company who would probably not be taken.

This would not prevent him from filling his company to the required standard as he had many applications for enlistment. In the event of Co. K being ordered out a sergeant would probably be left behind to drill the new recruits.

It is not certain that the company will be ordered out Friday but the indications are very strong that they will.

A number of the members of the company seen are getting uneasy, for they have been on the anxious seat all the week, but they are trying to be patient until the call comes. The boys all want to go to the front and there will be no shirking. Every man who can pass the physical examination will be found ready when wanted.

GOVERNOR'S CALL.

Expected to Issue an Order Today.

Gov. Wolcott has at last received from Secretary of War Alger the call of the government upon Massachusetts. The State's quota is four regiments of infantry and three batteries of heavy artillery. The infantry regiments must consist of ten companies each 84 men and three officers, maximum strength. The batteries must number 146 men and four officers, maximum strength. In addition the four regimental staffs will consist of the Colonel and 17 men in each instance.

The infantry companies will include: 1 Captain, 1 First Lieutenant, 1 Second Lieutenant, 1 First Sergeant, 1 Quartermaster Sergeant, 4 Sergeants, 12 Corporals, 2 Musicians, 1 Artificer, 1 Wagoner, 59 Privates maximum, 55 minimum.

Secretary Alger says, The mustering officer will be instructed to receive no man, under the rank of commissioned officer, who is in years over 45 or under 18, or who is not in physical strength and vigor. As soon as mustered into the United States service it is the intention that troops from Massachusetts shall be assembled with others for instruction and service under the direction of Major General commanding the army at some point or points to be designated thereafter. It is desired for reasons stated in telegrams of this date that as far as practicable the National Guard be given preference.

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King and Queen, -	35.00
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THE SCORE A TIE.

Adams Shows Up Well With Pi Eta Society.

Adams Academy played an unscheduled game with the Pi Eta society of Harvard, at Merrymout park on Wednesday. The wind was blowing at a great velocity making good playing impossible. Manning is again able to play and got in some fine work. Brown, the full back on the Harvard varsity foot ball team pitched and was caught by Baldwin, catcher of the '99 class team, for the visitors. In the seventh inning the score was tie and the visiting team was obliged to leave to catch a train.

Tomorrow Adams will play a postponed game with Brookline High at Merrymount park and Saturday will play Tech 1900 at Quincy.

ADAMS ACADEMY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cilley, lb.,	5	2	2	2	5	0	1
Taylor, 2b.,	5	2	2	2	4	1	1
Manning, c.,	4	3	2	5	6	0	2
Linfield, ss.,	5	3	1	1	1	2	4
Appleton, 3b.,	5	2	2	2	2	1	6
Kent, r. f.,	5	2	2	2	0	1	0
Burchsted, cf.,	5	1	0	0	1	0	2
Donaher, p.,	4	2	1	1	0	2	1
Bennett, lf.,	4	1	2	2	2	2	3
	42	18	12	17	21	9	22

PI ETA SOCETY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Baldwin, c.,	6	3	1	1	9	3	5
Foreman, lf.,	6	3	3	4	1	0	1
Brown, p.,	6	2	1	1	1	6	3
Holden, 1b.,	6	3	1	1	7	0	1
Rainbolt, ss.,	5	3	2	4	0	2	2
Southworth, rf.,	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chipman, 3b.,	5	1	0	0	0	0	2
Welch, cf.,	5	1	2	3	2	0	0
Martin, 2b.,	5	2	0	0	0	0	0
	44	18	10	14	2	11	14

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Adams,	3	0	3	8	1	0	3	—		—18
Pi Eta S.,	3	5	0	2	2	1	5	—		—18

Earned Runs—Adams, 1 Pi Eta, 0. Two-base Hits—Foreman and Welch. Three-base Hits—Rainbolt. Home Rus—Manning. Double Plays--Bennett and Taylo Linfield and Taylor, Brown, Baldwin and Holen. Passed Balls—Manning, 2; Baldwin, 3. Wild Pitches—Brown. Hit by Pitch Ball—Bennett, 2; Cilley, 1. Time, 3 hours Umpire, Kingsley.

SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Some Leaders ad But Little Change in Order.

Interest in the baseball league of the grammar schools of the city is on the increase, as three of the club have an unbroken record. The Coddingtons and Willards also on their last two games and have left the Quincys and Wollastons behind. They are already too, to jump into the first class on Saturday. The summary to date is:

	Won.	Lost.	
Adams,	4	0	100
John Hancock,	4	0	100
Gridley Bryant,	4	0	100
Coddington,	3	1	75
Willard,	3	1	75
Quincy,	1	3	25
Wollaston,	1	3	25
Lincoln,	0	4	00
Massachusetts Fields	0	4	00
Washington,	0	4	00

The Coddingtons in their game from the Lincolns on Saturday by the close score of 25 to On Wednesday they were so vast superior to the Quincys that the latter gave it up after two innings, with the score 15 to 1 in favor of the Coddingts.

The games on Saturday will be: Adams and Quincy, Massachusetts Fields and Coddington, Gridley Bryant and John Hancock, Willard and Lincoln, Wollaston and Washington. Will the Gridley Brts or the John Hancock remain at top?

ODD FELLOWSHIP.

Mt. Wollaston Lo Observes 79th Anniversary.

Odd Fellowship, the ancient of fraternal orders, loses not its interest either at large or local It is world-wide in its territory benefits, and in Quincy is strong numerically, socially and from a financial standpoint.

The annual observa of the anniversary in April is an portant event in the order, and Mt. Waston lodge, No. 80, of this city ed another enjoyable entertainme its long list.

Henry P. Furnald, noble Grand, presided and after a introductory remarks introduced Flin Jacobs, P. G., who gave an ess on the order.

The entertainment s were Alex H. Dadman and Charl. Dunham, who appeared togethed in individual musical parts, met with great favor. Mark Alm also gave two numbers.

District Deputy Grand ster E. Q. L. Litchfield of Weym, who was present with his suite ke of the work and progress of Oellowship, Dancing with music Westland's orchestra, whist and ments of ice cream cake and fruipleted the evenings enjoyment.

☞ Eddy Refrigerators tried and worthy sort; from $5.20 up ry L. Kincaide & Co.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

The paving of Copeland street is not progressing very rapidly.

C. H. Johnson will start next week to take the census of children of school age.

It is said the Spaniards will not attack Boston while the cold weather continues.

In case of a naval battle off Boston a fine view of it could be had from Presidents' hill.

Everbody should display their colors today for the of Daughters of Revolution are with us.

L. M. Pratt & Co. have erected a new pole and hoisted a new flag in front of their store.

All of the granite sheds are rushing business just now to get off their Memorial Day orders.

West Quincy is alive with amateur photographers who take snap shots of everything that comes along.

L. R. Stevens of Wollaston is in Cincinnati, O., attending the session of the Supreme Senate, K. A. E. O.

Commissioner Knowlton is putting a coat of crushed stone and top dressing on the upper end of Copeland street.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip have charge of the meeting Sunday night, May 1, at the Bethany Congregational church.

There is a feeling among the granite men that the war with Spain may have a bad effect upon their business which had the prospects of becoming better.

Eight cases of drunks in the district court in one day. The rainy weather, with so much water falling, should keep some of these fellows from being dry.

Marcus Wight, Jr., so long with Miss E. M. Feeman at Quincy Point, accepted a position with a wholesale grocery house in Boston, Monday morning.

Those musical notes heard every evening in the vicinity of the Street Railway building come from the boys who are rehearsing for their minstrel show.

Motormen Frank Pray and Murphy are two patriotic employes of the Quincy & Boston street railway on the Weymouth route. Three large flags were flying from the front and rear of the platform of their car Tuesday.

Quincy is now well protected for it has a fort full of cannon balls. It was erected in D. E. Wadsworth & Co.'s show window yesterday. It attracts the attention of all and especially delights the children who are filled with patriotism.

The Quincy Co-operative Bank has lately declared a semi-annual dividend of three and one half per cent and now offers for sale shares in the 19th series. Nine years of success, and accumulation of $150,000 assets are results which commend the system to all who believe in systematic deposits, and regular payments on mortgages.

It was a pathetic sight Wednesday on Temple street, when a veteran of the G. A. R. met a member of Co. K, and shaking him by the hand said, lifting his hat and showing the gray hairs: "Good-bye, my boy, God bless you, may you return safe and sound to us again, not the worse for wear. I done the same when the call came in '61 and Sumter was fired on." And they parted.

A resident of Hancock street near the Academy placed a lead half-dollar in the bottom of the glass jar to play a joke on his milk man and stood behind the door to see what he would do. The milk man took up the jar, looked at it, and turned the bad half-dollar out saying, "I don't take Spanish money." When the jar was returned there was no water in it, but good clear milk.

TODAY'S COURT.

J. Frank Drew was arraigned for keeping intoxicating liquor with intent to sell at Weymouth and was fined $50.

Frank Shields of Quincy was brought in on a default warrant for drunkenness at Quincy. He was fined $5 for drunkenness and $10 on the default warrant.

The continued case of Charles Mangs of Quincy for the illegal sale upon April 19 and 24 of what is known as Hoffman drops to one Matt Johnson was heard. It is reported in another column.

The court imposed a fine of $50 upon each complaint making a total of $100. He appealed.

☞ It costs no more to have our bicycle repairer, an expert mechanic, repair your wheel, than it does to have the conventional boy and tinker. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Price 25 and 50

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Quincy, April 21. tf

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Quincy, April 23. tf pl

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March 29. 3m lp

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We are ready for the great onslaught of eager buyers. Come early for the following Big Bargains, and be sure you are in the right store. Beware of imitators. Bring this paper with you. Special attention to our Quincy friends.

Imported crepe finished Clay Diagonal Suits (18 ounces), all styles, all sizes; $15.00 will not purchase as good a suit elsewhere. Come and select one for **$8.00**

100 patterns of all wool $10.00 Suits, Scotch effects, Serges, etc., made this season, **$5.50**

Just received from our own workshops, 1,000 Suits in medium weight Blue Serges, fine Worsted Checks and Plaids, a genuine $15 for **$8.00**

If you want a high grade Dress Suit in either black or the new effects, in pin checks, and small plaids, see what other stores are asking $20 and $25 for, and then come aboard the Pioneer and get one for **$12.00**

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Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

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If you're a good speller, you can win a prize. *It's very simple:* Scattered through the advertising pages of Godey's Magazine for May are words *purposely* misspelled. The person sending the largest list, with spellings corrected, gets our first prize of *$200;* second largest, *$100;* and so on—*73 cash prizes,* amounting to *$1000.*

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is an original feature of Godey's—unique, fascinating, instructive. *It is absolutely fair to all*—no catches, no tricks, nothing to conceal or explain. Any one who can detect misspellings of common English words has a fair opportunity to win from *$5* to *$200.* How do we do it? Your careful reading adds more than $1,000 a month to the value of our advertising space. Full particulars in *May Godey's.*

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Now on Sale.

War Ships of Our Navy

32 pages of handsome full-page pictures of all our notable battle ships and cruisers. This feature of the May number is alone more than worth the price; but, as an additional attraction, we begin

A NEW SERIAL STORY BY **Maria Louise Pool**

The new story, "A Golden Sorrow," has all of Miss Pool's charm of telling. Godey's for May is rich besides in short stories and illustrated articles. *10 cents, $1.00 a year.* Get from your newsdealer or write to

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We cannot wave our hands in the air and produce a suit of clothes. We cannot and do not pretend to do impossible things; but we can and we do, and we will sell you clothing from 10 to 20 per cent. less than you can possibly buy it in Boston or in any store in this section.

Nothing mysterious about our end of it. Nothing to keep secret. Nothing to hide. The rents in Boston are $2,000 to $25,000 a year. Think of it; see what a large proportion of the profits must go for rent alone. Our rent is $12 00 a week. Why can't we sell for less, if we can buy as close.

One advantage in trading with us is that we will pay you back your money if you can do better or are not satisfied. Another is you can always feel sure you pay us just as much as your friend—but no more or no less—for we have but one price.

You must have a beam in your eye if you do not take the advantages we offer.

We have all wool Covert Overcoats at **$4 48**

Better ones than are sold in Boston for $10 for **7 50**

All silk lined ones for **9 98**

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Full indego Blue Serges, all wool Scotches in Browns and Grays . **7 50**

All the different style suits made for $8.50, $9.00, $9.50, $9.85 and upwards to $16.50.

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Nice dress Pants from $1.98 to $5.00.

Fancy Vestee Suits, ages 3 to 8 . . **98c**
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White Laundered Shirts, guaranteed full size, double stitched, at Hundreds for 48c., 75c., 88c., 98c. **45c**

Neckwear sold everywhere for 25c. Our price **12½c**
Dozens and dozens at 24c., and the best you have ever seen, in all shapes, ... **48c**

Suspenders, 15c., 24c., and 48c.

Golf Hose, 24c., 48c., 75c., 98c.

Medium weight Underwear that cannot be bought today for lesss than 39c., our price **24c**

Custom Pants, $3.25 to $7.00.

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Perfect fit guaranteed, Motormen's, Conductor's, and Policemen's Uniforms, $9.38, $9.75, $11.13, $13.75, $14.50, that we defy any one to beat.

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LATEST.

3 o'clock.

PRIZE WITH MONEY.

The Terror Captures a Valuable one.

Key West, April 28—The United States cruiser Terror made a good capture this morning, taking the Spanish steamship Duido bound for Havana with provisions and Spanish money. The Duido attempted to run away, and it was necessary for the Terror to fire several shot, It was not until the pilot house was carried away that she surrendered.

Columbia Off.

Boston, April 28—The U. S. Cruiser Columbia, which laid at anchor off Hull all night and used her search lights, weighed anchor this morning and put to sea.

Strength Tested.

Washington, April 28—A member of the board of strategy states that the purpose of Admiral Sampson in storming the fortifications at Matanzas was to ascertain the strength and number of the batteries.

No information of the bombardment had been received by the War department at noon.

Out to Sea.

Eastport, Maine, April 28 — The Cruiser Minneapolis put to sea this morning.

In Fighting Array.

Madrid April 28— The government has been notified that its ships have taken fighting position to repulse Com. Dewey's United States squadron.

Scarcity of Coal.

Washington, April 28—The government has dispatches that the Cape Verde Spanish fleet has not sailed. It further learns that it is unable to get all the coal it wants.

Portugal Allied with Spain.

Lisbon, April 28—It is officially announced here that the Portugal government has stopped all telegraphic news in relation to warship from her ports. This will prevent the United States getting any information concerning the Spanish fleet at the Cape Verde islands.

New Hampshire Quota.

Concord, N. H., April 28—The New Hampshire quota is being mustered in here, and will then go into camp at Portsmouth.

At Gibraltar.

Gibraltar, April 28 — A Spanish torpedo boat is hovering about in the strait, evidently lying in wait for American vessels.

More Guns for Boston.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 28—Affairs are very active at the navy yard here. Orders have been received to ship 9-inch guns to Boston for coast defence.

Spain Confident.

Madrid, April 28—Perfect confidence is expressed here as to the outcome of the war.

Bombardment.

Boston, April 28— A special to the Traveler says that Commmander Sampson of the U. S. squadron has been given permission to bombard any Cuban port. It is expectd there will be further demonstrations against Matanzas.

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Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. *Trial size free.* At all druggists

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☞ *Private Room for Ladies.* ☜

Parties not requiring meals, can have a nice cold lunch served at short notice.

Quincy, March 30. 1m

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

Over 200 assembled Wednesday night at the M. E. Church, East Weymouth, at the invitation of the Ladies' Social Circle, to extend a hearty welcome to the new pastor, Rev. A. W. Kingsly and Mrs. Kingsly. The vestry was elaborately decorated with flags and cut flowers and potted plants presenting a very pretty picture. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Cushing assisted in receiving.

A fine programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental selections was interspersed. Among the artists were: Mrs. George W. Baker, Mrs. E. E. Orr, Mrs. Wallace Pratt, Mr. Will Pratt, Mr. Stephen Pratt, Mr. Stephen Burgoyne, accompanist. A collation of cake and ices was served.

There will be played at the Rink Saturday night a benefit game for the East Weymouth polo team.

The Ladie's Social Union of the Unitarian church, East Weymouth, held an enjoyable supper in the church parlors Wednesday evening.

The Ladie's Social Circle of the Third Universalist Church, North Weymouth, held a pleasant social and supper in the church parlors Wednesday evening.

Charles Phelan of East Weymouth, Dartmouth, '00 will appear in the operetta "Lend me Five Shilling," to be presented by the Dartmouth Boys at Fogg's opera house, South Weymouth, Friday evening.

INTOXICATING.

Mangs Fined for Selling Hoffmann Drops.

The case against Charles Mang of Quincy for selling intoxicating liquor caused considerable interest in the Quincy court this morning, as the liquor alleged to be sold was Hoffmann drops.

Matt Johnson testified that on April 19, he called upon Mangs and purchased six bottles of Hoffmann drops, for which he paid 25 cents a bottle. On April 24 he again visited Mang's house and purchased two bottles. When asked what effect the drinking of the drops had, Johnson said it made them drunk.

Dr. F. E. Jones of the Board of Health testified that he was familiar with Hoffmann drops. They were composed of 325 parts to a thousand, of ether, 650 parts alcohol and 25 parts ether oil. It was very intoxicating, much more so than whiskey. It had bad effect upon the kidneys. It was used for medical purposes as a heart stimulant, a dose being 5 drops to a teaspoonful.

Inspector Ferguson testified that on Sunday, April 25, accompanied by Chief Litchfield, Officers Bradley, Barry, Morrissey and Sandberg he raided the premises occupied by Mangs and seized fifteen bottles of the Hoffmann drops. Mangs admitted to the officers that he had been selling the drops for six months and he would sell a man all he wanted. The Hoffmann drops is a national drink among the Finlanders and its effect is bad, it makes them look wild eyed and intoxicated; in fact a kind of crazy appearance.

Mangs admitted selling the drops and thought it was all right to do so.

Mangs was fined $50 on each complaint. He appealed.

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Ladies', Men's and Children's Fast Black Seamless Hose, double sole and heel, 20c., at 10c.

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Children's School Shoes Our Specialty.

Soft soles, 15c., 25c.

Spring Heels, all sizes, Black and Tans, 50c., 65c., 75c. and $1.

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New Idea Fashion Patterns, 10c.

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Special Bargains in Kitchen Furnishings.

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THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

A cold rain.

Unsettled weather through Friday with occasional rain.

The city is full of Daughters of th Revolution this afternoon.

The section of the sewer on Bigelow street may be completed this week.

There will be a meeting of the Fragment society in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday afternoon, May 4, at two o'clock. The ladies who are to serve on the supper committee on Wednesday, May 18th, are requested to be present at this meeting.

At an adjourned meeting of the First Presbyterian congregation Wednesday evening, it was voted to make some necessary repairs and improvements, and a committee consisting of Messrs. Neil McFadyen, W. F. McCalder and Peter W. Dackers was appointed to report plans and estimates at a meeting to be held May 25.

There was a good party at the Granite City club on Wednesday evening, and a pleasant time was enjoyed. The first whist prize was taken by Mrs. Edward Everett Jameson, wife of Councilman Jameson of Wollaston; and the second prize by the excellent whist player, Mrs. George W. Jones. After a delightful hour at the tables, ice cream, cake, etc. were enjoyed.

The committee having charge of the decorating of the altar of the Wollaston Unitarian church—Miss Marion Faunce Taylor, Miss Mabel Fairbanks, Mrs. Clarence W. Packard, Miss Caroline Holmes,—gave a Cinderella whist party of nine tables at the residence of Mrs. Clarence W. Packard on Brook street, on Wednesday evening. The ladies and also the Cinderella prize was taken by Mrs. Joseph G. Spear of Braintree; the gentleman's prize went to Mr. Edmond S. Talyor.

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WANTED—12 Carpenters at Squantum. Apply at 4 Hillside, West Quincy.
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April 28. 3t

WANTED—Two sunny chambers (with use of bath) and board, in Quincy Centre. MRS. POLLOCK, 16 Bigelow street.
Quincy, April 27. tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. W. W. OSBORNE, No. 2 Bigelow street, Quincy.
April 26. 3t

WANTED—A man or strong boy, half a day a week through the summer to mow a lawn and care for place. Apply at the Ledger office, Quincy. lp—tf

WANTED—Position in grocery or clothing store in Quincy, or any situation where an educated, active, honest and skilful young man will be appreciated. Best of references. Address B, Ledger, Quincy, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—We want good, reliable men to sell our high grade nursery stock. No experience necessary. Liberal salary or commission. Active men can secure permanent employment at good pay. Address W. D. CHASE & CO., Geneva, N. Y.
March 5. 2m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Meadow brook but little used and in good repair. Apply to MRS. EMMA LARK, 2 Copeland street.
Quincy, April 28. 3t

HORSES FOR SALE—Three young, large bay horses, weight from 1400 to 1600 lbs. each, at 66 Newport avenue, cor. Elmwood avenue, Wollaston, Mass. Enquire at the house or at Room 33 Equitable Building, Boston, Mass.
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TO LET—Small cottage to let off Mill street. Apply to A. PINEL, Mill street, or 194 Granite street.
Quincy, April 28. tf

TO LET—A desirable tenement of seven rooms with bath in a good neighborhood, No. 16 Bigelow street. Apply to F. F. PRESCOTT, 14 Bigelow street, or at Ledger office.
April 27. tf

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms, No. 12 Newcomb street; possession given May 1. Inquire of C. A. SPEAR, 7 Newcomb street.
Quincy, April 27. 6t

TO LET—For lodge room purposes, the hall in French's building, which has been recently refurnished for that purpose. Apply to WILLIAM E. MORRISSEY at the Police Station, or to JOSEPH HARRIS.
Quincy, April 26. 6t

TO LET—Two tenements of five rooms each, on Park St., Penn's Hill. Apply to MABEL E. ADAMS, 42 Franklin street, or GEO. H. BROWN, Adams Building.
Quincy, April 5. tf

TO LET—Harbor Light Cottage and stable, corner lot, situated on Bay View avenue, Houghs Neck. Apply, G. F. WILSON & CO., 108 Hancock street, Quincy. mar17-tf

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Cottage house with modern improvements.
Farm with house and outbuildings in perfect repair.
Tenement, city water, 59 North street.
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Half house, 5 rooms, No. 11 Field street, $8 per month.
Half House, 3 rooms, 8 Canal street, $6 per month.
Tenement, 3 rooms, 15 Kidder street, $4.50 per month.
Half house, 5 rooms, 19 Kidder street, $7 per month.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, $4 to $6 per month.
Tenement and stable, 28 Howard street, $5 per month.
Stable at Quincy Neck, $2.50 per month.
Room 12 Washington street, $5 per month.
Stable, 3 stalls, 30 School street, $4 per month.
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Wharf, office and Blacksmith shop at Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street, $4 per month.
Land to rent and pasturage.
Gravel, sand, loam and stone for sale.
For particulars inquire of
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SUCCESSFUL BOMBARDMENT.

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ond, Colonel Charles F. Woodward of the Sixth, Colonel William A. Pew, Jr., of the Eighth and Colonel Frederick B. Bogan of the Ninth regiments.

After Yachts.

London, April 28.—A dispatch from Cadiz says: "The new torpedo boat destroyer, Destructor, accompanied by the torpedo boats, Barcelo, Habana and Retamosa, sailed Wednesday eastward for Tarifa and Ceuta with the intention, it is believed, of capturing the American yachts now in the Mediterranean.

Has Raised a Storm.

Topeka, April 28.—Governor Leedy took action yesterday which practically disarms the state national guard, and there is every indication that Kansas will have no troops ready for service outside the state for several weeks. It is clearly the purpose of the administration to "turn down" the state militia, and the three regiments from Kansas must be made up largely of raw recruits. The governor telegraphed to the captain of every organization directing that all army clothing and equipage belonging to the state or federal government be forwarded at once to the adjutant general in Topeka. This step in effect disarms the militia, and has raised a storm throughout Kansas. Following this action Leedy named five recruiting officers, assigning them by congressional districts, and these officers will enroll the Kansas volunteers.

Willing to Be Substitute.

Fremont, O., April 28.—Captain H. G. Stahl, late of the Third Ohio cavalry, and who is an expert swordsman, has sent a challenge to Lieutenant Carranza of the Spanish legation to fight a duel in place of Fitzhugh Lee and Captain Sigsbee, who have already been challenged by Carranza.

WAR REVENUE.

Eloquent Iowa Congressman Causes the Women to Shed Tears.

Washington, April 28.—The night session of the house was devoted to brief speeches by members who were unable to secure time during the day to discuss the bill for war revenue. Many of the speakers only had time to ask permission to extend their remarks in the record. Only two Republicans spoke. The Democrats and Populists opposed the bond proposition.

During the day sitting Mr. Dingley emphasized the necessity of united action in support of the measure in order not only to impress Spain but the countries of Europe with the profound conviction that the American congress and the American people stood shoulder to shoulder without regard to party in the determination to prosecute to a successful termination the war we had undertaken.

"We propose," said Mr. Bailey in supporting an income tax, "to tax the rich men now rather than to mortgage the energies of the poor men for coming generations." He declared that no question was ever settled until it was settled rightly. He felt that the decision of the court was wrong, and for one he would have another case passed upon in the belief that the court might reverse its decision. He made this statement, he said, without in any way reflecting upon the court. The court upon the occasion of its decision in 1894 had hung in the balance. One of the justices had changed his opinion within a month. The decision had been rendered by a court divided five to four. That demonstrated that it is still an open question.

Mr. Dolliver of Iowa said: "The president of the United States has kept his course, refusing to be coerced or driven or turned aside, calm in the approbation of his own conscience and grateful for the confidence of men of sense. From the day he entered upon his great responsibility he has kept before his face one supreme and ultimate thing, the liberty of Cuba, and with it the peace and happiness of his own country. The world will hold in increasing honor that brave and kindly man who in the midst of an unexampled clamor, his lips sealed by the very nature of his duty, has had the moral heroism, while the smallest chance remained, to stand as the magistrate of a christian people exercising the influence of his office for an honorable peace.

"We cannot stop now to put forward a claim to be reckoned in the coinage of a bankrupt treasury for the noble ship which lies today broken and dismantled in the most infamous harbor of all the seas. We do not know how to find any paltry calculation the equivalent of human lives. We will not betray our dead. The nation of America, in the fear of God counting all the cost, exacts from Spain indemnity in full for the abuses of the past—not the spoil of subjugated provinces, but the emancipation of an oppressed race; not the ransom of besieged cities, but the nobler satisfaction of raising the flag of a free commonwealth, to keep watch with tender gratitude forever above the dust of the unforgotten heroes of the Maine."

While Mr. Dolliver was speaking many of the ladies in the galleries wept, and when he concluded his brilliant peroration there was not a dry eye in the vast hall. The demonstration which followed continued for several minutes.

Mr. Sayers (Dem., Tex.) in a 10-minute speech said that the bill proposed to place at the disposal of the government $690,000,000 in addition to the ordinary revenues. The expenses of the civil war in 1864 were $1,100,000,000; but the government was then supporting an army of 2,000,000 men and fleets containing four times as many warships as we now had. While no one would go farther than he in the support of the government, with the facts before him, he felt convinced that $690,000,000 was vastly too large a sum



CONGRESSMAN SAYERS.

to appropriate. It was dangerous. The corridors of the capitol already swarmed with men seeking fat contracts. The president would be more than human if he could resist their importunities. Then discussing the provisions of the bill, he asked why the taxes were to be exclusively levied against the poor. Why did not the railroads bear part of the burden? Why did not the colossal Standard Oil company bear its share? The burden should fall equally upon all interests.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 28.—"Never before, in the history of the world," today's Advertiser says, "has a nation intervened in behalf of an oppressed people with motives so free from any taint of selfishness and so thoroughly in accord with the principles of right, justice and humanity. In that single statement, the whole situation today can be summed up."

The Globe contends that "in the past century and a quarter no people have made more lavish sacrifices for their nationality than the Americans. The pledge of the fathers is kept by the sons, and their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor forever are at the call of their country."

The Journal believes that "prudence demands that now that the gates of Boston are well locked the utmost vigor be shown in fortifying Gloucester, Salem, New Bedford and the other ports of Massachusetts."

BOSTON MATTERS.

Middlesex Club Honored the Memory of General Grant Last Night.

Boston, April 28.—The Middlesex club, the largest of the local dining clubs, observed the birthday of General Grant last night with patriotic speeches on the war by General Oliver O. Howard, Professor Williams of Brown university, Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana and by members of the club. The enthusiasm which pervaded all the remarks found a welcomed answer, and every sentiment was applauded. Ex-Governor J. Q. A. Brackett, who presided, said that the conflict that opened in April, 1898, will triumph as did the conflicts which opened in April, 1861, and April, 1775. Professor Williams of Brown spoke of Grant as divinely commissioned. He disregarded all the rules of military books and worked out better ones.

Captain Quinton, recruiting officer, having found himself unable to handle the crowds of applicants at the Kneeland street station, has applied to the board of aldermen for permission to use Faneuil hall for a few days, and permission has been granted him to do so.

The question of the price of milk is still undecided, even though the Milk Producers' association had a long session with the contractors yesterday. The prediction is that the wholesalers will declare war on the contractors.

Warren Brown, aged 35 years, employed by the Boston Terminal company at the new union station, was run over by a gravel train and received injuries which caused his death before he could be carried to the hospital.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 28.—A bill was reported to the senate yesterday to amend the law relating to the protection of children, which was immediately engrossed under suspension of the rules. Senator Irwin explained that it was to permit children under 15 to dance at a festival for the benefit of the Maine survivors.

A bill to authorize insurance loss by bombardment was passed to be engrossed by the senate.

The committee on harbors and public lands will report favorably the bill providing that the Graylock public reservation shall be established in Berkshire county. The bill carries an appropriation of $25,000, and provides for a commission to serve without pay. The members are to be appointed by the governor.

The house of representatives rejected the bill carrying an appropriation of $65,000 for the suppression of tuberculosis among cattle. This practically legislates the cattle commission out of office.

When the senate reached the wide-tire bill, Senator Irwin moved an amendment to provide for rubber shoes for all horses and cattle traveling on public highways. This was rejected, 9 to 17. After adopting or rejecting other amendments, the bill was reected, 14 yes, 15 no.

Cashier Killed Himself.

New Bedford, Mass., April 28.—When Lemuel T. Terry, cashier of the Mechanics' National bank, was found dead in the banking rooms Saturday night, rumors were immediately spread that he had committed suicide. These rumors were not confirmed at the time, and a story that Mr. Terry had shot himself was peremptorily denied. It has since developed, however, that Mr. Terry's death was due to suicide, and the death certificate will show that death resulted from the self-administration of cyanide of potassium.

As the stories have gone during the week, the amount of his defalcation has been about $125,000.

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NICHOLS WAS A WIZARD

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That and Poor Playing Defeated the Quakers.

Hamilton's Work One of the Features of the Game.

Philadelphia, April 28.—With Willis partially on the sick list, though ready to go in yesterday, Manager Selee put Nichols in to pitch ahead of his turn, simply to clinch the game, as he expressed it. "Nick" has said for several days that he was not feeling in shape, but with a strong wind favoring him, he turned them over the plate so effectively that the heavy-hitting Phillies only got one run and four hits as the spoils of battle. Nichols has now won three out of four games in which he has pitched, and his opponents have scored less than two runs to a game in the four.



CHARLES A. NICHOLS.

It was a walk for the Bostons to win the game, as they gave Nichols grand support in the field. Dunkle had great speed, but the Bostons hit the ball closer to the ground than did the Phillies, and consequently they were not handicapped so much by the gale which was blowing in the teeth of the batsmen. Hamilton gave a wonderful exhibition of batting. His work was so clean that it was easily the feature of the contest. Two singles, a two-bagger and the prettiest kind of a bunt hit were the havoc he wrought in five times at the bat. He ran bases like a deer, and fielded well besides. "Chick" Stahl also had a good eye, and Tenney lined out two good singles.

Dunkle led the Phillies at the bat, but the four heavy hitters who led off could not gather in a hit among them. In spite of the exceedingly high and bitterly cold wind, there were flashes that aroused the chilled crowd to considerable enthusiasm. Duffy gave a good all-round exhibition in the field, but his catch of Lajoie's terrific liner in the sixth inning was a hair-raiser. The hit looked good for three bases, but Duffy judged it well, and the best part of the play was that he could hold the ball after he got to it. Score:

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f.	5	3	4	4	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	4	1	2	6	2	0
Long, s. s.	4	1	1	6	4	0
Duffy, l. f.	4	0	0	4	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	3	1	1	1	1	0
Stahl, r. f.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Lowe, 2 b.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Bergen, c.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Nichols, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	6	10	27	11	0

Philadelphias.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Cooley, c. f.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Douglas, 1 b.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Delehanty, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2 b.	4	0	1	3	3	0
Thompson, r. f.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Cross, s. s.	3	1	1	8	4	0
Abbatch, 3 b.	3	0	0	2	0	2
Boyle, c.	3	0	0	4	2	2
Dunkle, p.	3	0	2	1	1	0
Totals	30	1	5	27	12	4

Bostons .....2 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0—6
Philadelphias 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned run—Boston, 1. Stolen bases—Hamilton, 2; Tenney, Long, Collins, Cross. Two-base hits—Hamilton, Collins, Dunkle. Double play—Long and Tenney. First base on balls—Off Nichols, 3; off Dunkle, 4. Struck out—By Dunkle, 2. Wild pitch—Dunkle. Left on bases—Bostons, 6; Philadelphias, 5. Time—1:55. Umpires—Curry and Snyder.

In St. Louis—The locals and the Pittsburgs played two games yesterday. The visitors succeeded in landing both games, 9 to 3 and 11 to 2.

In Baltimore—The Brooklyns outbatted the orioles, played without an error and won, 7 to 4. A high wind and low temperature made a bad day for ball playing, and kept the attendance down, only 824 being present.

In Cincinnati—The Cincinnatis took yesterday's game from the Chicagos by hitting at opportune times, 5 to 3.

In Louisville—Pitcher Ehret won his own game yesterday by his batting. Young was substituted for Pitcher McAllister of the Clevelands during the eighth inning. Left Fielder Clark of the home team was put out of the game in the second inning by Umpire Woods for objecting too strongly to a decision. Score: 9 to 8.

In Washington—The New Yorks had a walkover. The Washington pitchers could not pitch and the fielders could not field. The game was called on account of darkness. Score: New Yorks, 20; Washingtons, 6.

In Cambridge—The Harvards defeated the Dartmouths by the score of 13 to 7. The Harvard players batted Patey at will and won easily, though allowing four runs in the last inning. The game was marred by the questionable tactics of the Dartmouth players.

In Meriden—Meridens, 3; Springfields, 7.

In Waterbury—Pawtuckets, 11; Waterburys, 6.

In Danbury—Torontos, 12; Danburys, 11.

In New Haven—The Yales defeated the Browns yesterday, 9 to 3. Patton of the Brown team was taken out of the game in the sixth inning, suffering from a broken or disiocated collar bone, caused by Sullivan, the Yale catcher, running into him at first base when Patton was standing on the bag trying to take in the ball.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Martin W. Frolund to Richard D. Chase, dated May 15, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 736, page 37, for breach of the condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold by public auction on the premises in that part of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, called Montclair, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on FRIDAY, the 13th day of May, A. D., 1898, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows, viz:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called Montclair, and comprising the lot numbered thirty-one (31) as shown on the plan dated March 16, 1892, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 664. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly on lot thirty (30), ninety (90) feet; easterly on land of owners unknown fifty (50) feet; southerly on lot thirty-two (32), ninety (90) feet; westerly on Montclair avenue, fifty (50) feet and containing 4,500 square feet of land. Being the same premises conveyed to me by Francis B. McNamara, deed dated March 27th, 1895, and to be recorded herewith. This conveyance is made subject to certain restrictions, as referred to in said deed."

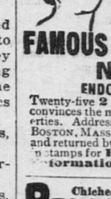
Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid or outstanding taxes, assessments or tax sales, if any such there be.

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M. except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11; 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

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r 7 26 ad		7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
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r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

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April 22. 3m

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ALL MINDS ON DEWEY'S FLEET.

Result of the Movement on Manila Anxiously Awaited.

Successful Outcome Regarded as Certain.

Expected to Reach the Philippines Today or Saturday.

President Determined on Continuing the Work of Relieving the Non-Combatants In Cuba — Seizure of Former Consignments For Soldiery Arouses His Indignation—Matanzas to Be Made the Base of Operations on the Island In Conjunction With the Insurgents.

Washington, April 29.—The next news of importance is expected to come from the other side of the world, where Commodore Dewey's fleet is hourly approaching the ships of Spain. There is some doubt whether Admiral Montejo will venture an actual engagement with the American forces. Should he risk a meeting there can be little question of the result, for no one of the six cruisers of his fleet can compare with the least effective of Commodore Dewey's force. The men are a pitiful lot. His vessels are old and barnacled, and they will be an easy prey to the American guns. The gunboats in attendance on them are hardly to be feared.

The next news from Dewey is likely to be of a victory at sea or of the capture of Manila, which will thenceforth be used as a base of supplies. Secretary Long said yesterday that he did not expect to hear from Dewey before tomorrow, but it might be that a decisive action is going on even at this moment. It may be, too, that the first news which comes from Manila will be of a Spanish victory. This will have to be discounted, for the Spanish have control of the cable landing there, and they are not averse to giving any interpretation that they desire.

Nothing will induce the president to send a fleet across the Atlantic unless it is the only means of ending the war. The danger to be feared from the Spanish fleet attacking the cities of the United States is more imaginary than real. So far as known the Spanish ships are still on the other side of the Atlantic, and apparently are well content to stay there. If Portugal forces them to leave the Cape de Verdes the ships may come over here, but if they should return to the Canaries it would not cause much surprise in Washington.

Even if they do come over here the damage they can inflict on our coast, in the opinion of many of the strategists, has been greatly exaggerated. When the vessels finally do come the navy department will promptly know it and will as promptly send vessels to meet the hostile ships.

Practical difficulties and new information may compel changes in the details of the president's plan, but it will be carried out. It is evident that the Spanish military authorities in Matanzas will not permit the American Red Cross to land and distribute the supplies for the reconcentrados which the State of Texas is carrying, and that our ships will have to take and our forces hold the city of Matanzas if the supplies are to be landed and distributed there. The silencing of the Matanzas batteries opens up a Cuban port for the landing of American forces and American supplies, whenever the invasion of the island is determined on. It offers a way for American troops to close in upon Havana and bring the siege there to a sudden close fatal to the further continuance of Spanish military power. As it is the present purpose of the administration to make Matanzas or its neighborhood the base of operations for supplying both the Cuban soldiers and the Cuban destitute, with the idea that it may be made the temporary capital of the Cubans, from which General Gomez can direct the operations of the Cuban army, if it turns out to be what it is represented to be in the way of a fighting force. It is expected that it will be taken by our forces as soon as the troops are ready, in connection with the landing party, under the guns of the fleet, to occupy the town.

The Cuban soldiers, armed and equipped and furnished with regular supplies, co-operating with a small body of regulars, the cowboy regiments and other picked volunteers, particularly the proposed organization of southerners who have had the yellow fever, and are supposed to be immune, would be able to do all that the administration hopes to do during the rainy season in Cuba.

There will be inevitable delay in organizing our expeditionary force and in getting arms and ammunition to the Cubans and bringing their forces together, but the administration is working to hasten as much as possible the beginning of this movement, even if all our forces cannot be landed at once.

The war department has chartered eight large steamers of an average capacity of 2000 tons and able to carry from 500 to 1200 passengers each. These are to be used for the conveyance of the first military expedition to Cuba. The price paid is from $10,000 to $15,000 for the 30 days for which they are to be engaged. They will be taken charge of be the quartermaster's department at the earliest possible moment.

General Shafter, in command of the United States troops now concentrated at New Orleans, has been in consultation with the officials as to the execution of plans of the campaign, but the orders given him cannot be made public.

No information of the grounding of one of our warships, which Blanco reports, has been received either by the president or the secretary of the navy An examination of the best Cuban map of the war department fails to show any point on the coast called Dimas, the nearest approach to it being Point Diamente on the northern coast of Pinar Del Rio province, a short distance west of Havana and in the blockaded zone. News from Admiral Dewey and the Pacific squadron is not expected before Saturday.

France Declares Neutrality.

Washington, April 29.—A decree of neutrality between the United States and Spain has been issued by France. The state department has also been informed that Mexico, Argentine Republic, Korea and Belgium have proclaimed neutrality. Korea's neutrality is considered important, owing to her proximity to the Philippines. Germany has not been heard from, but this causes no apprehension, owing to the strong assurances that she will observe strict neutrality between the two belligerents. The apprehension as to Portugal's course was considerably removed by the call of Viscount Thyrso, who gave assurances that Portugal would remain strictly neutral. Attention is now being centered on the course of Austria. Her delay in declaring neutrality causes no inconvenience, as she has no ports at which Spanish ships can take refuge; but it discloses that Austria's strong tendencies are with Spain.

A Governor Volunteers.

Atlanta, Ga., April 29.—Governor W. Y. Atkinson has tendered President McKinley, through the Georgia delegation



W. Y. ATKINSON.

in congress, his services as a volunteer. The delegation will ask that he be made a brigadier general. If the appointment is made Atkinson will resign as governor of Georgia.

The Massachusetts Quota.

Boston, April 29.—Yesterday afternoon Governor Wolcott issued an order, in pursuance to the call of the United States government, designating the regiments to make up the bay state quota of soldiers. The regiments called are the Second, Sixth, Eighth and Ninth infantry, and all four are ready. The colonels of each regiment anticipated the call, and had the regiments brought up to the regulation war footing. The Sixth claims the honor of having been the first to offer its services under the governor's call. There was something of sentiment in this, for the Sixth was the first in Massachusetts to answer the call in '61. Captain Williams of the colored company, I, was the first to place his men at the disposal of Colonel Woodward.

The commanding officers of these regiments are required forthwith, but without assembling any portion of their comrades, to cause an individual canvass to be made the subordinate officers and enlisted men to ascertain and make careful record of those desiring to volunteer.

Legislative provision will be made to recruit what is left of the state militia, so as to bring it up to its full strength, with the understanding that the volunteers shall assume their former places. The state militia will then be used for coast defence whenever the volunteers are ordered to the front.

These plans will cut out the various regiments now recruiting with the intention of offering their services to the governor. The only

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WITH BOND PROVISION.

Senator Allison Says Revenue Bill Will Pass.

Sale of Securities Quick Way of Raising Money.

Needs of the Government Too Pressing to Admit of Delay.

Washington, April 29.—The senate committee on finance will meet Monday to take up the war revenue bill. The members of the committee do not anticipate any delay in getting the bill out of the committee, and it can be stated that there is no thought of eliminating a bond provision in order to secure the expeditious passage of the other portions of the bill.

Senator Allison, in reply to a question, said: "We shall certainly not abandon a bond provision, because ample provision must be made to carry on the war, and this cannot be done by taxation alone immediately. With 125,000 extra soldiers already called for and others to come, the government will have to be supplied with the sinews of war. The demonstrations being made will require a large sum. We have already practically expended the $50,000,000 appropriated for the defense of the country, and it would not be wise for congress to adjourn and leave Washington with war existing without providing the necessary means to carry it on, or without making provision for the funds from which to meet the demand of the appropriations therefor when made. We shall also increase the revenues, but there must be means of raising money before the funds which will be secured from the revenue features of the bill can be made available. The bill will pass the senate with a bond provision included, nor will there be any great delay in its passage in my judgment."

Senator Butler has prepared the following resolution: "That the bonded indebtedness of the United States should not be increased, but that the necessary means to carry on the war against Spain should be raised by increasing the revenues of the government, including a tax on incomes, and by issuing silver certificates against the seigniorage now in the treasury, and by such additional issues of United States legal tender notes as may be necessary."

Foreign governments, through their representatives in Washington, are beginning to show much concern over that feature of the bill which increases the tonnage tax on transatlantic shipping to 20 cents per ton. It is said this increase is about 800 percent, the present rate being about 3 cents per ton, and that nearly the entire burden of the increase falls on the transatlantic shipping of Great Britain, Germany, France and one or two other nations. A leading diplomatic official stated that, roughly speaking, the Atlantic trade was carried on by about 100 American steamships and about 4000 British, French, German and other foreign steamships, so that the heavy tax would be practically insignificant as against American steamships, while it would be very onerous against foreign shipping. A transatlantic liner of 10,000 tons would pay at 20 cents per ton $2000 every time she entered an American port. In other respects the bill attracts little attention in foreign quarters, as the main increase of taxation is on articles of domestic consumption, while duties on foreign imports remain practically unchanged.

Mr. Bailey's Law School.

Washington, April 29.—The night session of the house was occupied by brief speeches on the revenue bill, many of these being pegs upon which members under the leave to print could hang speeches in the Congressional Record. In the progress of the day's discussion Mr. Payne ridiculed the proposition of the minority to raise $100,000,000 from an income tax in the face of the supreme court decision, and expressed his astonishment that Mr. Bailey had argued that the beer tax imposed by the bill was a direct tax and a tax on personal property. He called attention to the fact that the tax was on the sale and consumption of beer.

Mr. Bailey interrupted to ask if Mr. Payne was a lawyer. "I ask in all seriousness," said he; "he does not talk like one."

"He was not brought up in the law school of the gentleman from Texas," replied Mr. Payne.

"It were better if he had been," retorted Mr. Bailey.

"I care nothing how we provide the sinews of war," said Mr. McClellan; "that they are the least burdensome, but taxation there must be. The step we have taken has already cut down our revenues. All our estimates are gone. We need men, bullets and cash. Let us move up like brothers. Let there be no this side or that side, no Republican and no Democrat. Let us fold up our campaign speeches and back up the step we have taken by giving cash without reserve."

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Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	48	51	70
Wednesday	45	50	52
Thursday	42	60	48
Friday	43	66	60
Saturday	—	62	70

New Advertisements Today.

Silk flags given away—D. E. Wadsworth & Co.
Real estate at auction—C. H. Johnson.
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Grand Concert.

The fourth concert of the Union Choral Society at Braintree Town Hall, Wednesday evening, was all that was claimed for it, a grand concert. With such an accomplished and energetic conductor as Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard, the chorus was of necessity strong confident and musical. The chorus of male voices was also a prominent feature. The artists who assisted the chorus were great favorites. Walter E. Loud, the talented violinist of Quincy was down for two numbers, but gave in all four selections, two being from his own compositions. Miss Goullaud's very sweet voice called forth an encore. Miss Clarke, Mr. Dodd and Mr. Sheppard were at their best, but the storm of approval was showered upon Mr. Kerr, the bass, who was recalled twice on one number. At the conclusion of the programme the audience united with the chorus in singing "America." Several from Quincy attended the concert.

The Squantum Inn.

Ground was broken Wednesday for the new Squantum Inn at Squantum Park, right at the terminus of the electric railway, Squantum Head. The contract has been given to Mr. Billings, who has built so many fine residences on Presidents' hill. The inn with the railway waiting room on adjoining lot will cost about $10,000 dollars. The inn will be opened June 17 under first class management.

Walker & Kimball, the architects of the Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha, are the architects of the inn and waiting-room. This well-known firm have given much time and thought to the work and the result will be a surprise when completed. A large open fire-place to be built of field stone will be a feature of the entrance hall of the inn.

Mr. Billings will also build two fine houses at Squantum Park near the inn to be open for occupancy early in the season. The Metropolitan Park Commissioners are now making the survey of the land from Atlantic to Squantum Head for the boulevard, which will pass the grounds of the inn, which when completed will be a most attractive spot for fish and game dinners, being less than half an hour's ride from Boston.

Woman's Alliance.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Alliance was held Tuesday afternoon in the ladies' parlor of the First church. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer showed that a large amount of good work had been done by the society. The constitution was amended and the following list of officers was elected:

President, — Miss Elizabeth Johnson.

First Vice President, — Mrs. John Sanborn.

Second Vice President, —Mrs. Arthur Sproul.

Secretary, —Mrs. Wilson Marsh.

Treasurer, —Mrs. Edward Dewson.

Directors, —Mrs. Annie Pierce, Mrs. E. G. Pratt, Mrs. John Shaw, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Joseph Glover, Mrs. E. F. Carr, Mrs. E. E. Davis, Mrs. W. W. Adams.

Committee on Appeals, —Mrs. George Saville, Mrs. John O. Hall and Mrs. Charles A. Spear.

Committee on Colored Schools, —Mrs. E. C. Butler, Mrs. C. W. Ditson and Mrs. J. H. Emery.

The year just closed has been very successful from a social, literary and religious point of view.

☞ Loyal Ladies' celebrate their sixth anniversary tonight with a two act drama followed by dancing.

NOT WANTED.

Co. K and Fifth to Stay at Home.

Some of the Members Very Much Disappointed.

Would Go With Other Regiments If Permitted.

The decision reached by the Governor that only the second, sixth, eighth, and ninth regiments would be called into active service leaves the Fifth, of which Co. K is a part, out in the cold and there is much disappointment on the part of this company, that after anxiously waiting to be called out they are to be left at home as a home guard.

The decision was reached Thursday at a conference of the colonels and the adjutant general with Gov. Wolcott.

Col. J. H. Whitney of the fifth was not included in the conference and was not present.

The basis of selection was in the first place that two colonels should be taken from each brigade and next that seniority should rule.

In the Second Brigade there are three infantry orgnizations. The Ninth holds the right and the Eighth the centre, while Col. Whitney of the Fifth is the junior in that organization. But four regiments were called for and somebody had to stay at home and that is why the Fifth, one of the best regiments in the State, was not selected.

This all means that unless trouble should come to this coast that the Fifth will not be called out.

This news is received with anything but pleasure by the members of Co. K, many of whom are loudly protesting, that after all they are to be given no opportunity to go to the front and help uphold the nation's honor. However, should the war with Spain be prolonged for any length of time the boys of Co. K, may yet have a chance to show what kind of metal they are made of.

In the meantime they will put in some hard work at drilling and when the call does come none will be found more efficient on the field than the boys of Co. K.

Into Artillery.

Several of the members of Co. K, who were greatly disappointed because they were not included in the Governor's call, have learned of an opening in the First Regiment of Heavy Artillery now stationed at Fort Warren, and in fact have been urged by some of the "Heavies" to re-enlist. Among those who are seriously considering this move are Sergeant Barrett, Sergeant Crane, Corporal Mathews, Corporal Adams and others.

The patriotism and courage of these young men should not be checked, but it is likely that there will soon be further calls upon Massachusetts for troops, and that they will have all the opportunity they want to display their heroism, with credit to themselves, Co. K, the Fifth regiment and the State. To fight in defence of the New England coast might be more satisfactory than in the South or at Cuba.

No Mobilization.

It was stated authoritatively by a general officer of the staff on Thursday, says the Journal, that there would be no immediate mobilization of the militia. The Colonels selected will proceed at once to recruit their commands. It is the hope that their men of the militia will come forward and join as organizations.

If they do and the ranks are quickly filled a camp of rendezovous will be opened at once on the camp ground at Framingham, but it will be a United State camp, and not a State affair. It is understood that the Governor could not promise the colonels anything with regard to their return into the militia with their organizations should the latter volunteer as bodies, at present, because it would require legislation, and it seemed too deep a problem to be decided so hastily, but he hoped that the matter might be satisfactorily evolved would receive immediate attention. The understanding with the Government is that in the case of the new volunteer regiments upon their muster into the United States service, they will be continued in Massachusetts to be utilized in the coast defence until their services are needed elsewhere.

Fort Wadsworth.

One of the best patriotic displays seen in Quincy is that at the store of D. E. Wadsworth & Co. One of their large show windows has been trimmed to represent a fort. In the foreground are two stacks of guns and several groups of cannon balls. In the background is a large bank of green over the top of which protrudes two cannons. An American flag also occupies a conspicuous place. This might well be called Fort Wadsworth.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

At the meeting of the board of Assessors this morning it was decided not to advertise the usual Assessors' notice this year. The reason for this action is that the Finance Committee have cut their appropriation. Once in three years a copy of the books of the several wards has to be made for the tax commissioners and this comes this year. In addition to this the board has considerable extra clerical work this year while the appropiation for these services has been cut $50 less than last year. If pleasant the board will commence its annual tour of the city next Monday. Messrs. Holt, Sherman and Redman will assess Wards One, Five and Six, and Messrs. Newcomb, Field and Ames will make the tour of Wards Two, Three and Four.

The meeting of the Committee on Streets called for Thursday night was not held for the reason that a quorum was not present.

The Water Commissioners met Thursday evening but adjourned early. No special business was transacted.

Julius Johnson has filed another lot of charges against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley. The first filed were in relation to the height of stacks and at the hearing last Tuesday Johnson tried to introduce testimony in relation to concealed lead pipe. This was excluded but he was told he could file additional charges covering this point if he desired, and he has done so. The new charges alleged that the inspector passed a number of jobs where concealed lead pipe was used in bath rooms. At the hearing of Tuesday it was developed that about half of the original charges made by Johnson were not from personal knowledge but what he had been told. It also appeared that the witnesses examined had been obliged to do some of their work a second time as the first job did not comply with the rules.

Capt. Kincaide of Co. K has written Mayor Sears a letter acknowledging the receipt of sixty-one blankets for the company and thanking him for them in behalf of the company.

There was no meeting of the Sewer Commissioners Thursday night. The board will however meet next Tuesday evening.

DAUGHTERS HERE.

Hospitably Entertained by Adams Chapter.

Thursday was another notable day among the many observed by Adams Chaper, Daughters of the Revolution. Although very stormy, not the usual Adams Chapter day, about fifty ladies came out from Boston on the 1.30 train. They had been attending the national convention of the Daughters in Boston on Monday and Tuesday, and the rest of the week was to be given up to sight seeing, and Thursday was set apart for Quincy.

The visitors were met at the Quincy station by a committee from the chapter and carriages were taken to First church where the Adams tomb was visited, after which a reception was held at the birthplace of John Adams from two until five. Refreshments were served. All were invited to make themselves at home and to explore the old house to their hearts' content, and this the visitors did and thoroughly enjoyed it too. Some were so enthusiastic that notwithstanding the pouring rain they went to the top of Penn's hill to see the Abigail Adams cairn erected by the chapter.

The guest book showed that many of the visitors were from long distances. Some from California, Colorado, Indiana and other western and southern states, and it was a pleasure for Adams Chapter to welcome them to its Chapter home in such an old historic house.

Since last summer when the house was restored to its old time look the Chapter has been on the lookout for suitable caretakers to live in the house to keep it in order and to show visitors about. They have had many applications but decided not to hurry as it was hard to find suitable people. A few weeks ago a soldier's widow and daughter applied and were found to be just the ones, and they have moved in. The house will soon be open to the public every day from two to five. The Chapter will also continue to entertain patriotic societies as in the past.

Adams Chapter is becoming known far and near for its hospitality and there is nothing they like better than having the old house full of guests.

After the guests had departed a few members stopped for a chat and at Mrs. Lawton's suggestion a committee waited on Capt. Kincaide to see what Adams Chapter could contribute to the comfort of Company K, should they be called to war. The matter will be brought up before the full meeting of the Chapter on Monday.

☞ Do not fail to witness the two act Drama, "Among the Breakers," tonight at Music hall, Quincy.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

The cold storm continues and everybody is geting disgusted with it.

Miss Nellie Mitchell of Billings street has been ill the past few days.

The wide tire bill was defeated in the Senate by a vote of 15 to 14. Senator Flint voted nay.

Miss Maud Williams of South Deerfield is the guest of her sister Mrs. H W. Read of Squantum street.

Miss Norman Mitchell of Ottawa, Canada, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Horton, Appleton street.

We often wonder if the man who turns the handle on the hurdy gurdy don't get tired. Some do of the music.

Pupils of Miss Lingham's grade at the Coddington school will visit the Natural History rooms in Boston on Saturday.

The silk flags which D. E. Wadsworth & Co. will give to purchasers tomorrow, are something which will be prized.

A few scattering blossoms have come on our peach and cherry trees, but, the cold weather makes them appear out of place.

Not a day last week was the noon temperature below 50 degrees. This week it has been below every day. That's the difference.

Everybody is hoping that the disagreeable weather we have been having will soon leave us and that the sun will shine once more.

An eight-page Ledger tomorrow with all the Saturday features—Social realm, fashion plate, bicycle and athletic columns, story, Christian Endeavor, humor, etc.

The railroad commissioners made a tour of the Old Colony system of the N. Y., N. H. & N. H. R. R. Thursday. They passed through West Quincy on their way to Boston at 3 o'clock.

Fensmere beach is the name selected for the new resort at Houghs Neck at the base of Great Hill. Here are to be grouped all the attractions which promise to make it a leading place for amusement.

An agent of the Boston & Maine railroad was in town this morning looking for men as brakemen and conductors for that road which is short handed owing to its men who are doing military duty. Several of the street railway employes were obtained.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip have charge of the evening meeting of the Bethany Congregational church, May 1st. All interested in church work for men are requested to be present. The subjects deal with men and the church. They will interest all. The meeting will begin promptly at 7.30.

An auction sale of real estate that will probably attract considerable attention is that advertised by Charles H. Johnson today. It is the Marsh estate at No. 162 Hancock street near Chases bakery right in the heart of the business centre of Quincy. The estate has a frontage of 58 feet and an area of three-quarters of an acre.

At the last meeting of Granite lodge, No. 193, Order of Sons of St. George it was resolved that this lodge would pay all dues or assessments required to keep any member in good standing who should enlist in the service of the United States during the present war and would also pay all death benefits in case of decease to the proper person.

C. Frank Randall has something new in the way of a stone for honeing razors. It is of chocolate color and is imported from Marburg, Austria, and is claimed to be found in the shallow stone quarries in that country, by Franz Swaty. An old razor full of nicks and dull can be sharpened in a few minutes One side is coarse and the other fine, making it far superior to the German water hone and the petrified wood stone. It is six inches long, three in width.

The Wollason Park and Norfolk Downs people living in the vicinity of the beach were in great luck on Thursday afternoon, as hundreds of cans of corn, peas, salmon, devilled ham, etc., came ashore. It is supposed that the stuff came from the wreck of the Steamer Cadet, which went ashore on Shirley Point early in the day. One drawback with the canned stuff was the entire absence of labels lindicating the contents of the cans. Immense quantities of sewage were also cast up by the terrific storm.

☞ "Among the Breakers," splendid cast of characters and very laughable sketch tonight at Music hall, Quincy.

☞ Furniture Reupholstered, mattresses made over. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

GIVEN AWAY.

A LOAD of apple and pear limbs if applied for at once.

Apply to GEO. W. PRESCOTT.
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I bought my Bicycle Suit, Shirts, Cap, etc., at the—

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and this year I find greater attractions than ever at this ever reliable store. Everything, the Latest Styles, the Lowest Prices and the *BEST* Goods.

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DON'T BUY A POOR QUALITY

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The BEST ICE

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Quincy, April 21. tf

Royal Arcanum.

John Adams Council, No. 1210 of Wollaston, at its regular meeting Monday night initiated two candidates. The degrees were conferred in a very satisfactory manner by the new degree staff assisted by the Elm Council quartette of West Somerville. The Council also adopted the following resolutions:

"John Adams Council, No. 1210, Royal Arcanum, hereby agrees to pay the dues and assessments of any member of said council who has enlisted, or shall hereafter enlist, and be mustered into the military or naval service of the United States, in the war now begun between this country and Spain, for and during the period of such service and until said member shall be discharged therefrom."

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They will stand hot, dry weather the longest of any Fertilizer or manure, keeping the grass a deep dark green, bringing in grass under trees when nothing else will; in small or large quantities, in bulk or barrels of 200 lbs. or bags of 150 lbs. each. We can deliver and spread them with a machine if desired.

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Poor Fellow!

Once a fine mechanic. Now digs in a ditch.

Drink?

No; his sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late. Now he digs at starvation wages.

If you have any trouble with your eyes, go to

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QUINCY.

HANCOCK ST.

City Hall Notice.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, April 26, 1898.

ON and after May 7, 1898, until Oct. 1, the City Hall will be closed at 12 o'clock, M., on Saturdays.

RUSSELL A. SEARS, Mayor.

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DR. RALPH M. FOGG,

DENTIST.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of the

"BOSTON VEGETABLE VAPOR."

It is claimed that, while it has the required properties of ether, chloroform, nitrous oxide gas, it lacks the disagreeable and dangerous qualities of these drugs. It is certainly a boon to suffering humanity to be relieved of the nausea too often following the administering of sedatives of the old school.—Boston Transcript.

Teeth made and repaired on Gold or Rubber base. Teeth Filling a specialty.

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Star Tea & Coffee Store

Opposite the Fountain, Quincy,

Have Just Bought the

Largest Lot of 50c.

FORMOSA TEA,

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28c. GENUINE

Mocha and Java Coffee

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You are advised to call and lay in a stock before the rise.

A Limited Quantity of

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95c. A BAG,

—: AND :—

5 lbs. Choice Creamery Butter, $1.10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of LORETTA V. THOMAS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Theodore B. Thomas of Quincy, or to some other suitable person

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of May, A. D., 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

April 15. 3t-15-22-29

We Are Not Conjurers.

We cannot wave our hands in the air and produce a suit of clothes. We cannot and do not pretend to do impossible things; but we can and we do, and we will sell you clothing from 10 to 20 per cent. less than you can possibly buy it in Boston or in any store in this section.

Nothing mysterious about our end of it. Nothing to keep secret. Nothing to hide. The rents in Boston are $2,000 to $25,000 a year. Think of it; see what a large proportion of the profits must go for rent alone. Our rent is $12 00 a week. Why can't we sell for less, if we can buy as close.

One advantage in trading with us is that we will pay you back your money if you can do better or are not satisfied. Another is you can always feel sure you pay us just as much as your friend—but no more or no less—for we have but one price.

You must have a beam in your eye if you do not take the advantages we offer.

We have all wool Covert Overcoats at	$4 48	Stiff Hats in all shades and styles . Hundreds for $1.40, $1.48, $1.75 upwards to $3.00.	95c
Better ones than are sold in Boston for $10 for	7 50	Overalls sold everywhere for 50c. at	39c
All silk lined ones for	9 98	White Laundered Shirts, guaranteed full size, double stitched, at Hundreds for 48c., 75c., 88c., 98c.	45c
We will sell you a Broad Brook Covert and guarantee you cannot equal it in this city or Boston for less than $18 or $20, for . . .	14 75	Neckwear sold everywhere for 25c. Our price . . . . . Dozens and dozens at 24c., and the best you have ever seen, in all shapes, ...	12½c 48c
Full indego Blue Serges, all wool Scotches in Browns and Grays .	7 50	Suspenders, 15c., 24c., and 48c. Golf Hose, 24c., 48c., 75c., 98c.	
All the different style suits made for $8.50, $9.00, $9.50, $9.85 and upwards to $16.50.		Medium weight Underwear that cannot be bought today for lesss than 39c., our price	24c
Black, fast, 18-oz. Clays with 20 and 22 in. trousers, ...	10 00	Custom Pants, $3.25 to $7.00. Custom Suits, $12.00 to $35.00.	
Never-rip Working Pants . . . $1.98, $1.98, $2.40, $2.50.	1 48	Perfect fit guaranteed, Motormen's, Conductor's, and Policemen's Uniforms, $9.38, $9.75, $11.13, $13.75, $14.50, that we defy any one to beat.	
Nice dress Pants from $1.98 to $5.00.			
Fancy Vestee Suits, ages 3 to 8 . . $1.48, $1.48, upwards to $5.00.	98c		

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Daytons need no repairing, nothing ever works wrong, nothing ever works loose; they are the most scientific, easiest riding, speediest and most perfect bicycle in the whole world. 1898 DAYTONS, $50.00. Another good wheel, 1898 Victor, $40 00. Columbia, Rambler, and Crawford Bicycles. Last year's models of standard wheels, $25 00 to $35.00.

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Annual Meeting Wednesday, May 4, 1898

AT 7.45 P. M.,

Room 1, Savings Bank Building.

Election of Officers.
Vote on Amendment of By-Laws.
Sale of Shares in 19th Series.
Loan of Money on Mortgages.

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Quincy, April 28—6t 1wp

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HONEST HOSIERY.

It's the only kind that's worth buying, and when you can buy stockings of this sort at these prices, it's good policy to "stock up."

Ladies', Men's and Children's Fast Black Seamless Hose, double sole and heel, 20c., at 10c.

Plaids—Ladies', Men's and Children's, 10c., 25c., and 50c.

Children's School Shoes Our Specialty.

Soft soles, 15c., 25c.

Spring Heels, all sizes, Black and Tans, 50c., 65c., 75c. and $1.

Boys' Shoes, Black and Tans, $1, $1.25, and $1.50.

Ladies' Black and Tans, special, $1.50, $2.

New Idea Fashion Patterns, 10c.

Ladies, clean your Kid Gloves with Miller's Glovine, 15c.

Special Bargains in Kitchen Furnishings.

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SUITS FROM $18 UPWARDS.

TROUSERS FROM $4 UPWARDS.

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ALBERT J. **BOWERS**

OPTICIAN,

Removed to Adams Building.

Next entrance to Postoffice.

Feb. 14. 1y

TODAY'S COURT.

There was no new business today.

James Lorendo came in and paid $5 for drunkenness.

The cases of James Hoane and Edward Dwyer were called and again continued.

In the juvenile session of the District court Thursday the following cases were heard and disposed of.

Francis Gilligan, William H. Welsh, Robert Gilligan, Herbert Phillips and Frederick Phillips were fined $2 each for trespass at Weymouth.

Alphonse LeClair and James Curry the two boys who assaulted a Finn at Brewers corner with eggs, were placed on probation for one month.

Joseph Murphy who set fire to the old Farnum building at West Quincy, was given in charge of the State Board of Lunacy and Charity.

Margaret Malcolm was fined $10 for the larceny of three gold rings at Quincy.

Girls Arrested.

Officer Barry made a neat catch of two young girls this noon who were wanted for stealing $15 from Quong Lee, the Chinese laundryman near the Street Railway building. Officer Barry was at dinner when he was notified of the larceny and putting on his citizen's dress he went out hunting for them. He traced them through Spear street thence down to Canal street, then over Edward's hill and back to Washington street to the Universalist church, where he placed them under arrest. At the police station a search revealed the money.

The girls who were apparently about 15 and 16 years of age, gave their names as Annie Jacobs and Mary Murphy. They said they belonged in Boston and came to Quincy to have their teeth pulled, as they heard there was a man here who was pulling teeth free of charge.

They went into the Chinaman's to get warm and during his temporary absence from the room one of the girls stole the $15 from a shelf where Quong Lee had placed it for a few minutes. The two girls will be arraigned in court Saturday morning.

Houghs Neck Safe.

Houghs Neck will be a favored summer resort this year. The new fortifications at Winthrop and Nahant will invite whatever bombardment there may be on the north of Boston, and the fortifications at Hull with proximity to Fort Warren will expose Nantasket to fire. But at Houghs Neck there is likely to be no danger. If there is to be any bombardment of Boston, Great Hill at Houghs Neck would be one of the safest and best places to witness the engagement. Cottages at Houghs Neck should therefore be more in demand than ever.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District Court, next Tuesday:

82—Bouldry vs. Bass.
85—Ames vs. Wilson.

☞ Glenwood Ranges cut down the coal bills; they cost no more than other ranges. $18.00 to $33.00 Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

LATEST.

3 o'clock.

SAILED SOUTH.

St Vincent, Cape Verde Islands April 29 — The Spanish fleet sailed this morning in a southerly direction under sealed orders.

The destination is unknown but possibly to intercept the U. S. Cruiser Oregon.

Sloop Captured.

Key West, April 29—Another small prize was brought in this morning, the U. S. Cruiser Newport having captured the Spanish sloop Embrazia.

Portugal Neutral.

Lisbon, April 29 — The government of Portugal today published a decree of neutrality. This will forbid the equipment in Portugal waters of any privateers.

Paris Not Heard From.

New York, April 29—News from the Steamship Paris on her way to New York is anxiously awaited. Her safe arrival will be the occasion for considerable enthusiasm.

Not Before Sunday.

Madrid, April 29 — The fleet of United States Cruisers from Hong Kong are not expected to arrive at Manila, Phillipine Islands, before Sunday. The Spanish fleet has been divided in two and has been reinforced by a large auxillary cruiser.

Toward Cuba.

London, April 29—A dispatch from Cape St. Vincent says that four of the Spanish cruisers and three torpedo boats sailed toward Cuba, and that the smaller boats go to Cadiz.

More Money.

Washington, April 29 — Secretary Alger estimates the deficiency in the War department to July 1 at $34,000,000.

Marines Taken Prisoners.

Key West, April 29—The Spanish sloop ship Baucher with 800 marines aboard was coralled by the Cruiser Montgomery and brought in here.

Revenue Bill.

Washington, April 29—Congress met at 10 A. M. to further discuss the new Revenue bill. Democrats object to the bond issue. At 12 M. voting began on the amendments. It is expected that the bill will pass today.

Judge Marden.

The bill authorizing the appointment of a Justice of Peace in Quincy to issue warrants has passed the Legislature and was signed by the Governor on Wednesday. The passing of this bill will be good news to Quincy police who for years claim to have been put to great inconvenience in obtaining warrants after the District Court had adjourned.

It is probable that William M. Marden will receive the appointment. For the past two years, Mr. Marden has been closely allied with Clerk Churchill and during the latter's absence from town has officiated as clerk. Mr. Marden has also given much time to reading law as far as it pertains to the duties of a constable and justice of the peace, and is considered fully competent to fill the position. He is also indorsed by Mayor Sears and the Quincy Police for the position.

New Industry.

At the corner of Washington and Canal streets in Albert Keating's building is a small industry for making engines for yachts. The patent was issued March 14 last, and the patentee is Joseph Lezott, superintendent in the Tubular Rivet works. There are six engines being built at the present time and they will drive a yacht through the water at the rate of twelve miles per hour. These are to be 4 horse power and larger ones can be built up to twelve horse power. The six engines are to be completed by July. They burn gasolene or naptha and can be adapted to any boat over fifteen feet long. The engine consumes from two to three gallons per day. The advantages of these small engines are that they are cheap, don't cost much to run them, and one can be independent of the wind and tide and can get most anywhere.

Real Estate Sales.

Ten more sales of Quincy real estate were recorded last week, and the total number of conveyances for 1898 promises to be upwards of 400:

Abbie B. Taylor, et al, to Mary E. Pollard $1.

City of Quincy, to Arthur D. McClellan, $14.

Henry H. Savage, et al. trs., to Anna A. Hale $10.

John Swithin, et al. trs., to John Biesty, $1.

Wm. E. Harmon, tr., to Robert W. Dover, $1.

City of Quincy, to Frank Brewer, $121.

Lillian G. Gifford, to Mela D. Sass, $1.

Winthrop H. Chick, to Margart H. Lawson, $1.

John Fitzgerald, to Warren D. Carr, $1.

Annie W. Wood, to Andrew S. Odom, $1.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The DAILY LEDGER now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The East Weymouth friends of Mr. John W. McCue will tender him a testimonial concert tonight at the Odd Fellows' Opera house, East Weymouth. An excellent programme has been arranged.

The East Weymouth, W. C. T. U. held an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Martha Pratt, Pleasant street, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Grace L. Pratt pleasantly entertained a small party of her friends at the residence of her parents on Grant street, East Weymouth, Thursday evening. Whist was enjoyed until a late hour. Miss Pratt served a collation of ices and cake.

Mrs. S. Louise Barton is visiting Mrs. H. B. Raymond.

Mr. George H. Hunt, the newsdealer of East Weymouth, will occupy the rooms in Hunt's block as a tenement.

Mr. Stephen E. Wilson is of East Weymouth showing a handsome souvenir in a print of the U. S. Navy.

Tonight at Foggs Opera house, South Weymouth, the Dartmouth College Actors will present the drama entitled "Lend me five shillings," played by Mr. Joseph Jefferson and Mr. Nat Goodwin and others.

The business men of East Weymouth will unfurl "Old Glory" in Jackson Square Saturday night,, with appropriate patriotic ceremonies.

The house of Mr. Samuel Hilton on King avenue, Weymouth, was a scene of festivity on Wednesday evening. The occasion was the marriage of her daughter, Addie Rachel, to George Horte of Braintree. The service was performed by Rev. William Hyde of Trinity church, and the marriage was a most beautiful and impressive one. The bride was tastefully dressed in white satin with train and carried a bunch of white roses. A large number of friends and relatives were present at the marriage and reception. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening spent. After their wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Horte will reside on King avenue, Weymouth.

Rev. William Hyde postponed his reply to Col. Ingersoll on account of the storm last Sunday, and spoke instead on "The Relation of Science to the First Chapter of Genesis." Next Sunday, in Trinity Church, Weymouth, at 7.30 P. M., Mr. Hyde will continue his reply to Col. Ingersoll's lecture, "Why am I an Agnostic." The subject Sunday morning will be "The Christian Soldier."

Miss Agnes Hyde read this week at Pythian hall, Weymouth, on Wednesday evening, and on Thursday evening she read in New Haven, Conn.

Died at Hospital.

Cornelius Kelliher, a well known Quincy citizen, died at the Quincy City Hospital, Thursday, aged 50 years. Mr. Kelliher had been employed at the foundry of E. Packard & Co. for a number of years.

For the past two years he has been in poor health and obliged to give up his work in the foundry and has been driving one of the firm's teams. Some few months ago he was obliged to give this up also and since that time he has been at the City Hospital. The cause of his death was disease of the heart, probably caused by lead poison. He was a widower. His remains were taken to Boston, funeral services being held at the residence of his mother.

The New Woman.

Miss Ward, '98, presided at the weekly meeting of the High School club on Wednesday. Mr. Ford, secretary, read the minutes.

The debate of last week, "Resolved, That the New Woman is Superior to the Woman of former times," was concluded. Of the appointed speakers, Misses McDonnell, Perry and Pickering, spoke for the affirmative; and Misses Roberts and Williams, for the negative.

The following pupils took part in the very interesting open debate that followed: Mr. Field, Miss Beckwith, Miss Williams, Mr. R. McDonnell, Miss Powers, Mr. Baker, Miss Roberts, and Mr. Pendis, all of '98, and Miss Sibley and Mr. Pitts, of '99.

The board of decision reserved their verdict.

Probate Court.

Probate court was held at Hyde Park on Wednesday and these wills were allowed: Caroline Thayer, late of Braintree, Edward H. Adams, late of East Milton, A. F. Clapp, late of Stoughton.

Administrations were granted on the estates of Jane Pratt of Quincy, H. N. Rogers of Millis, Malvina Dickerman Brookline, Susan Comey of Foxboro, John Lyden of Norwood, H. R. Dickerman of Brookline.

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The Brockton Times says a pretty, sweet-faced young woman, perhaps 25, mild, mannered and lady-like to all appearance is confined in a cell at police headquarters as a flat worker. The young woman gave her name as Josephine Quinn, but is known to the police as Mabel Russell.

It is alleged that she has robbed a number of places in Brockton of jewelry and other valuables. Her plan being to hire a room in a boarding house and then go through the other rooms. The woman was arrested for Brockton officers at Randolph by Officer Knights and at that time had on her person a number of keys, gold watches and chains, and rings.

Among other places the woman claimed to live in Quincy and Thursday Chief Litchfield and Officer Morrissey went to Brockton but failed to recognize her. It was thought she might have been a woman who recently stole a gold watch from St. John's parochial residence but none of the watches she had could be identified.

Unknown Fatally Injured.

Wednesday afternoon an outward train due at South Weymouth at 3.15, picked up a man on the tracks between South Braintree and that place. The man was unconscious the top of his head having been smashed in. Whether his injuries were the result of being struck by another train or whether they were caused by falling from a moving train is not known. There was nothing about his clothing by which he could be identified. He was later removed to the hospital. He was apparently about 24 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches in height and about 150 pounds weight. He wore a light overcoat and dark pants. He was so badly injured that he could not live.

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ALL MINDS ON DEWEY'S FLEET.

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chance for them to enlist will be to fill up the ranks of the depleted regiments left at home.

Adjutant General Dalton has issued an order establishing a state board of fortification, with Colonel Edmunds of the First corps of cadets, chairman. The board will consist of six members, and will oversee the coast defences of Massachusetts.

People Leaving Manila.

London, April 29.—The Hong Kong correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "There is no news from Manila, or as to the whereabouts of the American fleet. Large sums are being paid by anxious people to leave Manila. The strictly neutral attitude hitherto observed by the press and public toward the Hispano-American dispute has been changed by the absurd proclamation of the governor of the Philippines, and public favor is now favorable to the United States. The Chronicle says the proclamation will go far to alienate the last vestige of sympathy for Spaniards, and the Daily Press says English sympathy is natural on the side of America."

Artillery Hurried Off.

Chickamauga, Ga., April 29.—Two batteries of light artillery, 140 men, with eight guns, have left here for Tampa. The horses of the batteries were not taken, so great was the haste to get the guns to their southern destination, but will follow as soon as they can be loaded. The train will run to Tampa on passenger train time, and on arrival there, it is said, the men and their guns will be transported at once to Edgemont, at the head of Tampa bay, where fortifications have recently been erected, but which are as yet but poorly supplied with guns.

Still on the Hunt.

Gibraltar, April 29.—The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer, Destructor, and the torpedo boats, Habana and Barcelona, continue reconnoitering in the straits of Gibraltar and the neighboring waters of the Mediterranean. It is alleged that they were seeking an American yacht, the Fleur De Lis, a warship, which, it is supposed, the United States has purchased from Italy, and also ships carrying sulphur to America. Some of the latter have been warned and changed their course, while the Fleur De Lis has put into Lisbon for safety.

The sudden departure of a British cruiser caused much excitement. It was supposed an encounter was imminent and that she had gone to maintain neutrality in these waters. A special land guard was mounted and preparations made to train the guns.

Portugal's Cloven Hoof.

Washington, April 29.—It appears upon investigation that the announcement made by the Official Gazette of Portugal, stopping the dispatch of telegraph information regarding the movements or warships, anly applies to continental ports. The Azores and Madeira and apparently the Cape Verde islands are exempt.

The Portuguese minister said that this did not apply to official information transmitted by United States officials at Cape Verde and elsewhere to the United States government, so that the authorities here will not be curtailed in their sources of information as to the movement of the Cape Verde islands' fleet.

Arrival of Big Prize.

Key West, April 29.—Aside from the news of the Matanzas bombardment, which set the town wild with joy, the event of yesterday, practically marking the end of the first week of the war, was the arrival of a big prize, the Guido. She was captured by the Terror and the Machias 10 miles off Cardenas at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning, but not until after a stern chase. Five shots were fired, four by the monitor and one by the gunboat, though the shot from the Machias did not take effect. Two of the Terror's shots went through the pilot house, and one struck a long boat and the upper works.

Manuel Rivar, a sailor, was in the pilot house of the Guido, and the flying splinters penetrated his breast inflicting wounds which may cause death. He was brought ashore and taken to the hospital. Captain Kichiando received a flesh wound in the wrist from a splinter when the shot went through the pilot house.

The Guido was bound from Corunna to Havana with a cargo of provisions and money, thought to be for the Spanish troops. The Terror first sighted her and began the pursuit by sending a blank shot across her bows. The Spaniards promptly put out all her lights and started in a desperate attempt to run away. The monitor then brought her six-pounders into play and sent three more shots directly at her, all finding the mark. She also trained her big 12-inch guns on the Guido, prepared to sink her if the Spaniard did not heave to.

Meanwhile the Machias had come up and sent a shot from a four-inch rifle at the fugitive. Captain Kichiando, seeing that he had two such powerful enemies to combat, surrendered.

It is conceded that whatever the result of the president's proclamation may be, it will not affect the Panama, which was an auxiliary cruiser. J. B. Patterson, who resigned as head of the prize court of inquiry, will represent the owners of the cargoes and various shipowners.

Purposes Well Guarded.

London, April 29.—The mystery regarding the movements of the Spanish men-of-war is still unexplained. The secretaries at the Spanish embassy, interviewed on the subject, ridicule the statement that the squadron at Cape Verde is delayed by lack of coal, first, because for a long time the Spanish vessels have been particularly well fitted out, not only with coal, but also with food and all kinds of warlike material, and, second, because St. Vincent could supply any required quantity of coal.

According to advices via Bayonne, the battleship Pelayo was completely fitted and equipped at Carthagena and has gone to Cadiz. Reports that she has been cruising in the company of other vessels probably means that she has been trying her boilers. It is believed that the squadron at Cape Verde islands has really been waiting for the arrival of the Pelayo and the Alfonso XIII and other men-of-war; but now that Portugal has declared neutrality, the fleet will be compelled to sail without delay, whether reinforced or not.

Will Be Warmer In Cuba.

Mount Gretna, Pa., April 29.—The Pennsylvania militia received the first test of its grit and endurance in the present campaign when the entire division assembled at Mount Gretna. It snowed, rained and hailed, and the men slept under wet canvas and on ground deep in mud. The first of the regiments had hardly arrived yesterday before the snow began to fall, and a cold wind swept across the valley. The storm increased in severity, and the snow was followed by hail and rain. Officers and men alike floundered around in the mud, all showing a grim determination to show that the state militiamen are not fair weather soldiers.

Balloon For War Purposes.

Chicago, April 29.—Captain J. W. Lloyd, acting under a commission to assist in the work of equippping a large captive balloon to be used by the navy department in following the movements of the Spanish warships, has secured a generator capable of producing from 350,000 to 400,000 cubic feet of gas every 24 hours. The generator is the only one of its kind in the United States and will be ready to be shipped to Governor's island next Monday.

The balloon used in connection with the generator will rise to the height of 2500 feet and be held by a wire cable, which will also be used for telegraphic purposes. With powerful glasses on a clear day it is said that it will be possible to scan the horizon from the balloon a distance of 50 to 60 miles.

Light In Lighthouses.

Boston, April 29.—A conference was held yesterday between Lieutenant Sewell, who is in charge of the harbor fortifications, and Lieutenant Commander Colby of the lighthouse board. Arrangements were perfected by which the lights in the various lighthouses along the coast could be extinguished at short notice. These plans include the establishment of a complete telephone and signal system along the Cape Cod coast.

Can't Lead Illinois Troops.

Springfield, Ills., April 29.—Governor Tanner's hopes of leading Illinois' troops to the front have been blasted completely. He has received word from Washington that he would not be placed in command by President McKinley. When Colonel Van Cleeve, inspector general, learned of the confirmation of the previous reports from Washington, he tendered his resignation as inspector general. Other resignations may follow.

The officers of the national guard have sent a communication to Governor Tanner strongly opposing and protesting against the action of congress and the secretary of war, which, the communication alleges, will result in breaking up the national guard organization of Illinois. The communication will be sent to President McKinley with Governor Tanner's endorsement.

The Professor Shuddered.

Cambridge, Mass., April 29.—Professor D. G. Lyon of the Semitic department of Harvard university, in the course of a lecture on the Jewish wars, declared that the seizure of merchant vessels on the part of the United States was nothing less than piracy. The professor went on to consider the present war with Spain. He said: "We have seen an example of what hasty war spirit will do. In congress there was a war spirit. The men of peace were carried along by the others. When the battleship Maine was blown up people shuddered. Wednesday, at the battle of Matanzas, 256 of the men of Spain may have been blown up. Who shuddered?"

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 29.—The Post draws this lesson from Matanzas: "In war, delay is less merciful than prompt, vigorous, strenuous action. Admiral Sampson has saved life and property by knocking to pieces the fortifications of Matanzas. Now let him continue on his errand of humanity and wipe out the fortifications of Havana."

While The Globe does not purpose "to give much expert advice to the government gratis in the present juncture, it is free to say that our first experience with Spanish gunnery well might embolden our fleet to employ some of the period of waiting in a little more target practice along the Cuban coast."

"Many a fight will be won in the days to come by that homely practical ability at which our foes have been so fond of jeering," observes The Journal.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 29.—Mr. Parsons of Greenfield asked for a reconsideration of the vote rejecting the bill appropriating $65,000 for the cattle commission. Without a division, but apparently by a very large majority, reconsideration was refused.

The bill on the petition of the county commissioners of Middlesex authorizing them to pay a sum of money to Charles Sweetser of Chelmsford was taken from the table in the house and referred to the next general court. Sweetser was one of the victims of the bunco games indulged in by John Reed.

The joint committee on judiciary reported a bill providing for the appointment of probation officers in the superior court.

The bill to authorize street railway companies to acquire land for the avoidance of grade crossings with railroads was ordered to a third reading by the senate, and the bill to prohibit deduction in the wages of women and minors for loss of time caused by the stopping of machinery was postponed until Tuesday.

The bill to authorize the erection and maintenance of dams for making and maintaining ice ponds across streams not navigable was passed to be engrossed with an amendment providing that the owner of the dam shall pay suitable damages to the owner of land flowed. The bill relative to arrest on mesne process was passed to be engrossed, and the bill for a summary investigation of county and municipal expenditures ordered to a third reading.

General Debate Closed.

Washington, April 29.—The general debate in the house on the revenue bill closed last night after eight and a half hours of speechmaking. There was little discussion of the internal revenue features of the bill. The Democrats continued their assaults on the bond feature and their advocacy of the income tax. The latter was ridiculed as a substitute proposition by the Republicans. The authority to borrow money was defended by them as absolutely necessary. There is a difference of oponion on the Democratic side as to whether the bill should be voted for upon its final passage after the minority amendments are voted down. Several Democrats, led by Mr. McClellan of New York, have announced their purpose of so voting, but the majority believe they could not justify a vote for a bond issue. An effort is being made to avoid an aye and no vote on the final passage to prevent an exhibition of the division, and it seems probable that it will be successful.

Mr. Gladstone's Illness.

London, April 29.—Helen Gladstone, replying to a letter of sympathy, writes, referring to the illness of her father: "We cannot hope for his recovery, but the progress of his illness is very slow. He will probably remain with us for some time. He suffers much times, but happily the doctors are able to give him very considerable relief."

The Lancet learns that Mr. Gladstone is manifestly weak, "though." The Lancet adds, "this is not so much due to disease as to general failure of power. He retains, however, fair strength. There are intermittent flashes of pain, but they are not very severe."

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Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, and 47 minutes past the hour.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 26 ad		7 43	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 29 r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17 da		5 36 r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 00	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba		6 1 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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uincy and Neponset.

Y SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 d 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

PONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 A. M., and every 15 minutes until Last car at 11.25 P. M.

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9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
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2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
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7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
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"Give 'em the r-r-r d--l"

Said an excited individual in town the other night, as he waved his arms around him like a wind-mill. "Give it to 'em I say!" "Well, as far as I am concerned," said a calm, middle-aged, slow talking man, who had been listening to the excited man's talk, "they can have it. I don't know as we need it in our business." It's a funny idea that Americans have of always giving somebody something they don't want. A tramp once said that he could go hungry all day and have enough drinks and good advice offered him to last a month. But when he was real thirsty, even the water froze up.

The Quincy Clothing Co. is going to give you something you do want. We are going to give you the opportunity to buy a fine suit of Clothes for $7.50. May be you think you don't want one. You will when you see them. They're all wool and we have them in Blue Serges and Gray and Brown checks. They're cut in good style, have all wool linings and are made by first-class tailors, not overall manufacturers. They are made expressly for us, and with every suit is a written guarantee as to their durability and wearing qualities. If they are not perfectly satisfactory, you get a new suit in its place.

Bear this in mind, that if the war does take away from us a lot of young men who would be our customers if there was no Cuba, we will not advance the price on the rest of you to get even; for at the rate things started everyone that has gone will have enough prize money when they return to buy a good many suits.

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From acorn small, that trunk, whose branches rise,
To which such signal benefits we owe.
The birch, most shy and ladylike of trees,
Her poverty, as best she may, retrieves,
And hints at her forgone gentilities,
With some saved relics of her wealth of leaves.
—Lowell.

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Arbor Day.

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Miss Jane Reed and Miss Patty Faxon have been attending Miss Post's dancing school in Boston this winter. The class closed last week Friday evening, and Mrs. J. Frank Faxon was one of the matrons. Miss Dewson was also present.

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Miss Avonia Eldredge made her debut in Rosedale at the Castle Square theatre on Thursday afternoon. Her mother Mrs. John L. Eldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur were in the audience.

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Are you showing your colors in these days of patriotic feelings? Just a little knot of the red white and blue will brighten up your spring suit.

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The regular May meeting of Adams chapter will be held on Monday at the old John Adams house. The chapter is to have a basket picnic in June at the cairn on Penn's hill.

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Mr. Joseph N. Page, Jr., of Quincy and Miss Nellie Merrill of Wollaston, are to be married early in June.

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Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson attended a swell reception given at the Parker house, Boston, on Wednesday evening by the Play-goers club.

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The Quincy Branch of the Women's Alliance held a most enjoyable reception and tea on Tuesday from three until five o'clock in the chapel parlor. The entertainment consisted of vocal solos by Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur and a paper by Miss Carrie E. Small on "Solomon as an Author." A very social hour was then spent by the members and guests. The committee in charge were Mrs. George W. Morton, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis and Mrs. L. Annie Pierce. They were assisted in serving by Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. O. A. Hayward, Mrs. H. M. Faxon, Mrs. A. H. Doble Miss Ellen R. Dewson.

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Mr. Amos W. Stetson of Braintree is to present to Wellesley college his "Regamy" by the late William Morris Hunt.

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Preparations are going on for the annual May festival of the Unitarian society and there are to be many novel features. It will be held the middle of the month in the chapel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Vaughn of Abington have been visiting friends at Wollaston.

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The May day outing to Plymouth always attracts many and on Monday several parties are to go from here. Last years several missed the train but we hope they will be more fortunate this time.

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Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater, Mrs. E. W. H. Bass and Mrs. R. R. Freeman will be the matrons at the Hurdy Gurdy party to be given May 7 for the benefit of the Quincy Hospital. Marie Grosse, the tamborine soloist will be the attraction.

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Miss Margie Frazier of Brookline is visiting her cousins, Misses McGrath of West Quincy.

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Mr. Thomas McGrath of West Quincy is on his way to Pontiac, Michigan, and intends making a short stay at Niagara Falls on his return trip.

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In spite of the heavy rain that prevailed last evening, Music hall, Atlantic, presented a very pretty appearance as it was the grand summer party which has been so long looked for. Mr. Winthrop Fearabay, who has been giving a series of dances all winter, closed the season with this party. The young ladies looked quite charming in shirt waists and duck skirts. The affair was a grand success.

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Chief Engineer Packard who has been confined to the house with a bilious attack is reported as being much better this morning.

Misses Elizabeth and Frances Sullivan of Quincy sang at a vocal recital given by the pupils of Mrs. Marie W. Fobert, in the Rockland Opera House, last Tuesday evening. Miss Elizabeth Sullivan sang Patria by Mattie, and Miss Frances Sullivan gave "Sunset" by Buck. Both young ladies won generous and merited applause.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Furnald, Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Furnald and Miss Annie L. Prescott attended on Monday, the wedding of Miss Corinne E. May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. May of Lynn, and Mr. John H. Safford of New York. The young people received a great many beautiful presents. A wedding breakfast was served after which Mr. and Mrs. Safford left amid a shower of rice. They will be at home after June first at Ludlow-on-the-Hudson, New York.

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Mr. A L. Baker and family of Wollaston are at their cottage at Wollaston beach enjoying the sea air.

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Mrs. Thomas G. Loring has returned to her home in Portland, Me., having passed the winter in Atlantic.

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Mrs. Ralph Hobbs of Charles street, Atlanic, gave a very pretty thimble party Tuesday afternoon, to her numerous young friends. A very choice lucheon was served.

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Mrs. William Gassett of Faxon road, Atlantic, , entertained friends Thursday evening. Whist was enjoyed, afterward refreshments and music. Miss Josephine Kelley and Miss Melzard, Mr. Sanborn and Mr. Hobbs, were the prize winners. Mr. Cherrington and Miss Bacon won consolations.

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The John Shaws have removed from the Pratt house on Hancock street to their beautiful summer home on the river at the Point.

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The E. B. Pratt house is to be altered over in few weeks by Mr. Wilson Tisdale who recently purchased it and when completed the Tisdale's will move there from their present home on Foster street.

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President's hill is the home of several artists and a pretty spot it is and no doubt the fine views are often an inspiration to many. Mrs. Everett C. Bumpus and Mrs. H. Nicholson live on the brow of the hill and further down toward Adams street in a big colonial house is Mrs. Albert F. Schenkelberger an artist who is very well known for her striking sketches.

Vesper Programme.

The order of services at the vespers of the Wollaston Unitarian church at 4 o'clock on Sunday will be:

Voluntary—Andante in C Silas.
Invocation.
Anthem—"Prepare ye the way of the Lord," (Ganett.)
Responsive Service.
Anthem—"Incline thine ear to me," (Himmel)—(with bass solo by Mr. Kells.)
Scripture.
Contralto solo—"Lord, whom my heart holds dear,"—Miss Sara B. Huff.
Prayer, response and hymn.
Remarks by pastor.
Offering.
Soprano solo—"I heard the voice of Jesus say," (Harriss). Miss Myrtle Grimshaw.
Hymn and benediction.
Postlude—Whiting.

The musical talent will be: Miss Myrtle Grimshaw, soprano, Deadwood, South Dakota; Miss Sara B. Huff, contralto, Milwaukie, Wisconsin; Mr. W. M. Dorrington, tenor, Allegheny, Penn.; Mr. G. Y. Kells, bass, Albany, New York. Organist,—Miss Edith E. Crane, Mapleton, Iowa.

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LATEST.

3 o'clock.

REJOICING!

Over Safe Arrival of the Paris at New York.

New York, April 30 — There is rejoicing here over the safe arrival of the American liner Paris. She reached quarantine early this morning and reported all well. She then proceeded to her dock and is unloading as rapidly as possible that she may go into the government service.

Spanish Torpedo Boats.

Cape Verde Islands, April 30—Three Spanish torpedo boats left here today for the Canary islands.

Reign of Terror.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 30—A reign of terror exists at Santiago de Cuba, the eastern extremity of the island. The government has called upon all men between 15 and 50 years of age to join the Spanish army under penalty of death. The British consul has cabled his government to send a warship.

Cabanas Fired Upon.

Key West, April 30—The flag ship New York of the U. S. squadron off Cuba is reported to have fired upon Cabanas a small town west of Havana where some new forticfiations were being erected. There was no response and the cruiser soon withdrew. It was not in the nature of a bombardment.

At Portland Today.

Boston, April 30 — The cruisers Columbia and Minneapolis are expected to meet today at Portland, Maine.

The Lollo Captured.

Key West, April 30 — The Despatch Boat Dolphin is reported to have captured the schooner Lollo of Havana.

On to Washington.

Boston, April 30—It is probable that some of the Massachusetts regiments will be stationed in front of Washington, as the plans of Secretary Alger are to mobilize 30,000 volunteers there.

Only a Rumor.

The reported destruction of a United States gun boat and three Spanish ships lacks confirmation. The American Press Asociation has no such intelligence.

Braintree Resolves.

Braintree in town meeting assembled passed the following resolutions last night:

Resolved,—That we the citizens of Braintree in annual town meeting assembled take cognizance of the present crisis in national affiairs. That we desire to place this old town, the birthplace of two Presidents, and of the father of West Point, General Sylvanus Thayer, on record as heartily endorsing the present policy of President McKinley, and both houses of Congress, in intervening to prevent inhumanity upon our Western Hemisphere. That a committee to consist of the moderator of this meeting, the three Selectmen, and three other citizens to be appointed by the chair be chosen, to arrange for a public meeting at an early date, to demonstrate the loyalty and patriotism of the people of the town

Resolved,—That a copy of this vote be sent to President McKinley, Gov. Wolcott, the two United States Senators, and the Representatives in Congress from this district.

The chair appointed on that committee, Mr. John V. Seollard, Mr. George D. Willis and Dr. T. H. Dearing.

O'Hooligan's Wedding.

What do you think of O'Hooligan? Don't fail to attend his wedding. You'll smile for weeks to come, a merry coterie of pretty girls; an amalgamation of comedy, opera and refined vaudeville replete with mirthful sayings; catchy melodies; artistic dancing. Don't fail to see it at Quincy Music Hall Tuesday evening next.

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SOLDIERY TO INVADE CUBA.

Movement Upon the Island Takes Place Next Week.

Men Now Being Hurried to the Departing Point.

General Shafter the First American on Cuban Soil.

Fleet to Open Bombardment In the Discretion of the Commanding Officer After the Landing In Matanzas—Combined Forces of Invaders and Insurgents to Approach the Capital From the Rear — Dewey's Squadron In Sight of the Philippines at Last Accounts—Paris Gets Into New York In Safety.

Washington, April 30.—The plans and purposes of the war department, which is now assuming its share of responsibility in the war with Spain, are slowly but definitely developing. There is to be quick action. No time will be lost in getting a detachment of the regular troops into Cuba. Men are being hurried to the front.

From Chickamauga park, the present rendezvous, 5000 infantrymen are to be sent to the front at once to Tampa, there to be joined by 1000 calvarymen. The date for their departure from Tampa has been fixed. It will be Wednesday next, May 4.

By that time the eight transports which have been chartered by the government will be in the port of Tampa, ready to carry their burden of human lives to the shore of Cuba. At present all haste is being made to get the men to Tampa, and there has been no such hurrying and skurrying since the days of '61.

The plan of campaign has been thoroughly discussed by the secretary of war and his military advisers. It is the present intention to land the first force merely for the purpose of determining at Matanzas, although Sagua la Grande has also been considered. The latter is a small town in Santa Clara province, considerably to the east of Matanzas and some distance from the sea. A railroad, however, runs from Sague to La Isabel, which is on the shore, at the mouth of the Sagua river.

If Matanzas remains the selected port of invasion, the bombardment, which will clear the way for the troops, will be far more vigorous than the one in which Admiral Sampson indulged last Wednesday, and which, it is stated by the officials of the navy department, showed the character of the defenses there.

It having been shown that the forts guarding Matanzas can be easily demolished, no difficulty is anticipated in effecting a landing for the troops, and as soon as this has been accomplished the food and munitions of war for the insurgents will be supplied to the latter, who will be massed on the outside of the town. Should the Spanish troops gather in force to prevent invasion the guns of the ships will shell their camp and will drive them back.

It is realized that the Spanish forces on the island aggregate fully 60,000 men, but it is not believed that anything like this number can be assembled at the point selected by the United States troops at the point of entrance. If the program as it is at present outlined in theory can be carried out in practice, the combined forces of the United States and Cuba will move from Matanzas upon the rear of Havana and invest the city.

Next Wednesday General Shafter will transfer his headquarters to Cuban soil, the first officer to set foot on a foreign territory with a hostile army since the days when Winfield Scott carried the war into Mexico. General Shafter's duty, however, will not be confined to the command of this comparatively small army of invasion.

Conferences between the president and Secretary Alger have resulted in the selection of four officers who are to manage the real fighting. They are men of experience and capacity. The plan is to commission four of the brigadier generals of the regular army as major generals of volunteers. The officers who have been selected are as follows: Brigadier General William R. Shafter, Brigadier General Elwell S. Otis, Brigadier General Henry C. Merriam, Brigadier General James F. Wade. These are the officers who will have the real work of handling the volunteer forces which are eventually to go to Cuba.

In the meantime Admiral Sampson's fleet will move closer upon the city from the sea, and will proceed, when the proper time comes, to bombard it. All the details of the forts at the entrance of Havana harbor are known to Captain Chadwick of the flagship New York, and he will have no difficulty, with his expert gunners, in planting shells in the places where they will do the most damage. In fact Captain Chadwick believes that with his single ship he could silence the Havana batteries in 60 minutes. It is not likely, however, that he will be allowed to undertake the task without calling other ships of the fleet into action.

When the forts were last inspected by American officers the guns were of good power and caliber, but were very indifferently mounted, and it is thought that they can be most easily dislodged. No time has yet been fixed for the operations against Havana, but this detail will be left to the discretion of the commanding officer.

Many contingencies may arise to affect the program so far as schedule of time is concerned. The Spanish fleet may attempt to break the blockade, although this is not considered likely, or the American troops may meet with unexpected mishaps. On the whole, however, the prospect for the capture of Cuba before many weeks is considered excellent.

The exciting news of yesterday was of the departure of the Spanish fleet from the Cape Verde islands. The navy department had information to this effect, and later in the day the war department, from its sources of advice, received confirmatory cablegrams.

It is generally accepted that the first move on the part of the enemy has been made, and that actual hostilities would not longer be postponed. In all the attempts to fathom the mysteries and the purposes of the Spanish it was admitted that the course of the ships from Cape Vincent might indicate that the southwesterly course of the larger ships and the northerly course of the torpedo boats might be a simple ruse. For this reason all information is discounted.

Sailing orders have been issued to the flying squadron, under the command of Commodore Schley. These orders are the result of the discussion by the naval war board of the strategical considerations entering into the departure of the Spanish men-of-war. Naturally, the greatest secrecy is observed as to the destination of the flying squadron, but it is generally conceded that the probabilities point to an immediate junction of the armored vessels under Commodore Schley and those commanded by Rear Admiral Sampson, and the placing of this formidable force at a central position where they can promptly resist any attack made by the Spanish fleet, either upon the American coast or upon the blockading squadron surrounding Cuban ports.

Plans For Governing Manila.

London, April 30.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Hong Kong says: War news is scarce. Nothing has been heard of the American fleet or from Manila. Commodore Dewey considers that his duty will be done when the Spanish fleet is captured and safety has been secured for American trading vessels. Eleven of these vessels are overdue, and the Americans feel exceedingly anxious. The formation of the provisional government at Manila will be announced at the discretion of United States Consul Williams. It is believed that there are not many Spanish troops at Manila. They have gone into the interior. The American fleet carries in all 2000 officers and men. The Concord is expected to return here for dispatches on Wednesday.



RAYMON O. WILLIAMS.

A few weeks ago before the Hong Kong supreme court, Attachio, the minister of the interior in the provisional government, applied for an injunction to restrain Aguinalde, the insurgent leader, from parting with $400,000 that had been remitted by the Spanish government for distribution among the leaders in the late insurrection. Other members of the council purpose issuing a disclaimer against Attachio's action and expressing confidence in Aguinalde.

Volunteer Act Altered.

Washington, April 30.—The house committee on military affairs has agreed to report favorably an amendment to the volunteer bill providing for an increase of 13,000 men to the volunteer force, instead of the 3000 provided in the volunteer bill as enacted. This authorizes the secretary of war to organize companies, troops, battalions or regiments possessing special qualifications from the nation at large, not exceeding 16,000. This increase will allow 3000 to be used for the cowboy organizations, and the remainder will furnish a chance to arm batallions of engineers and enlistment of immunes.

Belittle Our Navy.

Madrid, April 30.—The newspapers continue their weak efforts to belittle the United States fleet and its work. The Impartial says: "All the world now knows that America tried to bluff Spain by war threats which she is unable to fulfil. America, on being called, shows a wretchedly weak hand. Its real strength is exactly known—five ironclads, two belted cruisers, three unbelted, the fastest and most powerful cruisers, and 12 other cruisers. All the rest are theatrical supers."

The Impartial regrets that Daudet did not live to write "Tartarin-Yankee admiral," based, it adds, on "Sampson's glorious 18-minute bombardment of Matanzas, resulting, as the official dispatches inform us, in the death of a mule."

Anti-American Feeling In England.

London, April 30.—The Times combats the statement that public opinion here is veering towards Spain. It says: "Our sympathies on the main question are with the United States, as they are held to be in the right; but on the matter of form we are not so clear or unanimous."

In spite of this assertion, however, the facts are as cabled. The government and most of the important newspapers are friendly to the United States. Individual opinion and the sympathies of a large majority of the British are undoubtedly anti-American. This is evident to everyone having any intercourse with the people.

The St. James Gazette yesterday afternoon published a letter which says: "Public opinion in London embraces two strong currents, one in favor of America and the other in favor of Spain. These currents are as antagonistic as our two great political parties."

Wild Rumor In Key West.

Key West, April 30.—Yesterday was one of wild rumor and little action. First came the story of the bombardment of Cardenas by the ships of the fleet stationed there. Then the Puritan steamed into port and Captain Harrington, the commanding officer of the Cardenas fleet, declared that there had been no bombardment of the Cardenas batteries, incidentally adding that there were no batteries there and only one or two insignificant gunboats which had given no sign of defense.

A load of anxiety was lifted from the naval men here by the arrival of the little Spanish schooner Three Sisters, with Paymaster Simpson and three sailors of the Terror aboard. The vessel had almost been given up for lost. The schooner, loaded with sugar, while bound from Havana for Cardenas, was captured off the latter place Sunday by the Foote, with the Terror and Machias near by. Paymaster Simpson and his companions were put aboard as a prize crew and started for Key West that night. She had suffered from a calm and adverse winds.

Full of Torpedoes.

Madrid, April 30.—In official circles it is not believed that the Americans can effect a landing on the shores of Matanzas bay, as the bay is full of torpedoes.

The reports cabled from Washington respecting the movements of the American army and fleet are considered as intended to hoodwink the Spanish government.

The latest dispatches from Havana say it was the American warship Montgomery which went ashore off the coast of Pinar del Rio, and that she grounded on the rocks near Colonados. According to these dispatches, three other warships succeeded in floating her, but the Montgomery is badly damaged.

There are great rejoicings in Havana at what is described as "the American repulse at Matanzas." It is not believed that the United States warships will venture to attack Manila.

[The cruiser Montgomery referred to has just arrived at Key West from Hampton roads.]

Where Is the Coal?

London, April 30.—The Gibraltar correspondent of The Times says: "I am assured by a high naval authority that Spain bought 17,000 tons of coal before the outbreak of the war and that it was delivered. As neither this nor any important quantity reached Cadiz, it would be interesting to know where it has gone, if it has arrived."

Suppressing the Truth.

New York, April 30.—The correspondent of the Fabra news agency of Madrid has received notification from the cable company that the Spanish government would not permit the delivery of his dispatch about the bombardment of Matanzas. This explains the impression in Madrid that the American vessels were compelled to retire, which information was obtained through the Spanish official version of the bombardment.

Paris Is Safe.

Fire Island, N. Y., April 30.—The lookout at this station reports seeing the lights of the steamship Paris, formerly of the American line, but now the property of the United States government. She is heading toward New York city at full speed, and making not less than 21 knots an hour. As many of the channel lights were out, she would not be able to enter the harbor before daylight. She should, however, be at the disposal of the government by noon.

Considering the severity of the gale which has been blowing in her teeth for the past four or five days, the Paris has made a wonderful trip across the ocean.

Heavy Cannonading.

Eastport, Me., April 30.—No little excitement was caused here last evening by the report of heavy cannonading off Quoddy head, 30 shots being counted. It is thought the Minneapolis was overhauling craft which were on the Bay of Fundy. The interest was aroused over the report that a Spanish gunboat had been seen off this coast. The impression prevails that the Minneapolis is lying in wait for two Spanish steamers which are now due in St. John.

The Massachusetts Militia.

Boston, April 30.—Two orders were issued last evening by Governor Wolcott, one designating the First regiment of heavy artillery to be offered the privilege of volunteering for the three heavy batteries requested by the war department and a second order mobilizing the four infantry regiments at the state camp at South Framingham next week.

Instructions were issued to colonels of the new regiments that they will ration volunteers as is done in the ordinary military camps. Actual transportation will be paid on orders from the adjutant general's office.

Companies Broke Camp.

Chattanooga, April 30.—The entire eight batteries of artillery, besides the Twenty-fourth infantry and four companies of the Ninth cavalry, broke camp yesterday under orders to proceed to Tampa at once. Though no intimation of the ultimate destination of the troops has been given out, there is no doubt in the minds of the officers and men that an immediate invasion of Cuba, or at least the capture and occupation of a Cuban port, is in contemplation.

Afraid of Spanish Spies.

St. Louis, April 30.—Owing to the destruction of powder mills in Dover, N. J., and Santa Cruz, Cal., by explosions thought to have been caused by Spanish spies, the managers of eight powder companies having their western headquarters here have ordered double guards placed at all points where powder is stored or manufactured. There are five powder storehouses at Eureka, Mo., near this city, and they are being guarded closely, as thousands of tons of the explosive are in storage there.

Proposition From a Maxim.

New York, April 30.—The Brooklyn Eagle has received a letter from Hudson Maxim of London, containing a remarkable offer to the United States government to furnish to it, at a cost of $500,000, a ship which he claims to be capable of destroying the entire Spanish navy. The plan involves the use of aereal torpedoes, invented by Mr. Maxim. The writer is a brother of Hiram Maxim, the famous inventor of weapons of destruction. Hudson Maxim has worked in co-operation with Hiram, and is a man of good standing in the scientific world.

Just one cruiser built and equipped complete with torpedo guns according to his system, he says, would be sufficient to destroy every Spanish warship which it might encounter at sea. The cost of such a cruiser would be about $500,000. He offers the United States government, or any of his fellow citizens who may be willing to furnish the capital necessary for the construction and equipment of such a cruiser, the free use, without royalty, of all his inventions for the purpose, and says that he himself will come to America and superintend the building of the cruiser without any charges for his services.

Mr. Maxim holds that if his inventions are put into practice, armor will be rendered absolutely useless.

Vesuvius In a Storm.

Old Point Comfort, Va., April 30.—The Vesuvius has gone to the navy yard at Portsmouth for repairs. She had been



THE VESUVIUS.

out in the heavy storm of Tuesday and Wednesday, but weathered it in splendid shape, very little damage being done except on deck, where several things had been knocked off by the heavy seas.

An Irish Brigade.

New York, April 30.—A letter has been sent to the president by William Lyman, president of the Irish National alliance offering the services of an Irish brigade to assist in the war with Spain. The brigade it to be composed of military organizations affiliated with the Irish alliance, Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Irish Military union. Among the best known of the regiment which will be called on are the Clan Na Gael guards of Chicago, and the Red Branch Knights of San Francisco.

An American Protectorate.

New York, April 30.—A Washington dispatch to The Press says that when President Dole of Hawaii left this country recently he carried with him the draft of a bill to be passed by the Hawaiian congress, providing in the event of a war, in which the United States may need the Hawaiian islands for a base of supplies, that the islands shall be put under the protection of the American flag. It was prepared with the knowledge of members of the senate committee on foreign relations and had the approval of the administration on certain conditions. One of these was that it should not be submitted to the Hawaiian congress unless there was a war.

Arrested as a Spy.

Vicksburg, Miss., April 30.—Frank Unando, a Spaniard who has been hanging around here for a week past, was arrested by the police last night on suspicion of being a Spanish spy.

Boston Opinion.

Boston, April 30.—"Spain must not be permitted to retain a foothold in any part of our neighborhood," is the dictum of The Globe. "One war with her will suffice us for all time. We cannot afford to leave an occasion for another. Whatever the future of Porto Rico is to be, it must cease to be Spanish."

"From the capture of the Buena Ventura to that of the Engracia, our fleet in Spanish-American waters," says The Advertiser, "has done its duty as well as exercised its privilege, according to the rules of war, as generally understood. But that is not saying that those rules are in all respects right, and it is the duty of this christian nation to do right, whether required by law to do so or not."

"Massachusetts is all right," according to The Post. "Her militia is ready. Her quota will be filled with double, treble, ten times the number ready to step to the front should the time of need come. There is no shadow upon the patriotism of the sons of the men who fought the battles of the revolution which gave freedom to America."

BANK'S FUNDS LESSENED.

Warrant Out For a Prominent Resident of Northampton, Now Absent.

Springfield, Mass., April 30.—Lewis Warner of Northampton, president of the Hampshire County National bank of that city, treasurer of the Hampshire Savings bank and well known in political and banking circles throughout the state, is a fugitive from justice. A warrant for his arrest has been issued. He is charged with embezzlement. The amount involved is in the neighborhood of $200,000. Friday Mr. Warner left Northampton and has not yet been found.

The defalcation, it is alleged, has covered probably a period of a number of years, and traces of it have been covered by an adroit transferring of funds from the savings bank to the national, and the reverse. The money, it is claimed, has been used in Mr. Warner's various undertakings. He owned and operated the Northampton bicycle works and the Porter machine works in Hartford. It is stated, also, that he has been a heavy speculator, and one man in financial circles attributed the crisis to losses in this field. Besides all the defalcations, it was stated by one of the directors that $40,000 was taken during the last few days by personal drafts on New York and Boston banks, and that it might be that Mr. Warner has that money in his possession.

The excitement at Northampton was intensified when it became known that Mr. Warner, as president of the bank, was under no bonds, and that many of the largest business concerns of the city are depositors.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, April 30.—The report of the committee on labor, reference to the next general court, on the petition that the hours of labor of women and minors employed in mercantile and mechanical establishments shall be limited to 54 hours a week, was accepted without debate.

The following bills were passed by the senate to be engrossed: To establish a board of art commissioners for the city of Boston; to make certain technical changes in the pauper laws of the commonwealth; making appropriations for the soldiers home and the charitable eye and ear infirmary; to make certain changes in the law relative to registration of voters; to authorize street railway companies to acquire land for the avoidance of grade crossings with railroads, etc.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SUNDAY, MAY 1.
Sun rises—4:39; sets, 6:44.
Moon sets—1:54 a. m.
High water—6:45 a. m; 7:15 p. m.

Though the center of the storm was off the New England coast last night, moving, but slowly, northward, clearing skies will probably extend over New England with warmer temperatures during the next 24 hours. Sunday now promises to be fair and warmer, with light southerly winds.

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PLANS FOR THE ACADEMY'S GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION.

It Will Last Three Days—Noted Catholic Clergymen Will Be Present—Former Pupils Intend to Attend the Exercises and Will Form an Alumnæ Association.

Preparations are being made on an elaborate scale for the celebration of the golden jubilee of Mount de Chantal, the famous institution of learning near Wheeling, which will take place on June 7, 8 and 9. At the academy everything shows activity. Preparations are being made for further illuminating the grounds. Arc lights are to be attached to the dynamo now in use at the academy, which will give a final effect to the already well lighted grounds.

The celebration will not only attract all the former pupils who can be present, but there will be an assemblage of distinguished Catholic clergymen, several of whom will make addresses. His excellency the Most Rev. Sebastian Martinelli, D. D., has accepted an invitation to be present at the jubilee.

On Tuesday, the first day, the exercises will open with a solemn pontifical mass of thanksgiving in the chapel, with the Right Rev. P. J. Donahue, D. D., as celebrant. The sermon will be preached by the Most Rev. John J. Kain, D. D., archbishop of St. Louis. In the evening there will be a dramatic entertainment by the present pupils of the academy in the hall.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday morning solemn pontifical requiem mass will be celebrated in the chapel for the late lamented Right Rev. R. V. Whelan, first bishop of Wheeling. The sermon will be preached by Rev. F. T. McCarthy, a prominent Jesuit. The fiftieth annual commencement exercises will take place in the hall at 8 o'clock in the evening.

On Thursday will be alumnæ day. At 10 o'clock a meeting for organization will be held in the music hall. The Rev. Joseph Stenger of Charleston, the first chaplain of the Mount, will deliver an address. A banquet will follow in the evening.

At the request of the sisters the following ladies constituted themselves a committee to look after the arrangements for the meeting to be held for the purpose of organizing an alumnæ association: Mrs. Howard Simpson, Mrs. Platoff Zane, Mrs. Martha Whitaker, Mrs. Jacob Grubb, Misses Delia Carr, Augusta Handlan, Tillie Riley, Martha Medill, Anna Reymann, Helen Devries, Emma Johnson and Amy Nash. Any one who has been for a year a pupil of the Visitation academy while located in Wheeling or at Mount de Chantal will be eligible to membership in the association.

Every day letters are received expressing delight at the hope of again visiting the Mount. Pupils of 1848 and 1857 write that they feel young and girlish again at the very thought of renewing the associations of their childhood and again meeting the sisters whom they all love so dearly. Meetings are also being held in several cities.—Wheeling Register.

Chaplain Chidwick's Gold Chalice.

The gold chalice of Chaplain Chidwick was recently recovered from the wreck of the Maine, to the delight of that good man. It was presented to him by the crew of the Maine, who revered him as a priest and admired him as a man. The chalice was studded with diamonds and was valuable. Although the chaplain valued the gift highly he had never asked any one to search for it, fearing to delay the work of recovering the dead imprisoned beneath the wreck.—Boston Herald.

NOTES OF THE CATHOLICS.

There are 250 Roman Catholic orphan asylums in the United States.

During the nine years of its existence the Catholic University of America at Washington has educated over 200 priests.

It is stated that the French Roman Catholics in Budda, west of Lake Victoria, in Africa, estimate their proselytes at 20,000.

A month's mind requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the sailors of the battleship Maine was recently celebrated at St. Francis Xavier's church, New York city.

Father Rene, prefect apostolic of Alaska, has gone to Paris to obtain funds for the furtherance of mission work among the miners. He requires ten more assistants.

The Jesuits have a church, hospital and school in Dawson City. At last accounts the hospital had 26 patients, nursed by miners, the regular nurses not having arrived from Montreal.

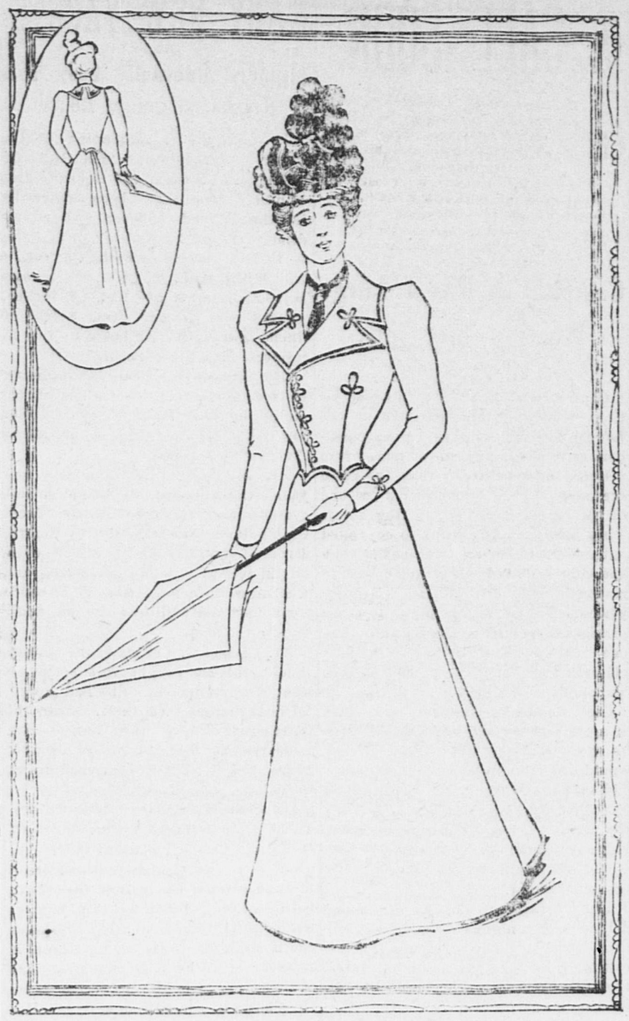
The pope, though not able to sleep more than two hours in a night, often dictates in his waking hours to his secretary, or for diversion composes verses in Latin. His mind is said to be perfectly clear.

The kindly feeling between the Roman Catholics and Protestants of Andover was shown several years ago when the Catholic church was burned. Every parish in town offered the use of its church to the burned out congregation.

A little volume by Laura Bride Powers recently published in San Francisco makes an earnest plea for the preservation of buildings of the California mission as memorials of the piety and zeal of the early Catholic fathers on the Pacific slope.

The Society For the Propagation of the Faith of New York city was recently incorporated, the object being to perform missionary work for the Catholic church. The trustees are Archbishop Corrigan, Bishop John Farley, Very Rev. Joseph F. Mooney and other noted Catholic divines.

OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.



BAZAR

Very ladylike and practical for summer wear is the patty short-jacket tailor gown, which forms an attractive change from a coat and skirt costume. The material of this gown is one of the new French cloths in subdued mixed color effects. The skirt, lined with soft black satin, is made perfectly plain. It has five gores, and is a very desirable model of a simple tailor gown for general wear. Three and three-quarter yards is the width at the foot, and the back breadths of the skirt may be fitted in deep pleats or gathered, as preferred. The little close-fitting coat, slightly double-breasted and opening in front with a broad tailor collar, is braided with soutache. It is fastened across with round tortoise-shell buttons set between the braided motifs at the edge. These motifs are repeated on the collar and cuffs, as well as at the top of the darts, which are outlined with the braid. The coat ends at the waist-line back and front, where it is cut in a curved form, and bordered with soutache. The entire back is of stretched material. The sleeve is made very small, with no unnecessary fulness at the top. The proper cut of the costume can be obtained from the cut paper patterns furnished by Harper's Bazar, where it appears.

Pretty touches are given to the costume by a variety of chemisettes, worn with the new soft scarfs in Roman and Persian colors.

The hat with chiffonne satin crown, which accompanies the gown, is of the same dainty simplicity. Its only trimming is one broad curling ostrich plume and a full ruche of shaded tulle which borders the edge.

Approximate quantity of material for gown; Cloth, 48 inches wide, 5 yards; silk or satin for lining, 14 yards; soutache, 1 piece.

Papal Economy.

The pope has just issued an order in connection with the internal economy of the Vatican which has given no end of offense to the prelates and the dignitaries of his court. He suddenly became aware that the enormous quantities of fruit grown in the gardens of the Vatican have been distributed until now among the cardinals and the prelates of his entourage. He has now stopped this, and by his directions all the fruit that he does not use himself is sold to wholesale dealers, and can be bought in the piazza of the Campo de Fiori. "How different from the gay days of Pius IX," sigh the old prelates and retainers, who recall the fact that the genial predecessor of Leo XIII was a foe of everything in the shape of frugality or economy.—New York World.

Preacher Draped Pulpit For Absentees.

When the people came into the Central Christian church, of which many of the wealthiest citizens of St. Louis are members, the other night, they saw that the pulpit was draped in mourning. There were many speculations as to the cause, but it was not known until the pastor, the Rev. Frank G. Tyrrell, arose and stated at the beginning of the services that the mourning was for the vacant pews during the week of the revival meetings. He added that these absentees had promised him their support, but had not attended a meeting; therefore he thought it proper to drape his pulpit in mourning, and he added that if the attendance was not better the entire church would be draped. As a result of this unique move the church was crowded the next night, and every one of the hitherto vacant pews was occupied.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Kipling on Coast Defenses.

This is the way Rudyard Kipling regarded our coast defenses a few years ago: "The big, fat republic is afraid of nothing because nothing up to the present time has happened to make her afraid. She is as unprotected as a jellyfish—not internally, of course. It would be madness for any power to throw men into America—they would simply die—but so far as regards coast defense, from five miles out at sea a ship of the power of the British ship Collingwood could wipe out every town from San Francisco to Long Branch, and three first class ironclads would account for New York, Bartholdi statue and all. Reflect on this—it would be pay up or go up around the entire coast of the United States."—Boston Transcript.

Not the Bearded Lady.



This isn't the bearded lady from Barnum's on her Sunday out, but it is simply the effect of the fashionable medici collar.—Punch.

Not Used to Menu Cards.



Waiter—Here's the bill of fare, sir.
Farmer Hayrick—Well, no, thank ye. I don't care to read till after I've had somethin to eat.—Pick Me Up.

A CARD.
The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
mar23-tf G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

STORIES OF THE DAY.

Peculiar Communication Recently Received by All Senators and Congressmen.

All senators and members of congress have recently received a peculiar communication, dated "Balto. Co., Govanstown," and signed "G. Israel German." The writer says: "I am an old farmer and have followed the herd and the plew, also an old soldier and have trudged many a weary mile with knapsack on my back, and what was it all for?" He contends, in the course of his letter, that "Babylon is fallen" and declares, "If politicians and diviners can formulate a better plan, is it not time they were about it?" After some reference to Sam Jones as a preacher of wisdom he declares that "the whole financial, political and ecclesiastical scheme has got to be changed." He adds, "The president should call a 'convocation of restraint'—that is, call for a body of God fearing men, not bound by any creed or pet theory of their own, from all parts of the country."

With this indefinite outline of his wishes he asks the recipients of his letters to bring "these matters" before the country and "call the attention of congress and the president to them."

Among the physical giants of the house there are few who in stature and breadth of chest surpass Representative Miers of Indiana. A man of commanding presence, Mr. Miers has force as an orator, and even the Kentuckians, men who are famed for their eloquence, frequently send over into Indiana for him, whenever languor comes over the campaign, to come to Louisville and "stir up the boys."

When Mr. Miers was making his eloquent plea in behalf of Mr. Epes in the contested election case from the Fourth Virginia district the other day, he was speaking with all the earnestness that characterizes his campaign efforts. But something seemed to trouble Mr. Miers and to hinder complete freedom of his neck. He dilated upon the injustice to the people of the grand old commonwealth of Virginia by Republicans, who pronounce her a state conspicuous for election frauds. Then, proceeding in a more quiet voice, he suddenly raised his hand to his throat and grasped the white ministerial tie. There was a sound of something breaking as Mr. Miers snatched the tie and flung the fragments upon his desk. Then he proceeded with ease to complete his appeal for Mr. Epes.

The amenities that passed between some of the ladies composing a major part of the audience the other day in the house galleries were at times decidedly pointed. In a front row of one of the galleries was a deaf lady of advanced years who persisted in keeping a vacant space of two or three feet between herself and the railing. The usher made several vain attempts to move her, when a sympathetic sister, surmising that she was deaf, wrote this note to her:

"Kindly permit the lady next you to move against the railing, as ordered by the usher."

The aged lady scanned the bit of writing indifferently and penciled this reply:

"When I receive the direct order from the usher, I will do so. My right to the first seat everywhere is unimpregnable in journalistic annals."

After this tart correspondence the entente cordiale was not restored, and the aged lady retained her seat until the great press of spectators really pushed her close up to the railing.

One of the Delaware Indians who have been in Washington on business connected with the tribe called at the capitol the other day for a powwow with Representative Curtis of Kansas. He wore a spectacular pair of shoes, which a few hours before were beautiful russets, purchased at a store up town. Arraying himself in his newly acquired shoe leather, poor Lo started out for the capitol. He decided that the russet color was not to his liking, and, after due inquiry, perched himself on a bootblack's chair, where he insisted that nothing but the blackest polishing would do for his sandals. The bootblack protested, but the Indian got his shine, paid for it and proceeded on his way. Passing a drug store where some painters were at work, he took a brush and daubed the shoes with a color to his taste. Then with blanket and feathers he proudly tramped on to make his congressional call.

Enterprising Yankees from New England are already coming to the front with their devices for use in time of war. One of the most novel of these was brought to the attention of a Rhode Island congressman last week by one of his constituents. It is an elliptical rubber shoe intended for soldiers on the march. The advantage claimed for the shoe, which has been patented in this and other countries, is that it is easier on the foot, irritates the nerves less and enables the soldier to walk or run farther in a day than in any other kind of footgear. The Rhode Island congressman was requested to urge the adoption of this shoe for wear in the army.

Many citizens have shown their patriotism in the present crisis by tender of services to aid the government, but Representative Bull of Rhode Island received yesterday what is probably the most novel offer yet heard of. It came from Mr. A. T. Berry of Everett, Mass., who possesses a considerable number of homing pigeons. Some of this gentleman's birds have made flights for long distances, covering in one instance 525 miles. In his letter to Representative Bull he announces his readiness to tender to the government the service of all his pigeons should there be need of them.—Washington Post.

One Form of Protection.

Even the most sturdy opponents of free ships are just at present heartily in favor of protected cruisers.—Boston Transcript.

P. Webber, of Danvers, Mass., writes us Nov. 5, 1895: "For two years I suffered torments with an aggravated case of rheumatism in my knee. Neither regular physicians, specialists, nor advertised remedies did me any good. Finally
MuscleOil
was suggested to me by a friend; the result was marvellous; two bottles
Entirely Cured Me
and I have not had a pain or an ache since. I sincerely recommend it to all sufferers."
25 and 50 cents a bottle.

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55 6.10, 6.25, and 6.40 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.25 P. M. Last car at 10.55 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.17, 6.32 6.47, and 7.02 A. M., and every 15 minutes until 10.47 P. M. Last car at 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset, via Wollaston, leave Quincy at 7.10 and 7.40 A. M., and every half hour until 10.10 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Wollaston, leave Neponset at 7.02 and 7.32 A. M., and every half hour until 10.32 P. M., then 11.25 P. M.

Cars for Neponset via Norfolk Downs, leave Quincy at 7.25 and 8.25 A. M., and every hour until 10.25 P. M.

Cars for Quincy via Norfolk Downs, leave Neponset at 7.47 A. M., and every hour until 10.47 P. M. except 4.47 P. M.

Atlantic and Quincy Avenue.

Leave QUINCY AVENUE for Reed's Corner, Atlantic, via Hancock street, at 6.15 A. M. and every hour until 7.15 P. M.

Leave REED'S CORNER, Atlantic, for Quincy Avenue, via Hancock street, at 6.45 A. M. and every hour until 7.45 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for Holbrook at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.10 P. M. to South Braintree only, except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 10.50 runs through to Holbrook.

Cars leaving Neponset at 17 and 47 minutes past the hour run through to Holbrook.

Quincy and Hingham.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20, then at 1.50 and every hour until 6.50.

Leave HINGHAM at 7.30 A. M. and every hour until 12.30, then 1 P. M. and every hour until 7.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for Weymouth and West Quincy on the hour and half hour.

For Neponset, cars leave at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour.

For Holbrook, cars leave at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour.

Cars leave Neponset for Quincy at 2, 17, and 47 minutes past the hour.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Old Colony System.

On and after October 3, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba	*6 22 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 00	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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A Rainbow of Smiles.

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Clever Comedians,
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☞ It makes those laugh who never laughed before, and those who have laughed will laugh the more.

Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cts.

Reserved seats on sale at Durgin's Drug Store.
April 28. 4t

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VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE

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PUBLIC AUCTION

To Settle the Estate.

Will be sold on the premises on

SATURDAY, May 7, 1898

at 3 P. M., the estate of the late

SUSANNA B. MARSH,

No. 162 Hancock St., Quincy.

THE Estate consists of a 6-room house and about three-fourths of an acre of land with a frontage of 58 feet on Hancock street. The property is valuable for investment for business purposes, being situated on the west side of Hancock street, and in that portion that is being rapidly developed for business purposes.

Give this your attention, as the property must be sold at some price to settle the estate.

Sale positive, rain or shine.

Terms: $200 deposit on day of sale; balance cash within 30 days upon delivery of deed.

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April 29. 6t

By LEWIS J. BIRD CO., Auctioneers,
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QUINCY, on

THURSDAY MAY 5, 1898,

AT 10.30 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

At the residence of the late

E. B. PRATT, Hancock St., Quincy,

The entire Nice Furnishings, also the Carriages, Carts, etc.,

Including elegant custom made mahogany and b. w. bedroom sets, fine hair mattresses, feather pillows and bolsters, wire springs, bedding, toilet sets, elegant ebony and gold furniture, as follows: Parlor desks, cabinet (tile inlaid), pedestal, easels, rockers, tables and parlor set tapestry covered, one parlor set brocaded, couches in cretonne and corduroy, b. w. secretary, b. w. chiffonniere, oak book cases, books, fine parlor and centre tables, Morris chairs, mahogany tea table, bronze clock and ornaments, laces, draperies, portieres, parlor and banquet lamps, pictures, fine rugs and carpets, b. w. dining table, sideboards and chairs in leather, china, glass and plated ware, kitchen utensils, 2 century plants, 2 hydrangeas, one billiard table complete with balls, cues, etc., all contained in 18 rooms.

At 2 o'clock, Goddard buggy, beach wagon by R. Tyner, close carriage, leather lined, by Ferd. French, all in perfect condition; dog cart, tip cart, hay rigging, harnesses, carriage robes, farming tools, etc.

April 25. 6t—25-27-30-2-3-4

Dogs Must Be Licensed

ON OR BEFORE

April  30th,

Or the owners or keepers thereof

LIABLE TO A FINE.



CITY OF QUINCY.

Extracts from the Laws of this Commonwealth.

EVERY Owner or keeper of a dog of three months old or over, shall annually on or before the 30th Day of April, cause it to be Registered, Numbered, Described and Licensed for one year from the first day of the ensuing May, in the office of the clerk of the city or town wherein said dog is kept, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

Any owner of a dog may at any time have it licensed until the first day of the ensuing May; and a person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of May, not duly licensed, shall cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed as provided in the preceding section.

The fee for every license shall be two dollars for a male dog and five dollars for a female dog.

Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter shall forfeit Fifteen Dollars, five dollars of which shall be paid to the complainant and ten dollars to the treasurer of the county in which the dog is kept.

Every owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes may receive annually a special license authorizing him to keep such dogs upon the premises described in such license. When the number of dogs so kept does not exceed five, the fee for such license shall be Twenty Five Dollars; when the number of dogs so kept exceeds five, the fee shall be Fifty Dollars, and no fee shall be required for th dogs of such owner or keeper, under the age of six months.

Any owner or keeper of a dog not duly licensed, which becomes three months old after the thirtieth day of April in any year, shall, whenever it is three months old, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed until the first day of the ensuing May, as provided in section eighty of chapter one hundred and two of the Public Statutes, and shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar, distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.
Quincy, Mass., April 26. 13t eod

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Year Ago.
Sunday	45	72	78
Monday	48	67	81
Tuesday	48	51	70
Wednesday	45	50	52
Thursday	42	60	48
Friday	43	66	60
Saturday	65	62	70

New Advertisements Today.

Hurdy Gurdy party.
Granite clothing store.
William Westland & Co—Hardware.
Quincy Clothing Co.
Boston Branch Grocery.
18-foot dory found.
E. B. Collins—Millinery.
First-class dressmaking—Mrs. Z. A. Howes.

Good Afternoon.

War with Spain should be prosecuted with vigor to bring it to a speedy termination. For a nation like this to fight a feeble one like Spain will bring no credit unless it is done quickly, as the Germans whipped France in their last war. Within a week the Germans were in Paris to demand an idemnity and got it on their own terms and in cash too. It would be worth our while to fight such a nation as France in place of a bankrupt nation like Spain, because an idemnity would compensate us, which it will be impossible to obtain from Spain under any circumstaces; so that the only prospect of gaining glory will be in conquering Spain quickly.

The other day, in New York, an up town grocer brought to the office of the board of health what appeared a first to be a walnut. A novice at the business would have bet his last penny that the nut was genuine. What do you suppose it was? It consisted of one part of walnut peel extract mixed with six parts of water, and with the solution the wood was coated. When material used in the construction of the "nut" was dry, a solution of bichromate of potash with water was rubbed on it. Then the walnut was eady for market. The board has topped the manufacture of wooden walnuts in this town.

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April 30. 6t

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Annual Meeting Wednesday, May 4, 1898

AT 7.45 P. M.,

Room 1, Savings Bank Building.

Election of Officers.
Vote on Amendment of By-Laws.
Sale of Shares in 19th Series.
Loan of Money on Mortgages.

R. D. CHASE, Sec.

Quincy, April 28—6t 1wp

YOUR LOSS

If You Do Not Look at Our Line.

Monarch, - - - $60.00
Defiance, - $40.00 and 50.00
King and Queen, - 35.00
McCune, - - - 30.00
Mystic, - - - - 27.98

Others as low as *$20.00*. Job Lot of Sundries at a Sacrifice.

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J. N. LEACH,
General Manager.
78 Summer St., Boston.

April 28—eod 1m o-4w

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Appraiser.
Notary Public.
Justice of the Peace.

84 Hancock Street, QUINCY.

Connected by telephone. April 1—1poly

A CALL SOON.

Capt. Kincaide Expects Further Orders.

Company K Has a Large Waiting List Now.

Capt. Kincaide of Co. K in conversation with a representative of the Ledger this morning said that members of his compay to a man were bitterly disappointed that the Fifth regiment had not been selected as one of the regiments to go to the front. They have been expecting to be called out every day for duty for some time and they had made all arrangements to respond for duty for an indefinite period. To be left at home was not pleasant especially as the regiment was one of the best drilled, the best officered and that it contained the best marksmen in the State.

Capt. Kincaide, however, said that at a conference held in Boston Friday he was informed that the regiment would undoubtedly be called out soon, and that before the war was over it would have an opportunity to see all the war it wanted. The company must be patient until the call came. Just when that will be is of course a matter of doubt.

The recruits of Co. K are being drilled every night in the week except Sunday. The response to the call for volunteers has been so large that Co. K is said to have 300 on the waiting list.

On to Framingham.

By special orders of Governor Wolcott, commander in chief, The four volunteer regiments designated as the quota of this commonwealth will encamp at the state camp ground, South Framingham, as follows:

The regiment of volunteers to be commanded by Col. E. P. Clark will report at the camp ground on Tuesday, May 3 at 12 o'clock, noon.

The regiment to be commanded by Co. F. B. Bogan will report at the camp ground on Wednesday May 4, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The volunteers regiment to be commanded by Col. W. A. Pew, Jr., to report at the camp ground on Thursday, May 5, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The volunteer regiment to be commanded by Col. Chase F. Woodward will report at the camp ground on Friday, May 6, at 11 o'clock A. M.

New Trial.

A new trial is to be held next June in the case of John McKay of Liberty street against the New England Dredging Co. This suit is the outcome of an accident near Rockland, Me., last October, in which William McKay, his 23-year old son, was killed while in the employ of the defendant.

The young man was a stonecutter and left home last June for Hallowell, Me. While there he secured employment with the New England Dredging Co., who were building a breakwater at or near Rockland, Me. The young man was employed running a steam drill, and while thus engaged a large stone fell onto him causing his death. It was claimed by the young man's father that the company was at fault, and a suit was commenced for damages. The case was heard at Rockland, Me., in March and a verdict received, awarding damages to the amount of $2,000. The defendant filed exceptions and a new trial has been ordered, as stated above.

Mrs. McKay in conversation with a representative of the Ledger, said that her son had been unfortunate in obtaining work and had never been able to be of any assistance to her financially for that reason. After the suit was commenced the company had been to see her and offered them $1,000 to settle the case, which had been refused, as she thought it was not sufficient, although she had rather settle the case out of court.

A New Merchant.

Do not forget that A. A. Linscott has purchased the stock and good will of the jewelry store in the Square, known for many score of years as John O. Holden's. He has had great experience and is prepared to clean and repair your watch in the best manner; and furnish you with any article of gold and silver you may wish.

The Norfolk County Superior court for the trial of civil cases will come in at Dehlam next Monday, before Judge Sherman. The trial list is a long one, containing 161 cases in all. Twenty-three of these are against the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 22 against various cities and towns, and 30 against railways both steam and electric.

MANY NEW YACHTS.

Builders Unusually Busy This Season on Quincy Boats.

J. L. and L. H. Sturtevant of the Quincy Yacht club have had McIntire of Neponset remodel the Redskin this winter. She has been materially lengthened and widened. Her new dimensions are length over all 39 feet, 9 inches, former length 33 feet, 4 inches; l. w. l., 24 feet, 11 inches, former l. w. l. 23 feet, 8 inches; beam 9 feet, former beam 8 feet, 9 inches; draught with board up 2 feet, former 1 foot, 3 inches.

Mr. Elwood W. Beal has been re-elected janitor of the Quincy Yacht club's house. William Parker & Son are doing the alterations at the Quincy Yacht club's house.

Mr. J. Warren Nightingale's new yacht, the Autocrat, will soon go into commission in the Quincy Yacht Club's fleet. She was built by Embree Bros. of the Point and is 31 feet overall; 21 feet w. l.; 10 foot beam, and will draw 16 inches. She is a handsome craft and will be quite an addition to the fleet.

Mr. Chester C. Collins of the Quincy Yacht club has bought this spring a new Crosby Cape cat. She is a powerful boat such as D. & C. H. Crosby of Osterville usually turn out. She measures 23 feet, 10 inches overall; 23 feet l. w. l.; 1 foot beam and draws 28 inches.

Mr. Charles H. Alden of the Quincy Yacht Club expects to go down to D. & C. H. Crosby's place at Osterville, soon with a party of friends and bring around his new cat which they have been building for him this winter. Although Mr. Alden stoutly claims that she is not a fast boat all the same it is apparent to the local yachtsmen that if she is anything like his other boat, the Chatham, she will be a flyer. Her lines are good. She is 33 feet overall; 24 feet, 6 inches l. w. l.; 11 foot 8 inches beam and draws 2 feet.

Mr. George D. Follett of the Quincy Yacht Club expects to get his new boat, which Hanley is building, in a few weeks. She is set up and is being planked this week. She will carry a large spread of canvas, something like 700 square feet. She is 29 feet overall; 20 feet, 6 inches l. w. l.; and 10 foot beam

Mr. J. A. Fenno of the Quincy Yacht Club will sail this summer in his new yawl, which Lelois is just finishing. It has been several years since Mr. Fenno did any yachting, but he will make up for elapsed time in having one of the trimmest looking boats in the clubs fleet. The Brant, for that is the name of the yawl, is 27 feet, 6 inches overall; 22 feet 6 inches l. w. l.; 9 foot, 2 inch beam, and will draw 3 foot.

Another boat which has recently been enrolled in the Quincy Yacht Clubs fleet is the Winona, the large Cape cat owned by Mr. Charles H. Sprague of Braintree.

TODAY'S COURT.

Andrew Sellberg was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Monday.

Charles A. Dolan was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until next Saturday.

The continued case of Thomas O'Hollorhan, for violation of the liquor law at Randolph, was called and was continued three weeks for judgment.

Ching Chung was arraigned for attempted rape at Quincy. Case continued until next Thursday.

Ching Chung is the Chinaman from whom the two girls, Annie Jacobs and Kate Murphy, stole the $15 Friday. After the two girls had been taken to the police station they told the officers that the reason they took the money was because the Chinaman assaulted them.

Annie Jacobs and Kate Murphy were arraigned for the larceny of $15 from Ching Chung in Quincy. Case continued until next Thursday.

John J Moran was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

Harry R. Hutchinson was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

—The New York city government will continue the pay of all employes who enlist or who are members of any regiment of the national guard of the state that may be called to the front. This was of course a very patriotic and generous act on the part of the city government. But it is generosity that will not cost them a cent. The taxpayers will have to foot the bills.—Brockton Times.

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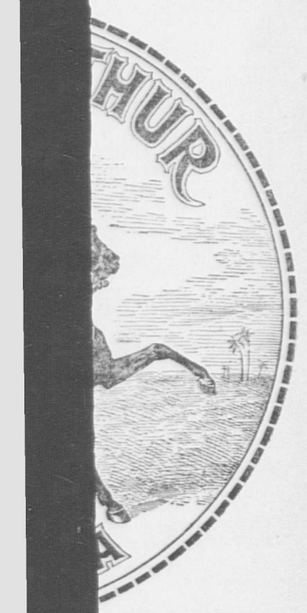
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DRAMA AND DANCE.

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The Scotch Thistle a Feature of the Grand March.

Last evening the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor, No. 1, celebrated the sixth anniversary of the inauguration of their order in our city by a dramatic entertainment and ball in Music hall.

Despite the abominable weather, which prevailed throughout the evening, rendering walking anything but a pleasant exercise; and the fact that of late, social entertainments have been of very frequent occurrence, the attendance was fairly good.

In the past the Loyal ladies have been remarkably successful in all their efforts at catering to the amusement of the public, and this occasion proved no exception to the rule. The entire affair passed off without the slightest friction, and the management are to be congratulated upon the measure of success which attended their painstaking efforts.

The production which held the stage, was the two-act drama entitled: "Among the Breakers," with the following cast of characters:

David Murray,—Keeper of Fairpoint Light, Mr. John G. Clark
Larry Divine,—His Assistant, Mr. John F. Foley
Hon. Bruce Hunter, Mr. Robert Findlay
Clarence Hunter,—His Ward, Mr. James Marr
Peter Paragraph,—A Newspaper Reporter, Mr. John S. Ross
Scud,—Hunter's Colored Servant, Mr. Edmond A. Shea
Miss Minnie Daze,—Hunter's Niece, Miss H. C. Esson
Bess Starbright,—"Cast up by the Waves," Miss L. O. M. Smith
"Mother Carey,"—A reputed "Fortune Teller," Mrs. S. E. Perry
Biddy Bean,—An Irish Girl, Miss May W. Rose

"Among the breakers" proved a splendid entertainment, alike for its interesting story, and amusing scenes. The plot and situations are familiar to the average patron of amateur theatricals, and bears a strong resemblance to a host of other dramas wherein figure a heroine, lover, stolen child, witch, etc.

The various characters were well represented; some of the acting showing a clear conception of the parts assumed, and no little tact and dramatic ability in the makeup of the aspirants for histrionic fame.

As "Bess Starbright," Miss Lizzie Smith displayed spirit and vivacity, and in appearance and manner made an ideal heroine. Miss May Rose, as "Biddy Bean," and John F. Foley, as "Larry Divine," with their quaint Irish drolleries, and love making, contributed vastly to the amusement of the audience. Pre-eminently conspicious in this line also was Edmond A. Shea, as "Scud" the colored servant, whose song: "There's going to be a barbacue tomorrow" received a well deserved ovation, and recall.

John S. Ross gave an exceedingly lively impersonation of "Peter Paragraph," the voluble newspaper reporter, who not only wrote up sensational articles for his paper, but found time to accomplish a good deal in the way of love making as well. Miss H. Esson, as "Minnie Daze," the somewhat prim niece, with an eye for the romantic, bore her part with dignity and grace, while Mrs. S. E. Perry, as "Mother Cares" looked and acted the conventional witch and fortune teller with much energy and effectiveness. Other members of the cast: Robert Findlay, as "Hon. Bruce Hunter," John G. Clark, as "David Murray" and James Marr, as "Clarence Hunter" all did excellent work in their various positions. The latter's singing being especially good in "The Lighthouse by the Sea."

Upon the whole the drama was well received, and the heartiness of the applause with which at times it was greeted, testified to the enjoyment and approval of the audience.

At 11 the signal was given for the opening of the ball, and the grand march was promptly led off by floor directoress, Miss Catherine Black and Mr. James Welch, who were followed by about seventy-five couples. The march was admirably carried out: the evolutions being formed to represent the emblem of Scotland, the Thistle. This was accomplished in excellent style, and without a single break.

The grand march and circle was followed by a genuine Scotch reel, after which the order of dances alternated between round dances and Quadrilles, with a contra for variety. Once under way, the dancing was kept up with unflagging zeal, and energy until four o'clock A. M. when the affair terminated. The weather by this time having obligingly cleared off, made the walking homeward much less disagreeable than was that of the journey to the hall.

THE SPRING BUDS.

News Germs from All Parts of the City of Quincy.

Arbor day.

Its getttng warm.

Fair and warmer Sunday.

Tomorrow will be May day.

Will the dust fly before night?

William McGuiness of Squantum street is very ill.

Many pastors announce their subjects for tomorow in the Sunday services.

Two large schooners came ashore at Squantum Thursday afternoon during the severe storm.

Commissioner Knowlton is doing some minor repairing on the Wollaston streets. The heavy storms this spring have badly washed them.

Paul Revere Post, G. A. R., has been invited to St. John's church on Memorial Sunday, May 29, when Rev. J. E. Johnstone will deliver the address.

Rev. Walter R. Breed will speak each Sunday evening in May on "The Religious and Political History of Spain. Services in Christ church at 7 o'clock.

The chess match to have been played Friday evening at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. between Quincy and Boston players, was again postponed on account of the weather.

The war bulletins published each afternoon by the Daily Ledger, give the late news in a concise form, and one does not find it necessary to read several pages of a Boston paper to get the news.

Wollaston is patriotic in these war times. Among those who have run out the American flag are Councilman Jameson, Mr. A E. Brownville and Mr. David Brown, Jr.

Owing to the severity of the storm the meeting of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union which was to have been held at the Wollaston Congregational church on Thursday evening, was postponed.

William Westland, for many years the obliging clerk at C. B. Tilton's hardware store, has purchased the stock and will reopen the store on Monday. Mr. Westland is one of our popular young men, and should receive a share of public patronage.

Rev. E. N. Hardy will address the mens meeting Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'oclock at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on the War with Spain. He will have maps to illustrate his talk.. It will be very interesting and instructive. All men are invited to attend.

A full house is expected to the tenth anniversary of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip at the Bethany Congregational church, Sunday evening, May 1st. The meeting will be in charge of the Brotherhood and the subjects will be of interest to all. All men are especially invited to attend.

The recent heavy rains have worked havoc in the sewer trench of Contractor McKnight on Bigelow street. The trench was practically dug to its right depth before the rain commenced and the heavy volume of water that fell filled up the trench. A steam pump was at work all day Friday but did not succeed in lowering the water much. Some progress however is being made today.

AT CITY HALL.

In and Out Among the Officials of Quincy.

Principal Assessor Perkins in conversation with a Patriot representative stated that the board were considering the matter of assessing bicycles this year, just what value they would place on wheels had not been decided as yet. They realize the tax on bicycles is a hard one to determine for there are but few wheels that cost more than $50. It is probable that the board will decide upon an average value of wheels.

Hamilton C. Chase of Norfolk Downs, a young man about 16 years of age, marched into City Hall this morning and deposited a seal's tail on City Clerk Cleaves desk and received his bounty of $3. The young man said that he shot the seal off Squantum last week. This is the first bounty on seals that the city has been called upon to pay this year.

State and Military Aid is being paid today.

A meeting of the Committee on Streets has been called for Monday night at 7 o'clock.

The hearing Friday night before the Board of Health on the charges preferred against Inspector of Plumbing Keniley by Jules Johnson was a brief one, as many of the witnesses of Mr. Johnson were not present. What witnessess were present gave their testimony and the case for the complainant was closed. The hearing was then adjourned until next Tuesday when the witnesses for Mr. Keniley will be heard.

INCENDIARY FIRE.

A Second Attempt to Burn Old Farnum Buildings.

Another unsuccessful attempt was made early this morning to burn the old Farnum building at the junction of Copeland and Crescent streets but it was discovered and an alarm given from Box 446 at 3.10.

This building is in a dilapidated condition and has long been an eyesore to the residents of West Quincy, who would have been only too glad if something had prevented the department from responding. But a few minutes more would have been required this morning to have settled the building.

The fire which was of undoubtedly incendiary orgin started in the Crescent street side of the building, and when the department arrived was burning fiercely. Chief Packard was confined to his home by illness and did not respond and the fire was handled by Assistant Engineer Ripley with his accustomed good judgment, and as a result the fire was soon extinguished. The interior of the building was charred considerably, but as the building as a whole is not worth much the damage will not be heavy.

WEYMOUTH.

Little Items of Interest About Town.

The Daily Ledger now has correspondents in different parts of Weymouth, but solicits news from all citizens and invites correspondence on matters of local interest. News agents sell the Ledger.

The business men's flag will be unfurled at Jackson Square East Weymouth tonight. The school children will sing "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner," assisted by Miss Annie Powers, soloist, and Mr. Fred H. Pratt, cornet accompaniment.

Rev. R. R. Kendall, pastor of the Old North church at Weymouth Heights will take for his text tomorrow, "What war may do for us."

Mrs. Lewis L. Hart has returned from a visit to California.

Niss Kate Pierce of this town has been elected superintendent of drawing in the Boston public schools at a salary of $1500 a year.

A large number of East Weymouth people attended the concert given by the Dartmouth College Dramatic Club at Fogg's Opera House, South Weymouth, last evening.

Mrs. Chas. V. Glynn of North Weymouth, will leave today for Philadelphia where she will join Mr. Glynn.

At the Rink tonight an excellent game has been provided as a benefit for the East Weymouth team players. A number of the crack polo players of the State league have been signed for this game and without any doubt whatever the game will be the fastest and most scientific played this season. Cotter will referee.

Music for the dancing was supplied by Merrymount orchestra, while Mr. William Wilson acted as prompter with his usual efficiency. Assisting Miss Catherine Black in charge of the floor were:—Lizzie G. Esson, Lizzie Smith, Agnes Kennedy, Annie Pratt Alice Nicol, Annie A. Booth and Katie D. Wood. The reception committee were: Mrs. Maggie Souter, Mrs. Lizzie Chalmers; and the committee of arrangements consisted of—Mrs. Annie Birnie, Mrs. S. E. Perry, Mrs. Bella Ross, Mrs. Fannie Wood, Miss L. O. M. Smith; Mrs. Maggie Souter, president; Miss Maggie Booth, secretary of committee.

Mrs. Bela French of East Weymouth is visiting her sister at Newark, N. J.

On Sunday, May 1, Rev. Daniel Evans, pastor of the Congregational church, will preach on "War." The chorister, Mr. C. H. Newton has arranged special music in keeping with the spirit.

Will Colby of East Weymouth is serving on board the Minnesota with the naval brigade.

To-morrow morning at the Baptist Rev. F. B. Cressey takes as the subject of his sermon "Jesus and the Temple." In the evening he will deliver an address entitled "Young Men and Bottles of Beer."

Rev. I W. Cate will preach at the Universalist church to-morrow.

Engineer Morse of the Braintree and Weymouth Street Railway is improving slowly.

Edward Billings is building fifteen houses in Quincy.

R. D. Batchelder has resigned his position with Kennedy's Biscuit Company and will remove to Lexington, where he has accepted a position.

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THE ROADSIDE ÆOLIAN.

When winds stream over the rugged knoll
The highway lies along,
The wires stringing from pole to pole
Give tongue to a voice of song.

A-glint with beams of the morning sun
They carry a blitheful air,
Humming a burden that seems to run,
"Good news is the word we bear."
This joyous one,
"Good news we bear."

They swing and sway at the breeze's will,
While the heavens smile above
To hear the measure they gayly thrill,
"We're speeding a line of love,"
With scale and trill,
"A line of love."

A cloud and a shadow go sailing by.
To the breezes' falling breath
In sinking cadence the wires sigh,
"Respect for a tale of death!"
More softly still,
"A tale of death!"

Oh, the songs are many the wires sing
When the roving wind is sent
To play of gladness or suffering
On its mighty instrument.
—Layton Brewer in Criterion.

MISSING MONEY.

Erastus Twopeny was a lawyer, expert in real estate values and an apt conveyancer, and as he practiced in the days before the title guarantee hawk had swooped down upon the legal barnyard and captured the geese that laid the golden eggs he made money. As soon as he found himself in a condition to marry he took to himself a wife. She was energetic and ambitious, and while she proved herself an excellent housewife she was at the same time inflamed by a strong desire to acquire wealth on her own account.

Her husband was all that a woman could desire, and she had nothing to complain of on that score. He was even generous and showed it by giving refuge in his comfortable home to his wife's brother Charles, who had proved himself incapable of retaining any position which his friends had procured for him. He was a good looking, agreeable young fellow, but lacked those staying qualities which make one a good man of business. In society he was all right and a favorite with the families where he visited. He had no vices so far as known by his family, except smoking can be considered such, and when he was out of funds his sister always managed to supply him with money enough to enjoy that luxury.

Erastus was devoted to his profession, and often after quitting his office for the day continued to transact business during the evening at his home. The house was an old fashioned one, with a back piazza and an alley at one side, leading from the front to the yard in the rear. The front and back parlors were originally separated by folding doors, but a dainty curtain, tastefully festooned, had been substituted for the doors.

One evening in August a client called to pay Erastus $2,500 on a real estate transaction, and, as the back parlor was dark and the front parlor sufficiently lighted by the setting sun for the work, Erastus and his client seated themselves at a table therein, while Mrs. Twopeny sat near the window. Though she was chiefly occupied in watching the passersby and the children at play in the street, yet she could not help hearing what passed between the two men at the table. Presently her brother Charles came down stairs and glanced in at the door. His sister arose and spoke to him, and both at the same time looked toward the table on which could be seen a small parcel of greenbacks, with a thin slip of white paper around them.

Charles quitted the house and soon afterward Mrs. Twopeny arose and stood between the window and the lace curtain, looking out. In a few minutes the men at the table arose and Mr. Twopeny accompanied his client to the door. Immediately afterward Mrs. Twopeny heard a slight noise and turning saw the curtains between the front and back parlors moving. She thought nothing of it at the time, fancying that it was the result of a draft occasioned by her husband closing the front door.

The house was only a few steps from the cross street, and as the client came down the stoop and turned toward the corner Mrs. Twopeny followed him with her eyes. To her surprise she saw her brother just turning the corner and wondered what could have delayed him. While still at the window musing, she was startled by her husband exclaiming:

"Why, Bertha, what can have become of the money I left on the table?"

"Become of it?" she replied. "Why it must be there, of course, if you left it there."

"Well, I can't find it," her husband said. "I left it right here in front of these papers. They are all right, but the money is gone."

"Oh, that is absurd," she said. "Light the gas, and then you will find it, no doubt."

While she pulled down the blinds Erastus lighted the gas, and then both set to work to look for the missing notes. They were not on the table, nor could they be found anywhere about the room or in the hallway.

"Look in all your pockets," said the wife. "You may have inadvertently put the money into one of them."

"No, no," was the reply. "I've searched every one of them already. It's gone. No doubt about it. But where?"

"There's no one in the house but ourselves," the wife said. "I allowed the cook and Nancy to go out immediately after supper. Brother Charles went out while you were at the table with your client, and there isn't even a cat in the house to blame for it."

Then they made another search, but it was as vain as the others. And there each of them stood, looking this way and that, as one will do when one loses anything and fondly hopes to discover it in some unexpected spot.

"You're sure your client paid you?" Mrs. Twopeny said.

"Oh, yes, and I gave him a receipt," was the answer. "And Simpson is too prominent a man to"—

He paused and looked on the ground thoughtfully. "To what?" his wife asked.

"Come into the back parlor," Mr. Twopeny said.

They went, and Mr. Twopeny lighted his cigar and sat down to smoke, as his custom was when anything disturbed him. Mrs. Twopeny sat down opposite to him.

"Now then, to what?" she repeated.

"To take the money," he said in a low tone.

"Well, I don't know," the wife said. "The money was there, and it is gone. You haven't got it, and I haven't got it, and it didn't vanish without hands."

"It will never do to hint at such a thing, Bertha," he said. "It is gone and it's no use fretting over it."

"Fretting over it. But you'll have to make it good, won't you?"

"Of course. It was to pay off a mortgage, and I must do it tomorrow. Fortunately I have the money and a little more."

Mr. Twopeny paid off the mortgage the next day, and business went on as usual. Years passed and Mrs. Twopeny's family increased so that her three boys and three girls occupied much of her time. Two of the boys were at college, and the expenses of the family were large. The girls were at first rate schools, and one of them was preparing for Vassar. Still by close attention to business Mr. Twopeny was able to earn enough to get along.

Later on, however, the title guarantee companies came into existence, and in a very short time Mr. Twopeny's practice began to fall off. It dwindled away until it scarcely paid office expenses. On the top of this, a corporation in which Mr. Twopeny had invested a very large sum failed, and he lost it all. This was a terrible blow, and it soon became evident that he would have to reduce the family expenses. At this juncture he was taken ill, and the doctor pronounced him the victim of consumption.

The feelings of the unfortunate husband and father may be imagined, but not described. In fact, an eminent physician whom his wife called in gave it as his opinion that it was his pecuniary troubles that were wearing him away and not a chronic malady.

Mrs. Twopeny now comes forward as the prominent character in this drama. She took her husband away to a pleasant spot by the seaside and did all she could to keep up his spirits. He visibly improved in health, and then Bertha entered upon the task which awaited her and which she had long expected to undertake.

"My dear husband," she said as they sat looking over the placid ocean, "you must promise me not to be angry or to blame me in any way."

"Why, my dear, how could I?" he answered. "Even if I had the disposition I haven't the strength."

"Now," she said, "I am going to tell you the strangest story you ever heard. You remember the $2,500 which you missed nearly 20 years ago?"

"Of course I do. What about it?"

"I am going to tell you. You went to the door, you remember, to see your client, Mr. Simpson, off?"

"Yes, I remember it well, and when I returned to the parlor the money was gone."

"Just so. While you were at the door I was standing looking out of the window. I heard the curtain between the front and back parlors rustle. I turned and saw no one. After the money was missing I lay awake all that night thinking. I remember that while you were with Mr. Simpson at the table my brother Charles came down stairs and stood at the parlor door, looking in, and that I spoke with him. I saw the money on the table with a white slip around it. He saw the money also. He left the house. As Mr. Simpson went down the stoop and turned toward the next street I followed him with my eyes and saw my brother just turning the corner, though he had left the house some time before. I didn't think much of it then, but I did after I went to bed that night. I suspected that he had taken the money; that, seeing it on the table, he had returned to the rear of the house by the alley and watched in the back parlor for an opportunity to steal it.

"I rose early the next morning and went to his room. I accused him of the crime and made him believe I had recognized him as he entered the room from the back parlor. On my promise not to disclose the fact to you he admitted his guilt and restored the money. You know that soon afterward he went west. I insisted on that as part of the bargain. Then the question arose in my mind as to how I should return the money. After much deliberation I determined to keep it and to satisfy my longing for wealth by speculating with it. I began by small ventures in stocks. I was successful every time, and by degrees the money accumulated until"—

"Oh, until you made a big speculation and failed!" her husband exclaimed.

"No, my dear, though I did make some pretty big ventures for a woman, yet I never failed, and at this moment I am worth over $200,000."

"What! You, Bertha?"

"Yes—I, your wife. It was your money I used, and all that I have made is yours also. Will you forgive me?"

"Forgive you!"—A. Beckwith in Brooklyn Citizen.

A Smooth One.

"That old Smoother is a fraud," she declared, slapping the coffeepot down so hard that the tablecloth suffered.

"What's he been doing?"

"Our society," said she, "is trying to help a poor family that is in dire distress, and I was among those chosen to solicit subscriptions to help them. I called on Smoother, and he was so sympathetic that we both got to crying. He talked beautifully, and I never recalled till I got home that he hadn't given me a cent. The old skinflint!"—Detroit Free Press.

HOW TO CLIMB HILLS.

Hints Which May Help Wheelmen Out. More Ambition Than Strength.

To climb steep hills requires slow pace at first, and he will tire betimes who speeds too fast. Hill climbing is of all particular departments of cycling the one which requires the most learning. The novice will easily acquire the habit of proceeding along the level ground without more wabbling than is absolutely necessary to his progression or of descending a hill without losing more control of his machine than is needful, and even if the worst should come to the worst there is generally a nice prickly hedge or a good ditch filled with stinging nettles on at least one side of the road. But hill climbing is, as one may say, quite a different matter, inasmuch as it requires to be carefully learned, and in this, as in most other mundane affairs, experience is the greatest teacher. But yet there are some practical hints which may not be thrown away upon those who have the sense to read as they ride, so to speak, and to profit by the lessons which experience has taught others.

In the first place, one should never be discouraged because a hill appears to be steep. At the top of one ascent the next hill looks a regular wall to be surmounted, whereas, on closer acquaintance, it may turn out to be merely the gentlest of rises. And it is no doubt on this account—namely, the influence of the mind over the matter of the muscles—that most hills are much more easily climbed in the dark than in the daylight.

In the next place, hills that one does not know perfectly should not be rushed. The best plan is to start every ascent with the determination to get up as far as possible with as little exertion as possible, and to do this adequately there should be no fast pace at first. A very little practice will enable much to be done in the way of hill climbing. It is not by any means a bad plan to take some particular hill not far from home, not choosing one of exceeding steepness or its opposite, and a daily trial might be made at this hill. The rider will unfailingly notice how, with practice, the ascent maintains less and less of its original formidable proportions, and when at last its climbing becomes a matter of no moment there will be a great cause for wonder at its having appeared almost insurmountable at first. True, indeed, it is, speaking with special reference to hills, that familiarity breeds contempt of them, although, of course, there are bound to be encountered some of those really difficult rises which hardly any cyclist think of climbing and which are walked by all except the very strongest and most expert riders. There is great satisfaction in the eventual climbing of a hill which has baffled one at first, when this can be accomplished without undue exertion.—Wheelman.

Popular Cycle Clothes.

Sweaters are fast losing their popularity among wheelmen and are now almost entirely confined to racers and scorchers. They will probably be seen but little among the better class of riders this year, as the extra comfort gained by their wear is considered more than offset by the impossibility of preserving a spruce appearance when wearing them. Double breasted coats seem to be on the increase with cyclers. Knickerbockers to be of this year's style must be worn full, with considerable bagginess at the knees and with cuffs of the same material as the body. Stockings of solid colors, with fancy colored tops, especially dark blue or black, threaten to replace the plaids. The footless stocking to be worn with half hose is being generally adopted. Knickerbockers of a decided pattern will be worn with coats of a different pattern, generally darker and of a solid color. In headgear the fedora or some style of felt hat is preferred to cloth caps. Bicycle shoes are to be heavier and with slight extension soles. In shirts the fancy negligee, with white collars and cuffs, will be popular, the outfitters say, worn with gray colored neckties. For woman's wear bright colors will be worn, and skirts with coats and vests of different colors will be preferred to a suit of one color. In hats the Tam O'Shanter and the turban have given way to the boat and sailor shapes, and chips and wide panamas will be worn in hot weather.—New York Times.

Don't Forget How to Walk.

Walking is one of the very best of bodily exercises, and all cyclists would do well not to overlook the fact. It is foolish to assume, as many evidently do, that because cycling is a great improvement upon walking as regards speed and in many respects general utility it is therefore not worth while to bother with the slower mode of locomotion except at times when it cannot possibly be avoided. Legs were made before wheels, and the walking position is natural to the body and conducive, in combination with the necessary working of the muscles, to a good state of the circulatory system, to freedom in the working of the breathing apparatus, to pliability of the muscles and to bodily integrity generally. The cycling position is not so thoroughly natural, and while if it is not abused there is nothing injurious about it those riders who desire to take the best possible care of their bodies will not hold it too long at a time without a change. It is therefore advisable to get off and do a little walking occasionally, even if unnecessary on account of hills or the condition of the road.—American Cyclist.

Good Trainers Scarce.

The scarcity of good trainers, with ability to train and manage as well, has placed the services of those gentlemen of ability in the training profession very much in demand at present. Piracy is being attempted among the prominent racing men, and several trainers already secured for the season have been approached surreptitiously with offers of increased salaries to change positions.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning May 1. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Little ways of bettering the world. —Phil. ii, 12-16; Math. v, 13-16.

The duty of the Christian is to make the world better. This was the mission of Christ, and what He did is to be done by His disciples. Christ taught this duty to His disciples. "Ye are the salt of the earth," He said. Salt purifies, salt preserves. It makes better and it keeps better that with which it comes in contact. Thus the Christian as the salt of the earth is to make the earth better and to keep it better. "Ye are the light of the world," says Christ again. Light shines in darkness and dispels it, thus making everything better about it. Thus, says Christ, Christians are to let their light shine, that men may see their good works and glorify their Father who is in heaven.

The Christian is to make the world better by bringing it into the proper relation to God. This is the only true way to make it any better. The good works of Christ's disciples are not to lead men to glorify them, but to glorify God. This is to be done, the apostle practically argues in Phil. ii, 12-16, by obedience to God. If we obey God in the right kind of a way, men are led to see the beauty and the true method of obedience. They are thus led to obey God properly, and it is this that leads to their improvement morally and spiritually. Obedience seems like a little thing—trifling and insignificant—and yet it is a tremendously important factor in human life. Disobedience kept the children of Israel out of the land of Canaan, and disobedience will keep many out of the heavenly land typified by Canaan. When we obey God, we work out our salvation after we are saved; but we not only work out our own salvation in this way, but fill others with longings and aspirations to serve God with untold betterment to themselves.

The characteristics of Christian obedience as set forth by Paul are: (1) A cheerful obedience. "Do all things without murmurings" (Phil. ii, 14). It is not enough to obey God. We must do it willingly and cheerfully. When we obey, but with complaint and murmuring, obedience is robbed of much of its virtue and would discourage rather than encourage others in obedience. (2) An implicit, trustful obedience. "Without murmurings and disputings." For disputings read "doubtings." How many obey God, but with hesitancy, doubt and argument? Would such obedience encourage others? Rather would it not discourage them. If Christians obey God doubtingly, how could we expect those who are not Christians to obey him. (3) Filial obedience. "That ye may be blameless and harmless the sons of God." As sons we are to obey God. The slave may murmur and doubt, but the son never. The work may be laborious, at times it may be disagreeable, and yet the son should not complain, for he is working for himself in working for his father. As a son he is the heir, and therefore the fruit of his toil will some day be his own. In working for God we work for ourselves, and if we can impress men with this truth we will indeed be as lights in the world, dispelling darkness and making the world not only better, but happier.

Bible Readings.—I Sam. xv, 22; Math. x, 42; xxii, 34-39; xxv, 31-46; Luke x, 25-37; Rom. xii, 9-21; xv, 1-3; I Cor. x, 31; Gal. vi, 9; Eph. iv, 32; Heb. xiii, 1, 2; Jas. v, 7-14; I Pet. i, 22; ii, 17; iii, 8-12.

A Well Defined System.

Let me suggest to all my young brethren that if they hope to convert sinners and edify Christians they must take a strong and unhesitating grasp on God's Word and have a clear, well defined system of Biblical theology. Your business is not to unsettle faith, but to strengthen it. Stick to the old, well tried, heaven blessed gospel. Keep the modern fogs out of your study. As a wise man has said: "You may have your beliefs and have your doubts. Believe your beliefs and doubt your doubts. Never doubt your beliefs and never believe your doubts." Then you may hope to build up a solid church on Jesus Christ as the cornerstone.—Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler in Evangelist.

Doing and Knowing.

Men say that when they know they will do; Jesus says that when they do they will know. He does not promise to manifest Himself to the man who dreams or debates, but to him who keeps His commandments. The seeds of truth sprout in the soil of obedience. The words of Jesus in the mind of a disobedient man are no more vital than wheat in the wrappings of a mummy. To know the divinity of Jesus' teachings we must do His will with definite intention. Moral disobedience is mental darkness, but to submit our wills in loyalty to His law is to open our minds to the light of His truth.—S. S. Times.

Always Building Up.

Love is always building up. It puts some line of beauty on every life it touches. It gives new hope to discouraged ones, new strength to those who are weak, new joys to those who are sorrowing. It helps the despairing to rise and start again. It makes life seem more worth while to every one into whose eyes it looks. Its words are benedictions. Its every breath is full of inspiration.—Westminster Teacher.

Words and Deeds.

Do not be content with professions and asseverations, but seek to carve your affections, emotions and convictions into deeds, which, however small in themselves, still bear the effluence of the impulse that inspired them.—Jewish Exponent.

A Delight.

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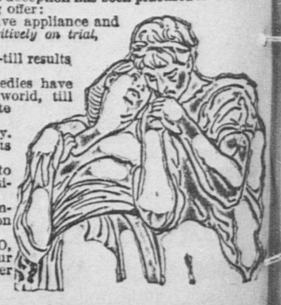
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THE EFFECT ON TRADE.

Transition From Peace to Hostilities Hardly Noticeable.

Quotations of Leading Staples Marked Up.

Many Articles of Domestic and Foreign Growth Affected.

New York, April 30.—The lack of excitement, nervousness or interruption to the ordinary orderly conduct of public affairs, and particularly business operations, with which this country passed from peace to war seems likely to become historical, in the opinion of Bradstreet's. When contrasted with the records and extent of business movements at periods in the country's history when war was the final result of strained relations, the temper with which the country has recognized the outbreak of hostilities with a foreign power is not only proof that the dullness and depression of the past six weeks have largely discounted the effects usually witnessed, but furnishes a valuable index to the general point of view taken by the business community as to the outcome of the pending war.

Little or no effect upon general trade distribution of an unfavorable character is perceptible in the reports of the past week. Perhaps the most notable, because the most uniform feature, has been the unanimity with which the quotations of leading staples have been marked up. These advances too have not been confined to food products, but include many widely differing articles alike of home and foreign growth. It is true that the greatest animation has been displayed in those products of the United States and of foreign countries the ocean transportation of which is, in the minds of some people, likely to be much interfered with. Thus wheat, whose strong statistical position has been frequently referred to, has been again marked up, chiefly because of the excited foreign demand which has developed and of the heavy advances at consuming points abroad.

Following the leading cereal in its upward movement, corn, oats and flour have likewise advanced, while in pork and other animal products, notably lard, bacon and hams, quotations have also been marked up. The activity in groceries throughout the country, a leading feature of the week, has been reflected in the higher quotations for coffee, sugar, canned goods of nearly all sorts, cheese and potatoes. In the iron and steel industry, while activity on former orders has been the leading feature, new business has been rather restricted, a conspicuous exception to this, however, being the demand for steel plates, which have advanced very heavily at the seaboard, as a result primarily of the outbreak of war.

Distributive trade is quiet at the east, except in those lines which seem likely to be affected by war taxes. Wool is dull, but manufacturers are reported making inquiries. Considerable business is looked for in the cotton and woolen goods trade as a result of the filling of army orders.

Business failures in the United States this week number 245, a gain of 21 over last week's total, and comparing with 244 in the corresponding week of 1897, 254 in 1896 and 206 in 1895.

Bank clearings are slightly smaller this week than last, aggregating $1,093,000,000, a decrease of 1.7 percent from last week, but an increase of 28 percent over this week a year ago, 11 percent over 1896, 14.5 percent over 1894 and 1.5 percent over 1895. Compared with 1893 and 1892 there is little or no change, while compared with the corresponding week in 1891 there is a decrease of 12 percent

Democratic Senators.

Washington, April 30.—At a meeting of the Democratic senators, Mr. Gorman resigned as chairman of the caucus committee, and Mr. Turpie became his successor. While all seemed favorable to an income tax, there was a general feeling that the bill should be made to carry sufficient revenue in addition to any that might be derived from an income tax, because of the uncertainty of the supreme court's sustaining an income tax. While no one voiced a desire to unduly delay the bill either in committee or in the senate, many expressed themselves as determined to oppose what some called "the railroading" of the measure.

Red Letter Day.

Lewiston, Me., April 30.—Monday will be a red letter day of patriotism in Lewiston and Auburn. The stores and mills will be closed, and the day will be observed as a holiday in celebration of the local troops' departure for encampment at Augusta. A large public parade will take place before the embarkation.

The G. A. R. men will be prominent in the escort duty; the police and fire departments, and the St. Joseph cadets will also be largely represented. Before the procession the troops will be addressed by Mayor Newell and C. A. Southard, department commander of the G. A. R.

Keogh the Champion.

Pittsburg, April 30.—The match between Keogh and Clearwater for the pool championship of the world and a $300 purse, ended last night by Keogh beating the local man by 173 points on the three nights' play. Keogh's work throughout had been phenomenal, while ill luck followed Clearwater. Last night Keogh, after his ninth inning, made two full frames and followed them with two of 12 balls each. Clearwater succeeded in putting the balls in only twice during the night. The final score: Keogh, 600; Clearwater, 427.

Train Robbers' Reward.

El Paso, Tex., April 30.—A Southern Pacific passenger train was taken in charge by four masked men at Comstock, Tex., at midnight Thursday night, two miles west of the station. The robbers wrecked the through safe in the express car and took the entire money contents, amounting to $20,000. The car was badly damaged by the explosion. Nobody was injured and none of the passengers disturbed. The robbers took a trail toward the Mexican border, and a posse is now in pursuit.

BOXING IN ENGLAND.

How Things Are Run at the National Sporting Club of London.

A man who saw the Palmer-Sullivan fight at the National Sporting club of London some time ago gives an interesting account of the way things are run in that exclusive sporting organization.

"Only members and their guests can get into the arena," he said recently, "and everybody wears evening dress. There is room for a big crowd, and when every spectator is in his seat all hats are removed and smoking is strictly prohibited. When the fight is under way, perfect order is maintained. If an excitable member yells encouragement to the contestants, he is promptly ordered to bottle himself up, and if he offends again he is quickly ejected from the building. The referee sits outside of the ring and is in full charge of everything. If he notices anybody who is inclined to be disorderly, he quickly calls upon attendants to put the offender out. In the Sullivan-Palmer fight the referee warned the American several times for foul tactics, and after the twelfth round ended he said:

"'Sullivan, if you were an Englishman, I would have disqualified you in the sixth round, but as you are an American I want to give you all the chance in the world. If you use that elbow again, however, I shall have to stop the bout.'"

If a boxing club hereabout could be conducted in such a manner, it would be a novelty never before experienced by ring followers. It is almost always the case that local bouts are attended by some persons who cannot restrain themselves when fighters are mixing things up.—New York Sun.

BULL TO COACH WEST POINT

The Famous Full Back Will Take Charge of the Cadets' Eleven.

William T. Bull of Newport has gone to New York to fill an important engagement at West Point and New Haven in the football line. The Army Officers' Athletic association, which handles cadet athletics at the Military academy on the Hudson, believes that the game of football is now at such an advanced stage of development among the cadets that the right sort of spring practice in drop kicking and punting is all that is necessary to bring about "the best season yet" the coming fall.

Last year the cadets played Yale a 6—4 game, and this year it is evident they mean to do all in their power to finally realize their dearest ambition, to defeat a big college eleven. At New Haven Mr. Bull will continue to direct the kicking practice, of which he has had charge ever since he graduated in 1888. Mr. Bull's reputation as the greatest full back Yale ever had is well known, and in the specialty of developing kickers he is unequaled.—Philadelphia Press.

TIMELY TURF TIPS.

The Kentucky Futurity for mares bred in 1897, which closed on March 15, received about 750 entries.

Henry C. Jewett is to build a half mile track at Jewettville, so that trainers can get out in the open on fair days.

The famous mare Bethel, 2:16, who involved Bob Kneebs in so much trouble in Germany, is to be on the German tracks in 1898.

Rubenstein, 2:05, is in fine fettle. He will not be in the stud this season, but will be extensively raced. He is already entered in several stake events.

One of the youngest sons of Rysdyk's Hambletonian, although a very old horse, is Marlborough, who is now located at Fredonia, N. Y. He is now 22 years old.

General Maceo, a promising 2-year-old by Meddler, won the first race, a 5½ furlong dash, at Benning the other day. General Maceo is a chestnut gelding out of Petrea.

Buddha has been declared out of the Washington handicap, and it is said that he will be declared out of all the big stakes and handicaps for which he is engaged, as the crack colt has bowed a tendon.

John Splan, the trotting horse trainer, has bought a runner at Lexington and will race in Chicago. The thoroughbred is a 2-year-old colt by Donatello, dam Eliza Hindoo, by Hindoo. Price $1,000.

Margrove, 2:15, will not cross the Atlantic, as reported, but will make a stud season, and then Samuel Fleming will race him. Fleming will also campaign Indiana, 2:11¼; Sport, 2:16¼, and several good prospects by Jersey Wilkes.

George W. Jamison will campaign Black Raven, 2:16¼, this season. The game son of Simmons was started 11 times during 1897, and won seven races, being unplaced but once, that in the celebrated eight heat race won by Crescens, 2:11¼.

Have the Laugh on Hart.

The boys had the laugh on President Hart of Chicago recently. In the morning he rose early and took a walk to the ball grounds to see how work was progressing on the grand stand improvements. When he reached the gate, he was denied admission. He became indignant, but no explanation was offered. The guard at the gate continued to stubbornly deny him admission. Smothering his anger, Hart walked along the fence until he found a peek hole. Utilizing this, he saw that the workmen were busy. That was what he came to learn, and he returned to his office. On the way there he was informed that there was a carpenters' strike on and that the refusal of admission was because of his being taken for a walking delegate. The guard did not want any of that kind to get in and stop the men working. "I have been taken for many things," said Hart, "but never for a workingman."—Chicago Times-Herald.

FORTUNE WITH THEM.

Boston's Ball Team Exhibiting a Winning Gait Nowadays.

Defeated the Washingtons by Skill With the Bat.

Louisville's Aggregation Gives a Sorry Exhibition of the Game.

Washington, April 30.—The Bostons won yesterday's game by superior batting and Washington's errors. Left-fielder Selbach injured himself slightly by falling in the seventh and was succeeded by Wagner. Score.

Washingtons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Selbach, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Gettman, r. f.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Leahey, 3 b.	4	0	0	3	5	0
Doyle, 1 b.	4	2	3	8	0	1
McGuire, c.	4	1	3	0	0	0
Wrigley, s. s.	3	0	1	6	2	0
Reitz, 2 b.	4	0	1	0	2	1
Brown, c. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Weyhing, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wagner, l. f.	1	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	37	4	10	27	10	1

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f.	4	3	3	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	5	2	3	9	0	0
Long, s. s.	4	1	2	2	2	0
Duffy, l. f.	4	1	2	2	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	5	1	1	1	2	0
Stahl, r. f.	5	0	0	4	0	0
Lowe, 2 b.	4	2	1	2	0	1
Yeager, c.	4	1	2	6	0	0
Willis, p.	5	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	40	11	14	27	8	1

Washingtons	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0—	4
Bostons	2	0	0	4	0	2	1	2	0—1	1

Earned runs—Washingtons, 2; Bostons, 7. Stolen bases—Hamilton, 2. Two-base hits—Tenney, 2; Duffy, Collins. Three-base hit—Lowe. Home runs—Gettman, Long. Double play—Reitz to Leahey to Doyle. First base on balls—Off Weyhing, 4; off Willis, 2. Struck out—By Willis, 4. Wild pitch—Willis. Left on bases—Washingtons, 5; Bostons, 7. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Snyder and Curry.

In Pittsburg—The ball season opened with a defeat for the home team, 5 to 2. The Cincinnatis put up a brilliant game and outplayed the locals at every point.

In Cleveland—Had it not been for errors by McKean and Childs, St. Louis would have been shut out without a run yesterday. Cross was hit by a hot liner from Wallace's bat, and put out of the game. Score: 6 to 2.

In Wilkesbarre—The Wilkesbarres and Rochesters opened the Eastern league season with a game that was won by the timely batting of the home team, 4 to 1.

In Chicago—The Louisvilles could not play ball, and the opening game in Chicago was a walkover for the home team, 16 to 2.

In Syracuse—The Bisons made two runs in the sixth inning after Earl had made an error on a ball which should have retired the side and that won yesterday's game for the visitors, 3 to 4.

Season Opens Today.

Boston, April 30.—The New England league season opens today with games in Pawtucket, Brockton and Fall River. The outlook for the whole circuit was never better. The pennant is held jointly by Brockton and Newport. The Brockton club is but little changed from that of last year. The loss of Sheckard, now with Brooklyn, makes the only break in the infield. Clancy, who played last year with Oberlin college, will fill Sheckard's old position. Newport will probably hold its own against all comers.

If They Win the Pennant.

Philadelphia, April 30.—Messrs. Reach and Rogers, owners of the Philadelphia Baseball club, have announced to their players that $10,000 would be divided among them if the club wins the championship pennant this season, and that for second place $5000 will be given, for third place $2500 and for fourth place $1250.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Austrian government is not disposed to sign a special declaration of neutrality.

The senate has confirmed the nomination of Michael Kerwin to be pension agent in New York.

Prince Bismarck, according to a dispatch from Berlin, says Germany ought not to bind her hands by a neutrality declaration.

John Asquith of Chicago, 75 years old, and his wife, 70 years old, were found dead in bed in their room. The couple had evidently committed suicide by asphyxiation.

A Moscow correspondent says that Russia has received a severe blow in the suspected friendly agreement between the United States and England, charging America with ingratitude.

The New Hampshire troops will rendezvous in Concord Monday, orders to that effect having been sent out last night. Charles L. Ayling has been appointed assistant adjutant general.

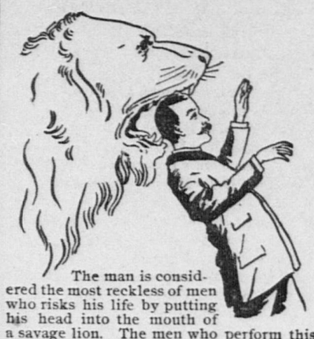
At yesterday's session of the senate the report of the conferees on the naval appropriation bill was presented and agreed to. The measure as perfected carries a little more than $57,000,000.

In the Brewster trial in Montpelier, Vt., Friday, Dr. T. W. Fisher of Boston, in reply to the hypothetical question, said that Miss Brewster was sane and responsible for her act in shooting Anna Wheeler.

The building, machinery and stock of F. C. Healey, patent leather manufacturer at North Woburn, were destroyed by fire. B. F. Kimball occupied a portion of the building in the manufacture of fancy leather.

The captain of the Montserrat, the vessel which was bound for Havana with a valuable cargo and which succeeded in making the port of Cienfuegos, province of Santa Clara, has been decorated with the red cross and granted a special pension.

A Canadian-American legion is to be formed which will offer to the state of Illinois several regiments of Canadian born citizens for service during the war. A large number of letters have been received from Canadian-American citizens throughout the west and northwest endorsing the formation of the league and offering their services if acceptable to the government.



The man is considered the most reckless of men who risks his life by putting his head into the mouth of a savage lion. The men who perform this foolhardy act are few and far between.

There are tens of thousands of men who daily do a much more rash and dangerous deed. They are the men who overwork and neglect their health. No man can do this with impunity. The inevitable result is serious illness and premature death. One of the most common results of carelessness in regard to health is consumption. There is one, and only one, unfailing remedy for this dread disease. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has a record of thirty years, during which time it has cured 98 per cent. of all cases of bronchial, throat and lung affections. It acts directly on the digestive and nutritive organism. It creates a healthy appetite for food, facilitates the flow of digestive juices and promotes the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve-tonic. In cases of nervous prostration it builds up the nerve fibres and gives sound, refreshing sleep.

"I took a severe cold with sore throat," writes Mrs. A. S. Everhart, of Oard Spring, Scott Co., Ind. "Soon I began to cough. My right side became sore so that when I coughed it seemed as though my side would burst. The physician said I had pleurisy. I took his medicine for some time and got no better. All through the spring and summer I used mustard plasters and fly blisters on my side and over lungs. Finally I began to ache so badly between my shoulders that I could hardly endure it and at times almost smothered. My breath was so short that I could scarcely talk. Several of my near relatives had died of consumption. I thought I would try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took two bottles of it, and two of his 'Pleasant Pellets,' and am a new person. I would not take any money for the benefit received."

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A certain lot of land in said Quincy, situated on Edwards street, with the buildings thereon, and bounded southeasterly on Edwards street, fifty feet; northwesterly on land of Henry G. Pratt, six rods, more or less; northeasterly on land of Benjamin F. Curtis, fifty feet; southwesterly on land of Henry T. Rodgers, six rods, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to me by James Burr, by deed dated March 31st, 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 519, fol. 275.

This conveyance is made subject to the right of H. G. Pratt and his assigns to draw water by means of a suitable pipe from the well on the granted premises for the use of the occupants of the dwelling house on said Pratt's estate. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

One hundred dollars of the purchase money to be paid at the time and place of sale and the balance in ten days from sale on delivery of the deed.

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BRAINTREE.

Mr. John Kelley won the gold badge offered at the Veterans' fair, for the most popular active fireman.

The Columbia Rubber Company has sold out its machinery to Messrs. Washburn & Moen of Worcester and it is now being taken down and shipped away. This will throw about fifty people out of employment.

A tablet is to be placed upon the front of the First church giving name of church, hours of sevices, name of pastor and such other information as may seem advisable to the committee so that he who runs may read.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held at the usual hour 6 P. M. Sunday, May 1. Topic, "Little ways of bettering the world. Ref. Phil. 12:16; Matt. 5:13-16. Miss Mary Putnam will lead. All cordially welcome.

At the meeting of the First Parish, Monday evening, Mr. W. C. Harding was elected clerk, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. E. A. Belcher. It was voted to wire the church for electric lights. A committee composed of Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, G. H. Lane and Mrs. J. F. Hayward was appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of Mr. E. A. Belcher.

Mr. L. D. Patten has sold his store to his son, Harry L. Patten, and will go at once to Alaska with the Mutual Mining, Trading and Transportation company. The company will locate on the American side and expect to be gone about eighteen months. The company is composed of about forty business men of push, and no doubt many fortunes will be made.

The ball game on the Commom was postponed yesterday on account of the weather.

Arrangements are being made for vesper services to be held soon in the First church.

Dr. Holmes and his bride moved into their new home at the south part of the town on Wednesday.

The honorary members of Company K will hold a patriotic meeting in Pythian hall next Tuesday evening.

Miss Ethel Brigham has been substituting in the Pond street school for Miss Badger who has been ill this week.

The Universalist society will hold its annual fair and sale in the Town Hall on the evenings of May third and fourth.

Officer Downey found five pairs of new shoes under a battery house, near Mayflower Park, Monday, which the owner can have by proving property.

The annual reception and banquet of the Pine Tree club club will take place in the Town Hall, May 11. An illustrated lecture will be given on Maine by Mr. Sweet of Portland.

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PRIZE ESSAY.

Miss Osborne's Paper on Companionship of Books.

The following essay by Miss Florence M. Osborne won the first prize in the Class of '98 at the Quincy High school contest:

The song of the murmuring shell is of deep sea groves, waving sea-weed and branching coral. It sings of ocean's sandy floor and the little fishes playing in and out among the shadows. The gambols of the mermaids and sea-nymphs and the beautiful songs they sing. The song of the pine cone is of the mountain height, the broad and fertile valleys spread out below and the blue skies above. Of rocky crags and hurrying streams and the sound of the wind as it moves among the branches. Or of a dark gloomy sky, the lightning dart and the crash of thunder. But the song of the book is of the human mind and soul from the beginning of all time. The progress of the human race and the means by which it was accomplished. Of man's trials and temptations, of his toils and successes, of his glory and power.

Just as human beings are our companions, why may we not make companions of books? True it is that they do not speak aloud but can they be called silent? What one human companion can present to our mind as much as a single book written by one of the best authors? So many varieties of thought expressed in so many varieties of language! Speech is not always to be desired for at times it may become tiresome. What is then so restful as to retire to a secluded spot with a book for a companion? Though the reader may be quiet yet he cannot possibly be lonesome. Perhaps, almost before he realizes it, transported to another age, he will be storming the Bastile, reading the Roman legions or urging on the massive pyramids by the banks of River Nile. Without doubt it will be with great reluctance that he returns to his human companions and the every-day world.

What pleasure it gives to the true lover of books to enjoy free access to a large library. To walk up and down by the well-stocked shelves and to feel that these companions are so near. To cull the best thoughts from the best minds and thus to improve the thought and mind of the reader himself who unconsciously gains what can never be taken away from him. Other companions may delight us at some times, but the book is a companion that is always welcomed. In the words of Cicero, "They adorn prosperity and afford a refuge and solace in misfortune."

If one could visit a world without books what kind of people would be found there? A nation living in the present with no record of the past by which to avoid the failures and continue the success of its ancestors and with no guiding beacon to light the unexplored path of the future.

It is necessary to exercise as much care in the choice of our book companions as in the choice of our human companions. For some books may prove to be bad company and verify the old adage by "corruting our good manners." One of the evils of reading only light or exciting literature is that the mind learns to crave for that kind only and utterly refuses the standard works of the best authors.

When one reads the same book a third or fourth time without becoming wearied of the thought it contains but rather delights in meeting the familiar expressions which in some inexplicable way seem to echo the reader's own thoughts, one may be sure that this book will make a good companion. For mere fiction, without literary excellence in its favor, will not seem so attractive at the second reading. Since less attention will then be paid to the story, there will be more opportunity to notice the thought and language which seems almost insignificant when the interest in the story is taken away. It may be all very well to read such books as an enjoyment in the passing hour, just as one plucks a flower and after enjoying its fragrance for a few moments, casts it away to droop by the wayside. But for books that are to become our companions, something very different is required. Let them share our mirth and comfort our sorrow and we shall be the winners.

And if books are to be our companions we must regard them in that light and treat them accordingly. No defaced pages, dog-ears or tattered covers for them! Nothing but the best of handling in the best of care. For would it not seem very discourteous to neglect or harm our human companions? They are able to rebel under such treatment but as books cannot speak for themselves, someone must speak for them.

It would not do the slightest harm to love them dearly, and to feel proud to introduce them as "my friends." For our books may sometimes make truer friends than human beings, who often fail us in times of trouble or sorrow, when we most need their kindness and loving sympathy.

A stone is thrown into a lake. With a splash the waters rise and fall again to send the ripples in ever widening rings, farther and farther away. May not the lake represent human understanding? The splash, the awakening of the mind to a love for the best literature and the rippling circles the constantly broadening and increasing knowledge derived from intellectual reading and study. Let us cultivate this taste for the best literature so that we may not waste time in reading what cannot in any way benefit either mind or soul, but rather spend our time upon that which will not only broaden the reasoning powers of the mind, but will also aid the soul in its ascent to the bright realm of immortality. Solomon Grundy, '98

A Modern Spelling Bee.

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The May number contains many interesting and valuable articles and stories, among which are 32 pages of pictures of the Warships of Our Navy, and the first installment of a delightful serial story by Maria Louise Pool.

Keith's Theatre.

Positively one of the very best shows which Mr. Keith has ever offered his Boston patrons is that to be given the week of May 2. It would be positively unfair to single out any one turn as the best, for there are at least a dozen that will rank equally in the estimation of playgoers. Papinta, who has been going stronger the longer she remains, is announced to introduce some startling novel light and color effects in her dances, in addition to those which already make her appear like a moving rainbow, and everybody will want to see her. Joe Hart and Carrie De Mar contiue for another week, their "Quiet Mr. Gay" having made the biggest kind of a hit, and Binns and Binns, the comedy musicians, are like wise complimented. In the new detail, however there is Mary Norman, the cleverest delineator of certain character types that there is on the stage, a most thorough artist; Hilda Thomas, the popular singing soubrette, in an entirely new act, assisted by Frank Barry, pianist; Fred Valmore, known the country over as the human music box, because of his singular imitations.

Castle Square Theatre.

A production of the sterling emotional drama of "East Lynne" is announced as the attraction at the Castle Square theatre next week. This selection will undoubtedly prove most interesting to the patrons of the Castle Square because "East Lynne" has held its popularity with play-goers for a generation and its story appeals to all lovers of strong dramatic scenes. The Castle Square Stock Company begins its second year of dramatic productions with the comilg week, the organization having since its formation appeared in forty different plays—twelve of which have been repeated a second week. To commemorate the beginning of this second year of dramatic productions, the management announce that a triple-plated silver "Maine": a souvenir spoon will be given to each adult patron at every one of the six matinees performances of the coming week. The spoon has an engraving of the battle ship "Maine" on the bowl and a bas relief of Capt. Sigsbee on the handle. "Blue Jeans" follows at this theatre on Monday, May 9th.

NEWS TO BE RELIED UPON.

A Distinctive Feature of the Boston Journal.

In such times as these through which the country is passing it is particularly gratifying to read a newspaper whose news can be relied upon as accurate and faithful reports of events and conditions. Conspicious among such papers is the Boston Journal. Its pithy announcement that "The Boston Journal prints facts" is borne out day by day. Not only that, but it is showing notable enterprise in getting all the news of the time and in so arranging it in the paper that the reader may turn at once to whatever part of the news he may wish first. The daily dispatches from "Coolidge," the Journal's Washington correspondent, and his reviews of the situation as it progresses, have been distinctly able and authoritative. "Coolidge" writes in a very interesting style, bringing out the chief points of the news in a manner such as only a newspaper correspondent trained by long years of experience in the work can do.

A bill to increase the salary of the assistant clerk of courts for Norfolk county was engrossed in the Senate Thursday.

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3d SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The Christians' marching orders." Lords Supper at 11.30 A. M. Bible School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7.30, under the direction of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip. Short addresses. Singing by male chorus and soloists. The Boys' Brigade will be present. Everyone invited.

CHRIST CHURCH—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Subject: "Brotherly Love." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7. Subject: "The early history of Spain." Seats free. Everybody welcome. On Sunday evenings duriug May the rector will speak on the "Religious and polilical history of Spain."

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 12 M. Communion service directly after the morning service.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street.—Bible lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The carnal mind, and the mind of Christ."

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "The need of worship." Bible class and teachers' meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 110 Hancock street—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The separated life." Bible class at 12 M. Y. P. S. E. C. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "The Christian's duty toward the oppressor." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. A welcome to all.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The state of Religion in Boston Presbytery." Bible School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Unselfishness." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor. Residence, corner of Whitwell and Klondike streets. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The ministry of the Holy Spirit." Bible School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. All are welcome.

WEST QUINCY M. E. CHURCH—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. David Martin. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15 o'clock.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Edward Norton. Subject: "The banqueting house and the banner." A Communion sermon. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "Life's supreme motive; illustrated by the story of the martyr of Algiers." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Subject: "Rverence." Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M. Miss Gertrude Sherman will conduct the meeting.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic,—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Commune with your own heart." Special music. Sacrament of our Lord's Supper and Reception of members. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening prayer service at 7.30 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING, Faxon Hall—At 7.30 P. M., Mrs. M. A. Bonney, will give readings and tests. Circle at the house of Henry Chubbuck on Tuesday at 2.30 and 7.30 P. M.

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